

Fabric User Guide



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Fabric Manager Installation

Install the Fabric Manager virtual machine (VM) to enable Fabric Manager in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine.

Pre-Installation

The Fabric Manager is distributed in a deployable VMware-based .OVA template, which is similar to the other ZTP+ (Zero Touch Provisioning Plus)-based engines (for example, ExtremeControl).

The Fabric Manager supports two initial configuration modes for ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine discovery and registration:

- DHCP Mode
- Static Mode

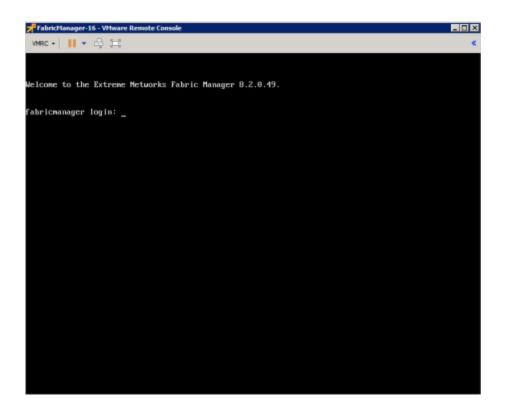
The DHCP mode is the default configuration mode during the Fabric Manager VM's initial startup. Use the static mode when providing a predefined set of networking configurations.

Fabric Manager Installation Static Mode

Fabric Manager begins installation in DHCP mode by default. Switch to static mode at any time during the initial installation by pressing the **ENTER** key.

Use the following instructions to install Fabric Manager in static mode:

1. In the Console tab of the vSphere client, login as root with no password and press **Enter**.

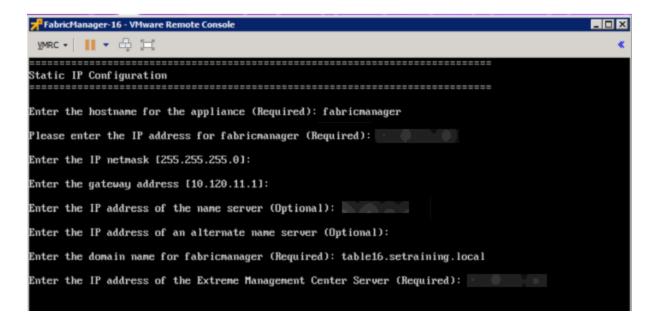


- 2. Follow the installation process to complete installation of static mode:
 - a. Begin the set-up.

b. Set a root password by entering y.

c. Enter and re-type a UNIX password at the next prompt.

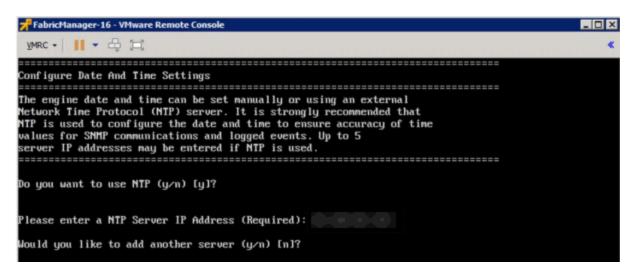
The Static Configuration screen opens.



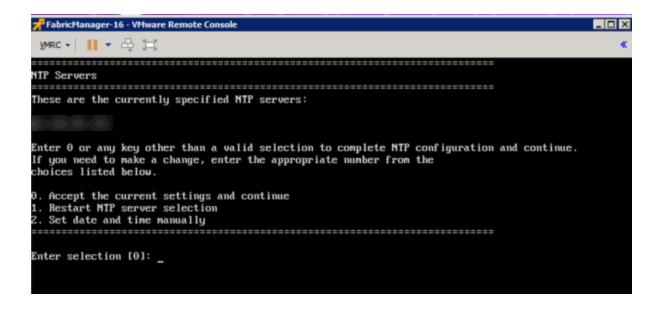
- d. Enter a hostname.
- e. Enter the IP address for the VM engine.
- f. Enter the default IP Network netmask address.
- g. Enter the default Gateway address.
- h. Enter the IP address of the name server.
- i. Enter the domain name specific to the table.

j. Enter the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine server IP address.

The Date and Time Configuration screen opens.



- k. Enter y at the next prompt to use NTP (Network Time Protocol).
- I. Enter the NTP Server IP Address.
- m. Enter nat the next prompt to skip adding another NTP server. This is optional.

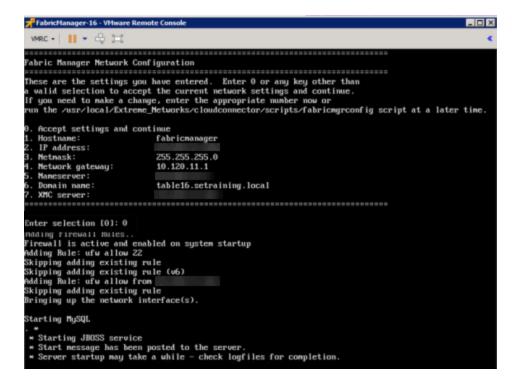


n. Enter the default 0 and accept the current settings and continue.

o. Select the correct Time Zone for your network.

p. Enter the number that corresponds to your time zone.

The Fabric Manager Network Configuration screen displays a summary of the configuration options you selected.



q. Enter 0 to confirm all the selections displayed are correct.

To modify any selection, enter the corresponding number of the item you want to change.

r. A Setup Complete message displays once installation is complete.

Adding Fabric Manager to ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine

Once you install the Fabric Manager virtual machine (VM), you can add it to ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine and enable it via ZTP+ (Zero Touch Provisioning Plus) functionality.

NOTE: You need to upgrade the firmware in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine to add and launch the Fabric Manager engine.

Related Information

For information on related tabs:

- How to Upgrade Firmware in ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine
- Fabric Manager ZTP+ Configuration in ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine
- ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine Fabric

Getting Started

This topic provides information to help you get started using ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine to view network data. It includes information on configuring ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine access requirements, including several different access scenarios. It also provides steps for enabling the statistics and flow collection that provides ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine reporting data, and information on ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine scalability.

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Requirements

This section provides information on license requirements for the different ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine features, as well as access requirements, browser

requirements, and screen resolution requirements.

ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Access Requirements

Access to the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine application and its features is determined by the user's membership in an ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine authorization group and the group's assigned capabilities. The following table lists the different ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine access options and features, and their corresponding capabilities.

To have full read/write access to all ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine functionality, a user must be a member of an authorization group with the capabilities shown in the following table. Optionally, users can be configured to have read-only and limited read-only access to ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine functionality by selecting a combination of capabilities.

ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Access Options and Features	Required Capabilities
Launch ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine. Allows the ability to launch the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine application.	NetSight OneView > Access OneView
View ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Reports. Adds the ability to view reporting data.	NetSight OneView > Access OneView Reports
View ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Maps. Adds the ability to view maps.	NetSight OneView > Maps > Maps Read Access
View and Configure ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Maps. Adds the ability to view and configure maps.	NetSight OneView > Maps > Maps Read/Write Access
View ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Wireless. Adds the ability to view wireless data.	NetSight Console > Wireless Manager > Launch
View ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Administration. Adds access to the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine administration tools and the ability to enable data collection.	NetSight OneView > Access OneView Administration
View ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Search. Adds the ability to use the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Search functionality.	NetSight OneView > Access OneView Search
View ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Network and Alarms and Events. Adds the ability to view device information and event log details.	NetSight OneView > Events and Alarms > OneView Event Log Access
View ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine alarms. Adds the ability to view current alarms in the Alarms and Events page.	NetSight OneView > Events and Alarms > OneView Alarms Read Access
View and clear ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine alarms. Adds the ability to view and clear alarms in the Alarms and Events page.	NetSight OneView > Events and Alarms > OneView Alarms Read/Write Access
View ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Control. Adds the ability to view Dashboard, System, Health, and Data Center reports under the Control tab.	NetSight OneView > Identity and Access > Access OneView Identity and Access Reports
View ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Control end-systems table. Adds the ability to view end-system information under the Control tab.	NetSight OneView > Identity and Access > OneView End-Systems Read Access
View and modify ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Control end-systems table. Adds the ability to perform actions in the end-systems table, such as forcing reauthentication and changing an end-system's group membership.	NetSight OneView > Identity and Access > OneView End-Systems Read/Write Access

ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Access Options and Features	Required Capabilities
View ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Control Group Information. Adds the ability to launch the Group Editor tool from the Control tab > End- Systems view, and view group information.	NetSight OneView > Identity and Access > OneView Group Read Access
View and Edit ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Control tab Group Information. Adds the ability to launch the Group Editor tool from the Control tab > End- Systems view, and add, edit, and delete groups.	NetSight OneView > Identity and Access > OneView Group Read/Write Access
View ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Flows. Adds the ability to view NetFlow data for devices in the network.	NetSight OneView > NetFlow Read Access
View ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Flows and allow NetFlow Sensor Write access. Adds the ability to view NetFlow data and configure the Console NetFlow Sensor Configuration view.	NetSight OneView > NetFlow Read/Write Access
Allow Web FlexView read access. Adds the ability to launch a FlexView from the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Network tab.	NetSight OneView > FlexView > OneView FlexView Read Access
Allow Web FlexView Write access. Adds the ability to launch and edit a FlexView from the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Network tab.	NetSight OneView > FlexView > OneView FlexView Read/Write Access
Allow Wireless Controller Automatic WebView Login ability. Adds the ability to launch local management for wireless controllers without requiring a login, as long as the user's credentials are good. Users who do not have this capability are required to log in.	NetSight Suite > Device Local Management WebView > Auto Login to Web Local Management for ExtremeWireless Wireless Controllers
Allow Check for Firmware Updates ability. Adds the ability to check for firmware updates from the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Network tab.	NetSight Suite > NetSight All User Options > Request and Configure ExtremeNetworks.com Support
Allow Create Policy Rule ability. Adds the ability to create a policy rule in NetFlow tables.	NetSight Policy Manager > Read/Write capabilities for Policy Enforcement and Management
Add Devices. Adds the ability to add devices in the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Network tab.	NetSight Suite > Devices > Add, Discover and Import
Delete Devices. Adds the ability to delete devices in the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Network tab.	NetSight Suite > Devices > Delete
Compare Configurations. Adds the ability to compare archived device configurations in either the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Network tab or the Archive Details Report available in the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Reports tab.	Inventory Manager > Configuration Archive Management > View/Compare Configurations

Here are several scenarios that show how different ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine user access levels can be configured based on assigned capabilities.

Use Case 1: Full Read/Write Access

To provide full read/write access to all ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine functionality, configure user membership in an authorization group assigned the following capabilities:

- NetSight OneView > Access OneView
- NetSight OneView > Access OneView Reports

- NetSight OneView > Access OneView Search
- NetSight OneView > Access OneView Administration
- NetSight OneView > NetFlow Read/Write Access
- NetSight OneView > Maps > Maps Read/Write Access
- NetSight Console > Wireless Manager > Launch
- NetSight OneView > Events and Alarms > OneView Event Log Access
- NetSight OneView > Events and Alarms > OneView Alarms Read/Write Access
- NetSight OneView > FlexView > OneView FlexView Read/Write Access
- NetSight OneView > Identity and Access > Access OneView Identity and Access Reports
- NetSight OneView > Identity and Access > OneView End-Systems Read/Write Access
- NetSight OneView > Identity and Access > OneView Group Read/Write Access
- NetSight Policy Manager > Read/Write capabilities for Policy Enforcement and Management
- NetSight Suite > Device Local Management WebView > Auto Login to Web Local Management for ExtremeWireless Wireless Controllers
- NetSight Suite > NetSight All User Options > Request and Configure ExtremeNetworks.com Support
- NetSight Suite > Devices > Add, Discover and Import
- NetSight Suite > Devices > Delete
- Inventory Manager > Configuration Archive Management > View/Compare Configurations

Use Case 2: Read-Only Access

To provide read-only access to all ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine reports and FlexViews, configure user membership in an authorization group assigned the following capabilities:

- NetSight OneView > Access OneView
- NetSight OneView > Access OneView Reports
- NetSight OneView > Access OneView Search
- NetSight OneView > NetFlow Read Access

- NetSight OneView > Maps > Maps Read Access
- NetSight Console > Wireless Manager > Launch
- NetSight OneView > Events and Alarms > OneView Event Log Access
- NetSight OneView > Events and Alarms > OneView Alarms Read Access
- NetSight OneView > FlexView > OneView FlexView Read Access
- NetSight OneView > Identity and Access > Access OneView Identity and Access Reports
- NetSight OneView > Identity and Access > OneView End-Systems Read Access
- NetSight OneView > Identity and Access > OneView Group Read Access

Use Case 3: Limited Read-Only Access

To provide limited read-only access to only ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine reporting and wireless data, configure user membership in an authorization group assigned the following capabilities:

- NetSight OneView > Access OneView
- NetSight OneView > Access OneView Reports
- NetSight Console > Wireless Manager > Launch

Use Case 4: End-System Information, Read-Only Access

To provide read-only access to ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine end-system information, configure user membership in an authorization group assigned the following capabilities:

- NetSight OneView > Access OneView
- NetSight OneView > Identity and Access > OneView End-Systems Read Access

Use Case 5: End-System Information, Read/Write Access

To provide read/write access to ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine end-system information, configure user membership in an authorization group assigned the following capabilities:

- NetSight OneView > Access OneView
- NetSight OneView > Identity and Access > OneView End-Systems Read/Write Access

Browser Requirements

The following web browsers are supported:

- Microsoft Edge
- Mozilla Firefox 34 and later
- Google Chrome 33.0 and later

Browsers must have JavaScript enabled in order for the web-based views to function.

While it is not required that cookies are enabled, impaired functionality results if they are not. This includes (but is not limited to) the ability to generate PDFs and persist table configurations such as filters, sorting, and column selections.

Screen Resolution

For optimum display of graphs and tables, ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine is best viewed on a system with a minimum screen resolution of 1280x1024.

Enable Report Data Collection

To view ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine reporting data, you must enable statistics collection for your network devices. You must be a member of an authorization group that has been assigned the NetSight OneView > Access NetSight OneView and Administration capability to enable data collection. Data collection is only available with the NMS license and above.

Enable Device Statistics Collection

To view ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine device reports, you must enable statistics collection for your network devices from either ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Devices, or the Console device tree or **Device Properties** tab. Statistics can be collected in a historical or threshold alarms collection mode.

 Historical Mode — Device and physical port statistics are saved to the database and aggregated over time, and are then used in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine reports.
 The device statistics are also used for active threshold alarms configured in the Console Alarms Manager.

NOTE: Enabling Historical Device Statistics Collection may use substantial disk space.

Threshold Alarms Mode (formerly Monitor Mode) — Device statistics are saved to a
Threshold Alarms cache for one hour and then dropped. These statistics are used
for active threshold alarms, configured in the Console Alarms Manager, but not for
ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine reporting.

NOTE: The Threshold Alarms mode option is not available if you have disabled Threshold Alarms Collection in the OneView Collector Advanced Settings window in Administration > Options.

If you are enabling statistics collection on an ExtremeControl engine, Application Detection engine, or ExtremeWireless Controller, read through the following notes:

ExtremeControl Engine

When collecting statistics on an ExtremeControl engine, the engine must be added to ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine to collect all engine statistics. In addition, Threshold Alarms mode is not supported on ExtremeControl engines.

Application Detection Engine

When collecting statistics on an Application Detection engine, the engine must be added to the Analytics > Configuration > ExtremeAnalytics Engines table in order for ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine to collect all Application Detection statistics. In addition, Threshold Alarms mode is not supported on Application Detection engines.

ExtremeWireless Controller

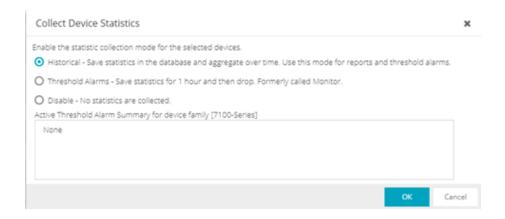
Wireless Controller <u>statistics collection</u> is configured separately from other devices.

Enabling Device Statistics Collection

Use the following steps to enable device statistics collection.

- 1. You can enable statistics collection from either ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine or Console:
 - In the Network tab, right-click one or more devices (multiple devices must be
 in the same device family) and select Device > Collect Device Statistics. You
 can also click the Menu icon (■) in the upper left corner of the Network tab
 and select Device > Collect Device Statistics.

- In the Console device tree or Device Properties tab, right-click one or more devices (multiple devices must be in the same device family) and select OneView > Collect Device Statistics.
- 2. From the Collect Device Statistics window, select the statistic collection mode you want to use: Historical, Threshold Alarms (formerly Monitor), or Disable.



All active threshold alarms configured in the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Alarms and Events tab (for the selected device family) that use the collected statistics display in the Active Threshold Alarms Summary box. If the selected devices do not match any active threshold alarms, this box is blank. To reduce unnecessary statistic collection, do not enable Threshold Alarms mode on devices that do not match any active threshold alarms.

- **TIP:** A summary event is generated daily in the **Alarms and Events** > **Events** tab that shows the number of device with statistic collection enabled where corresponding threshold alarms are not configured.
- 3. Click **OK**. ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine begins collecting statistics for the selected devices.

Enable Interface Statistics Collection

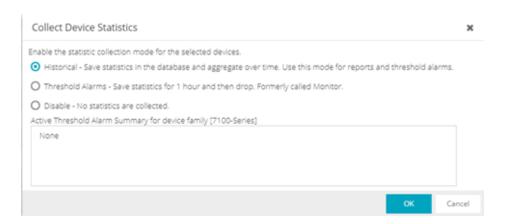
To view ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine interface reports, you must enable statistics collection for your device interfaces from either the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Network tab, or the Console Port Properties tab or Interface Summary FlexView. Statistics can be collected in a historical collection mode or a threshold alarms collection mode.

- Historical Mode Interface statistics are saved to the database and aggregated over time, used in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine reports. The interface statistics are also used for active threshold alarms configured in the Alarms and Events tab.
- Threshold Alarms Mode (formerly Monitor Mode) Interface statistics are saved for one hour and then dropped. These statistics are used for active threshold alarms configured in the Console Alarms Manager, but not for ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine reporting. (Note that the Threshold Alarms mode option is not available if you have disabled Threshold Alarms Collection in the OneView Collector Advanced Settings window in the Administration > Options tab.)

Enabling Interface Statistics Collection

Use the following steps to enable interface statistics collection.

- You can enable statistics collection from either ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine or Console:
 - On the **Network** tab, click on the device name link to open the Interface Summary FlexView. In the FlexView, right-click on one or more interfaces and select Collect Interface Statistics.
 - On the Network tab, right-click on a device and select Port Tree. In the Port Tree, select an interface, right-click and select Collect Interface Statistics.
 - In the Console Port Properties tab or Interface Summary FlexView, right-click one or more interfaces and select the OneView > Collect Interface Statistics.
- 2. From the Collect Device Statistics window, select the statistic collection mode you want to use: Historical, Threshold Alarms (formerly Monitor), or Disable.



All active threshold alarms configured in the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine **Alarms** and **Events** tab (for the selected device family) that use the collected statistics

display in the Active Threshold Alarm Summary box. If the selected devices do not match any active threshold alarms, this box is blank. To reduce unnecessary statistic collection, do not enable Threshold Alarms mode on devices that do not match any active threshold alarms.

- **TIP:** A summary event is generated daily in the **Alarms and Events** > **Events** tab that shows the number of device with statistic collection enabled where corresponding threshold alarms are not configured.
- 3. Click **OK**. ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine begins collecting statistics for the selected interfaces.

Enable Wireless Controller Statistics Collection

Wireless Controller statistics collection is configured separately from other devices. When you enable Wireless Controller statistics collection, it includes Wireless Controller, WLAN, Topology, and AP wired and wireless statistics, and you also have the option to collect wireless client statistics.

You can enable statistics collection for multiple controllers, however the group cannot contain a mix of devices and wireless controllers. The group must include only controllers.

Enabling Wireless Controller Statistics Collection

Use the following steps to enable wireless controller statistics collection.

- You can enable statistics collection from either ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine or Console:
 - On the Network tab, right-click one or more wireless controllers and select
 Device > Collect Device Statistics. You can also click the menu icon (≡) in the
 upper left corner of the Network tab and select Device > Collect Device
 Statistics.
 - In the Console device tree or **Device Properties** tab, right-click one or more wireless controllers and select OneView > Collect Device Statistics.
- 2. From the Collect Controller Statistics window, select the statistics you want to collect.



3. Click **OK**. ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine begins collecting statistics for the selected controllers.

Enable Flow Collection

To view ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Flow and Application reports, you must enable NetFlow or application telemetry on the device and enable flow collection for the device interfaces. N-Series, S-Series, and K-Series devices support NetFlow flow collection and ExtremeXOS devices support application telemetry flow collection. You must be a member of an authorization group assigned the NetSight OneView > NetFlow Read/Write Access capability to view NetFlow data or the NetSight OneView > Application Telemetry Read/Write Access capability to view application telemetry data and enable flow collection in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine. Flow collection is only available with the NMS-ADV license.

Enable Flow Collection on a Device

In ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine, open the Advanced Configuration panel. Select an ExtremeAnalytics engine and use the Flow Collection Type drop-down to select the type of flow collection supported by your device. Use the Flow Sources or Application Telemetry Sources section of the window (depending on the Flow Collection Type selected) to add a device as a flow collection source.

Enable Flow Collection on an Interface

In PortView, you can enable flow collection from the Configure Collection State section of the Interface Details tab.

ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Scalability

ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine supports reporting on 20,000 objects as determined by the number of devices and interfaces being monitored, along with polling interval and data storage periods. Below are two example network configurations resulting in collected objects under 20,000. For additional information on tuning your deployment, please contact Extreme Networks Support.

Variables		Scenario 1	Scenario 2
Data Retention	Raw Data	7 Days	7 Days
	Hourly Rollups	8 Weeks	8 Weeks
	Daily Rollups	6 Months	6 Months
Polling Interval		15 Minutes	15 Minutes
Devices	Wireless Controllers	5	10
	Wireless APs	1000	2000
	Advanced Switch/Routers	150	50
	Advanced Interfaces	1000	200
	Servers	150	50
Collected Objects		19,450	18,630

ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Timeout

ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine automatically times out after a specified amount of time, specified in the HTTP Session Timeout section of the Web Server view in the Administration > Options tab. A dialog box appears to warn you when you are two minutes from timing out of an ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine web page. For additional information, see the Web Server Options Help topic.

NOTE: The ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine, ExtremeControl, and ExtremeAnalytics Virtual Engine Installation Guide includes an overview of ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine, ExtremeControl, and ExtremeAnalytics<u>virtual engine deployment requirements</u> and how to deploy a virtual engine on a VMware® and Hyper-V server.

How to Obtain and Apply an ExtremeCompliance License

To use the **Compliance** tab in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine, an additional license is required.

To obtain and apply the license in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine:

1. Contact your sales representative to purchase an ExtremeCompliance license.

An email voucher is generated and sent to you with instructions.

- 2. Create an Extreme Networks Support Portal account, if necessary.
 - a. Open a browser and go to https://secure.extremenetworks.com/.
 - b. Enter your information and click Create An Account.

An email is sent to you with instructions to activate your account.

c. Click the link in your email.

The Portal - Account Activation web page displays.

- d. Enter your **Email Address** and the **Activation Code** included in your activation email, if they do not automatically populate.
- e. Click Activate.
- 3. Access the Extreme Networks Support Portal at https://extremeportal.force.com/ExtrLicenseLanding.
- 4. Enter your **Email** and **Password** and click **Log In**.
- 5. Click Generate License.

The Generate License window displays.

- Enter your Voucher ID from the email voucher sent to you and click Next.
- 7. Select the **Terms and Conditions** checkbox and click **Submit**.

A window displays with your software license key.

8. Copy the license key from the window.

- 9. Open ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine.
- 10. Access the **Administration** > **Diagnostics** tab.
- 11. Select **Server > Server Licenses** in the left-panel.

The Server Licenses panel displays.

12. Click Add.

The **Add License** window displays.

- 13. Paste the license key you copied in Step 9 and click **OK**.
- 14. Restart ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine.
- 15. The **Compliance** tab is now available in the menu, allowing you to use ExtremeCompliance audit functionality.

Related Information

For information on related tabs:

- ExtremeCompliance Overview
- Diagnostics

Fabric Topology Definition on the Sites Tab

Use the **Fabric Topology Definition** tab to <u>create</u> a fabric topology definition, <u>configure</u> fabric topology settings, and <u>review</u> fabric topology paths and sites. You can also <u>rename</u> or <u>delete</u> a fabric topology definition.

Create a Topology Definition

You can create a <u>Topology Definition</u> on the **Sites** tab in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine. Once you create topology definitions, you can add them to sites in your network to build a fabric topology map.

To create a topology definition:

- 1. Access the **Devices** tab.
- 2. Select Sites from the left-panel drop-down list.

- 3. Navigate to **Topology Definitions** in the left-panel tree.
- 4. Right-click Topology Definitions.
- 5. Select Create Topology Definition.



The Create Topology Definition window opens.

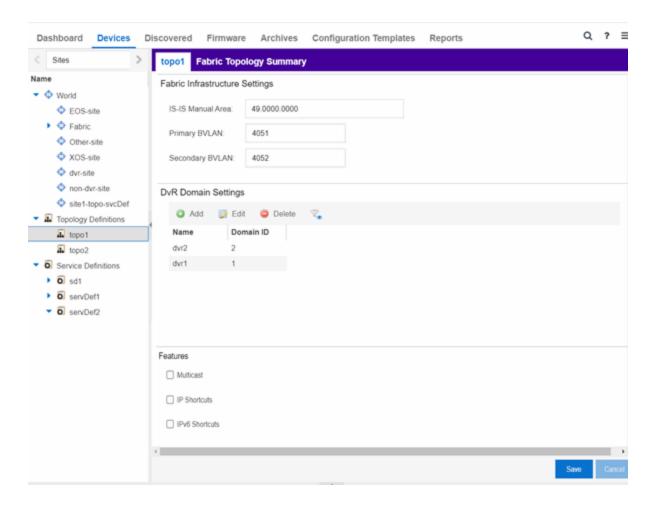
- 6. Enter a name in the Name field.
- 7. Select Fabric Connect from the Fabric Type drop-down.
- 8. Select **OK** to create the topology definition.

Configure a Topology Definition

Once the topology definition is created, it is available in the **Sites tab** left-panel tree. Select it to open a new right panel that includes the <u>Fabric Name tab</u> and a <u>Fabric Summary tab</u>.

Fabric Name Tab

Use the Fabric Name tab to configure the topology definition.



The Topology Definition tab includes the following sections:

Fabric Infrastructure Settings

The following fields are included in the Fabric Infrastructure Settings section:

- ISIS Manual Area Use a xx.xxxx.xxxx.xxxx.xxxx.xxxx format (1-13 bytes).
- Primary BVLAN Enter the Primary Backbone VLAN (BVLAN).
- Secondary BVLAN Enter the Secondary BVLAN.

DvR Domain Settings

The following fields are included in the <u>DvR Domain Settings</u> section:

Name - The Domain name assigned to the DvR Domain. Select the down arrow
to open the drop-down list to access <u>sort</u>, <u>hide columns</u> and <u>search filter</u>
functionality for the domain name column.

• Domain ID - The identifying number assigned to the DvR Domain. Select the down arrow to open the drop-down list to access <u>sort</u>, <u>hide columns</u> and <u>numeric filter</u> functionality for the Domain ID column.

You can also Add, Edit, or Delete DvR Domain settings.

Features

The following fields are included in the Features section:

- Multicast Select the check box to configure to distribute data to multiple recipients.
- IP Shortcuts Select the check box to enable IPv4 Shortcuts for the topology definition.
- IPv6 Shortcuts Select the check box to enable IPv6 Shortcuts for the topology definition.

Select Save to save the topology definition settings you selected.

Once the topology definition is created and configured, you can <u>apply</u> it to a site within your network. Once fabric topologies have been assigned to a site, they cannot be deleted.

Fabric Summary tab

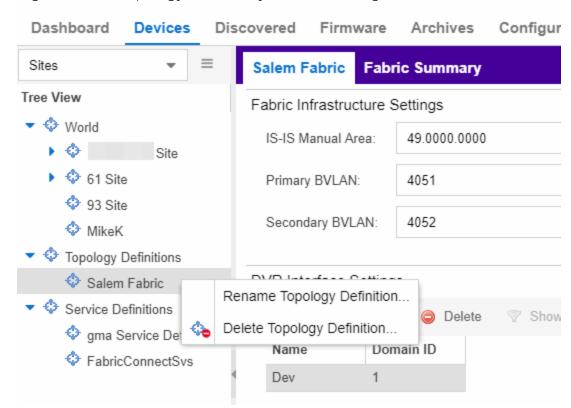
The Fabric Summary tab lists any fabric topologies you have created and the sites to which they are assigned.

Rename a Topology Definition

Once a topology definition has been created and configured, you can change or modify its name.

To rename a topology definition:

- 1. Open the **Devices** tab.
- 2. Select **Sites** from the left-panel tree drop-down list.
- 3. Expand **Topology Definitions** in the left-panel.



4. Right-click the topology definition you are renaming.

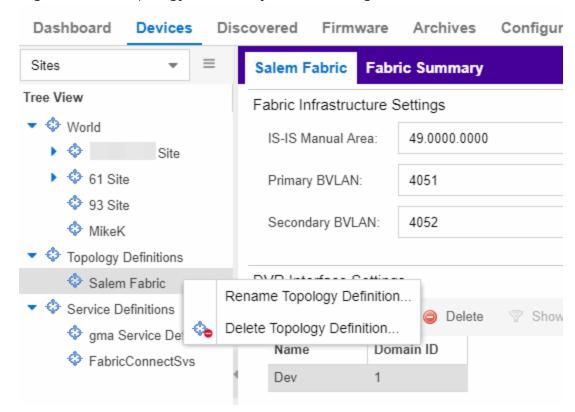
- 5. Click Rename Topology Definition.
- 6. Enter a new name in the Name field.
- 7. Click **OK** to change the topology name.

Delete a Topology Definition

Once a topology definition has been created and configured, you can delete it; however, a topology definition cannot be deleted once it has been assigned to a site.

To delete a topology definition:

- 1. Open the **Devices** tab.
- 2. Select **Sites** from the left-panel tree drop-down list.
- 3. Expand the **Topology Definitions** in the left-panel.



4. Right-click the topology definition you are deleting.

- 5. Click **Delete Topology Definition**.
- 6. Click **Yes** to delete the topology definition you selected.

Related Information

For information on related topics:

- Services
- Fabric
- Sites
- <u>Devices</u>

How to Create a Fabric Service Definition

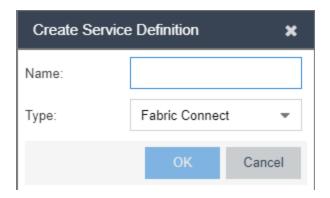
You can create a service definition in the **Sites tab** in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine. Service definitions display information configured in service applications

definitions. Once created, service definitions are added to sites in your network and are used to build a fabric topology map.

Create a Service Definition

To create a service definition:

- 1. Open the **Devices** tab.
- 2. Select Sites from the left-panel drop-down list.
- 3. Select **Service Definitions** in the left-panel.
- 4. Right-click Service Definitions.
- 5. Click Create Service Definition.



The Create Service Definition window opens.

- 6. Enter a name in the Name field.
- 7. Select **Fabric Connect** from the **Type** drop-down list.
- 8. Click **OK** to create the service definition.

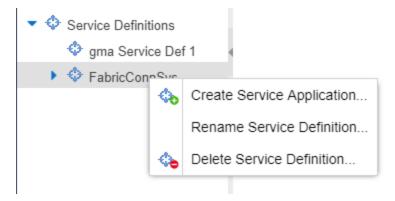
Once the service definition is created and configured, you can <u>apply</u> it to a site within your network. Once fabric services have been assigned to a site, they cannot be deleted.

Service Definition Panel

Once the service definition is created, it is available in the left-panel tree. Click it to open a new right panel that includes a **Services** tab and a **Service Summary** tab.

Rename a Service Definition

Once a service definition has been created and configured, you can change or modify its name.

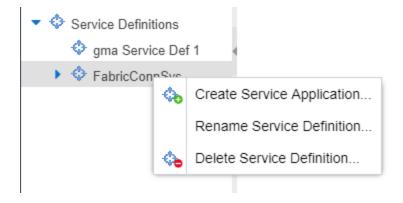


To rename a service definition:

- 1. Open the **Devices** tab.
- 2. Select **Sites** from the left-panel tree drop-down list.
- 3. Expand Service Definitions in the left-panel.
- 4. Right-click the service definition you are renaming.
- 5. Click Rename Service Definition.
- 6. Enter a new name in the Name field.
- 7. Click **OK** to rename the service definition.

Delete a Service Definition

Once a service definition has been created and configured, you can delete it; however, a service definition or any of its associated service applications cannot be deleted once it has been assigned to a site.



To delete a service definition:

- 1. Open the **Devices** tab.
- 2. Select Sites from the left-panel drop-down list.
- 3. Expand Service Definitions in the left-panel.
- 4. Right-click the service definition you are deleting.
- 5. Click Delete Service Definition.
- 6. Click **Yes** to delete a service definition.

Related Information

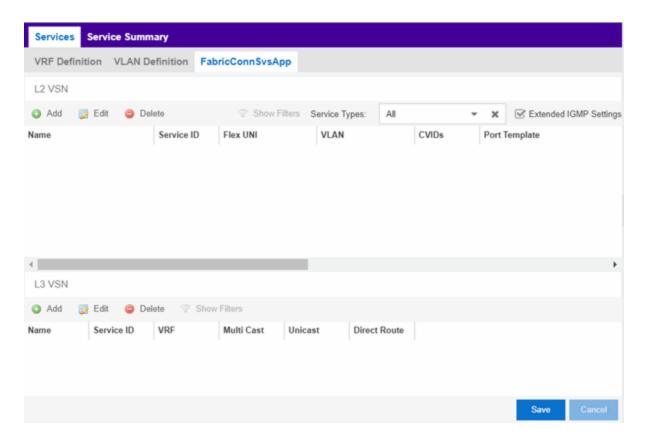
For information on related topics:

- Services
- Fabric
- Sites
- Devices

Services

The **Services** tab displays virtual routing and forwarding functionality configured as part of a service application, the virtual local area networks defined for the service application, as well as all of the services included in a service application or all of the services included in a service definition, depending if you select a service application or a service definition in the left-panel, respectively.

The Services tab is included in the Sites tab.

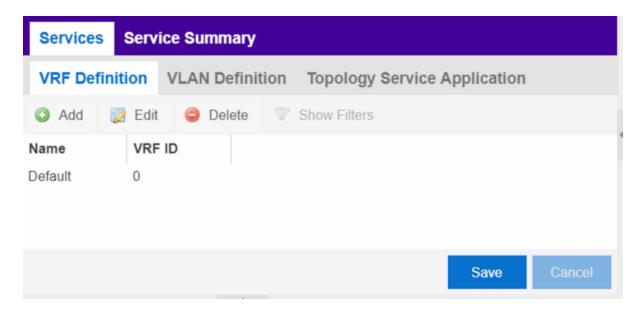


The Services tab includes three tabs:

- <u>VRF Definition</u> Create and configure VRF (Virtual Routing and Forwarding) definitions for the service application. VRFs allow for networking paths to be segmented without using multiple devices.
- <u>VLAN Definition</u> Create and configure VLAN (Virtual Local Area Network)
 definitions for the service application.
- <u>Service Application Name</u> Configure the L2 and L3 Virtual Services Networks
 (VSNs). The <u>Service Application Name</u> tab is divided into L2 VPN and L3 VSN tables.

VRF Definition

The VRF Definition tab allows you to configure virtual routing and forwarding definitions included as part of the service.



Name

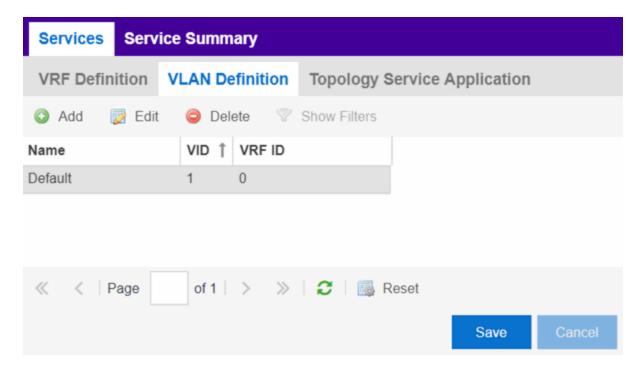
The name of the VRF definition.

VRF ID

The ID number assigned to the VRF definition.

VLAN Definition

The VLAN Definition tab allows you to configure virtual local area network definitions included as part of the service.



Name

The name of the VLAN definition.

VID

The ID number assigned to the VLAN.

VRF ID

The ID number assigned to the VRF definition.

Multicast

Indicates the service sends IP packets to a group of hosts on the network.

IGMP Version

Indicates which version of IGMP is utilized on the port (Version 1 or Version 2).

IGMP Querier

The address of the IGMP Querier. This feature is used when there is no multicast router in the VLAN to originate the queries.

Querier Enable

Indicates whether an IGMP Query is enabled.

Virtual Routing

Displays the version of VRRP the default gateway is using:

- NONE Virtual routing is not configured on the VLAN.
- VRRPv2 VRRP version 2 is configured on the VLAN. VRRP version 2 only supports IP addresses in IPv4 format.
- VRRPv3 VRRP version 3 is configured on the VLAN. VRRP version 3 supports IP addresses in both IPv4 and IPv6 formats.
- DvR DvR functionality is configured on the VLAN.

NOTE: Virtual Routing is only supported on VSP devices.

Virtual Routing Enable

Indicates whether virtual routing is enabled for the VLAN.

Virtual Routing Address

The IP address for the virtual routing interface. The Virtual Routing address must be in the same subnet as the VLAN subnet address.

VRRP ID

An identifier devices use to determine peer devices that participate in a virtual routing interface.

VRRP Priority

A value used by VRRP peers to determine the role of each of the devices in the VLAN. The default value is 100. The device with the largest value is assigned the role of Master. For example, in a VLAN with two routers, one with a VRRP Priority of 200 and one with a VRRP Priority of 100, the router with a VRRP Priority of 200 becomes the Master. In the event of identical priority numbers, the devices use the MAC address to determine priority.

VRRP Backup Master

This option determines if the backup router is able to forward traffic independently outside of the VLAN (enabled), or must forward the traffic to the Master router before it is forwarded outside of the VLAN (disabled).

VRRP Advertisement Interval

Indicates frequency (in seconds) that protocol packets are sent from the virtual router in the VLAN.

VRRP Hold Down Timer

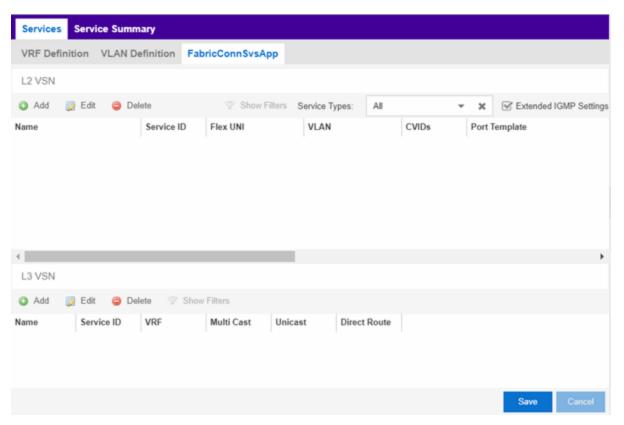
Indicates the amount of time (in hundredths of a second) that the backup router waits for the primary router to respond before it becomes the primary router.

Service Application Name

The **Service Application Name** tab displays all of the services included in a service application or all of the services included in a service definition, depending if you select a service application or a service definition in the left-panel, respectively. The Services tab is included in the **Sites** tab.

Services are created within service applications. You can include multiple services within an application. Service applications are then included within service definitions. You can also include multiple service applications within a service definition. A service definition that includes a complete set of services is then assigned to a site, which configures the fabric-enabled devices within that site.

The **Services** tab is only configurable when you select a service application. The services displayed when selecting a service definition are read-only.



L2 VSN

Name

The name of the Layer 2 service.

Service ID

The I-SID, which is the system-defined ID number assigned to the fabric service.

Flex UNI

Indicates that the fabric service is using the User-Network-Interface (UNI).

The following interface types are available:

- Switched A VLAN-ID and a given port (VID, port) maps to a Layer 2 VSN I-SID. With this UNI type, VLAN-IDs can be reused on other ports and therefore mapped to different ISIDs.
- Transparent —A physical port maps to a Layer 2 VSN I-SID (all traffic through that port, 802.1Q tagged or untagged, ingress and egress is mapped to the I-SID). Note: All VLANs on a Transparent Port UNI interface now share the same single MAC learning table of the Transparent Port UNI I-SID.

VLAN

The VLAN assigned to the fabric service.

CVIDs

Specifies the customer VLAN ID of the associated switched UNI port.

Port Template

Use the drop-down list to determine the purpose of the port:

- Access Select this option if the port connects to user end-systems.
- Interswitch You can also manually select this option if the port is used to connect to other switches. This option is selected by default if the port detects neighboring switches that are configurable.
- Management Select this option if the port is used to manage network traffic with ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine.
- AP Select this option if the port is used to connect with a networking device that allows a Wi-Fi device to connect to a wired network.
- Phone Select this option if the port is used to connect to a telephone.
- Router Select this option if the port is used to connect to a router.

- **Printer** Select this option if the port is used to connect to a printer.
- Security Select this option if the port is used to connect to a device or devices that have been configured with security or advanced security settings.
- **IoT** Select this option if the port is used to connect to an additional wireless "smart" device.
- Other Select this option if the port is used to connect to any other device.

DVR Enable

Select to enable distributed virtual routing.

IMPORTANT: A device on which you enable DVR Leaf mode does not support all ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine features. DVR Leaf mode is a constrained operating mode for the device and previous configurations defined on a device may no longer function properly.

DVR Gateway

Enter the gateway address of the DVR device.

Multicast Snooping

Select to configure the service to listen to Internet Group Management Protocol (IGMP) network traffic. The feature allows a network switch to listen in on the IGMP conversation between hosts and routers.

Multicast Routing

Select to configure the service to distribute data to multiple recipients. Using multicast, a source can send a single copy of data to a single multicast address, which is then distributed to an entire group of recipients.

IGMP Version

The version of IGMP the service is using: Version 1, 2, or 3.

IGMP Querier

Enter the address of the IGMP Querier. Use this feature when there is no multicast router in the VLAN to originate the queries.

13 VSN

Name

The name of the Layer 3 service.

Service ID

The I-SID, which is the system-defined ID number assigned to the service.

VRF

Select the virtual routing and forwarding definition included as part of the service.

Multi Cast

Select to indicate that the service sends IP packets to a group of hosts on the network.

Unicast

Select to indicate that the service sends IP packets to a single recipient on the network.

Direct Route

Select to indicate that the service sends IP packets directly to another device without going through a third device.

Related Information

For information on related topics:

- Service Summary
- Fabric
- Sites

Fabric

The ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Fabric technology is a solution to manage your domains seamlessly and interdependently across both physical and virtual servers, storage, and networks. It is designed to be highly efficient, flexible enough to adapt to your network's varying traffic volume, and easily maintained with minimal intervention. You can provision Fabric functionality on the **Sites** tab in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine.

For additional information about Fabric functionality, see the *Configuring Fabric Basics and Layer 2 Services on VSP Operating System Software VSP 8600* guide for the latest VSP 8600 release.

ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine's fabric solution consists of two major components:

- Fabric Manager A virtual engine that provides ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine with fabric topology information and allows you to configure fabric functionality on your fabric-enabled devices.
- Fabric Tab The tab within ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine that allows you to view and configure the fabric functionality on your devices.

NOTE: Beginning with ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine version 8.5.5, the Ubuntu Operating System has upgraded to version 18.04.5 for the Fabric Manager.

The Fabric Manager engine must be installed and running on your network for the **Fabric** tab in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine to receive and display fabric topology information.

Once the Fabric Manager engine is running in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine, the **Fabric** tab on the **Devices** tab displays information about the fabric topologies currently configured on your devices.

NOTES: The following device types support fabric functionality:

ERS35xx with firmware version 5.3.7 and later, ERS36xx with firmware version 6.2.0 and later, ERS48xx with firmware version 5.12.0 and later, ERS49xx with firmware version 7.6.0 and later, ERS59xx with firmware version 7.6.0 and later, VSP7024 with firmware version 10.4.6 and later, VSP4xxx with firmware version 6.1.3 and later, VSP7xxx with firmware version 6.1.3 and later, VSP8xxx with firmware version 6.1.3 and later

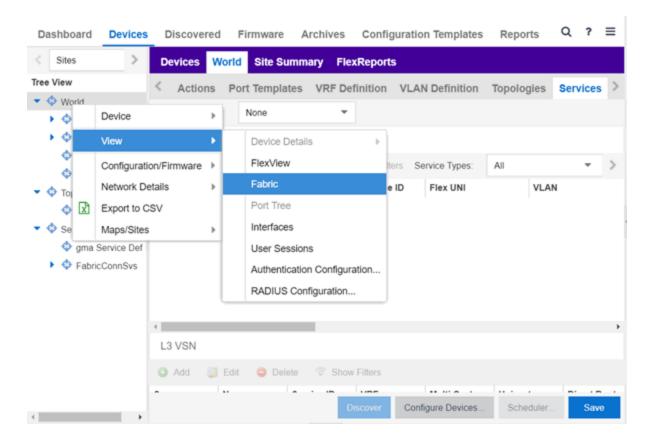
For minimum requirements, see ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Configuration and Requirements.

Accessing Fabric in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine

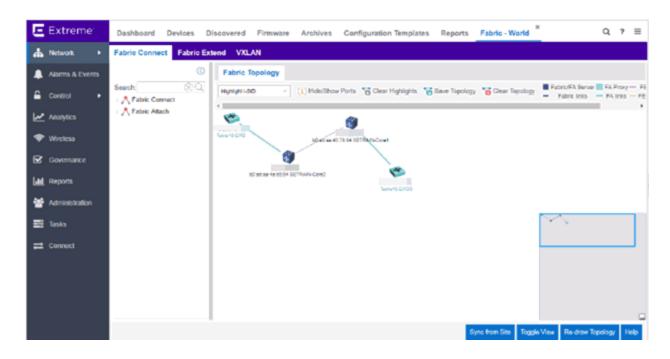
After adding the Fabric Manager engine in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine, view the fabric topologies configured on your devices on the **Fabric** tab.

To access the **Fabric** tab:

- 1. Open the **Devices** tab.
- 2. Select **Sites** from the left-panel drop-down list.
- 3. Right-click a site in the left-panel tree.
- 4. Select View > Fabric from the menu.



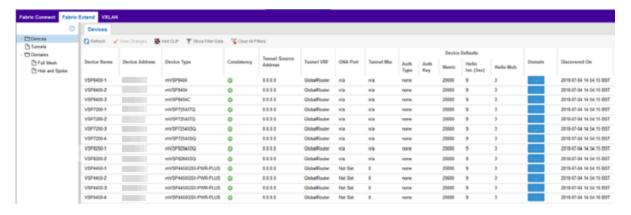
The Fabric tab opens.



Fabric Tab

The Fabric tab includes three sub-tabs:

- Fabric Connect Displays the fabric topologies configured on your fabric-enabled devices.
- Fabric Extend Allows you to extend fabric functionality to include Layer 2 and Layer 3 core networks.



• VXLAN — Allows you to configure a Virtual Extensible LAN (VXLAN) to tunnel Layer 2 traffic over a Layer 3 network in the fabric topologies you configure.

Related Information

For information on related topics:

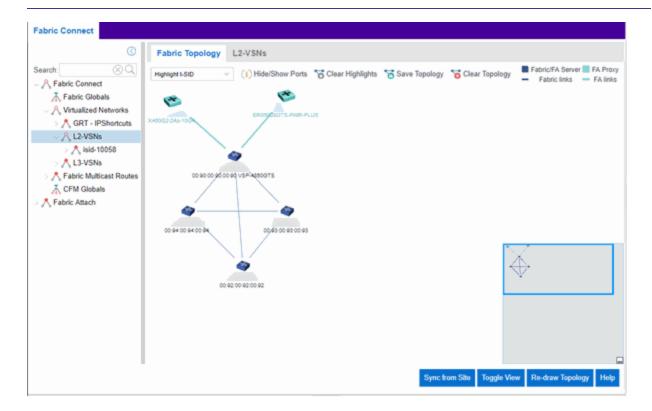
- Services
- Service Summary
- Fabric Connect
- Fabric Assist
- Sites
- Devices

Fabric Connect

ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine's **Fabric Connect** within the Fabric Manager engine displays your network's fabric technology and extended fabric functionality. Fabric Connect uses Fabric Topology templates that allow you to view and to configure SPBm (Shortest Path Bridging), based L2 and L3 Virtual Services Networks (VSNs), as well as IP-shortcut based VSNs. The Fabric Attach extends Fabric technology functionality to network elements or hosts that are not SPB-capable.

The Fabric Connect tab allows you to view and configure topologies with the fabric-enabled sites in your network. Select the **Toggle View** button to display fabric services for individual devices.

NOTE: Fabric Connect uses Fabric Topology templates that define the topologies, services and service applications that comprise the Fabric Topology. Create the topology and service definitions via the **Sites** tab before you assign the Fabric Connect Topology to a site and access the **Fabric Connect** tab.



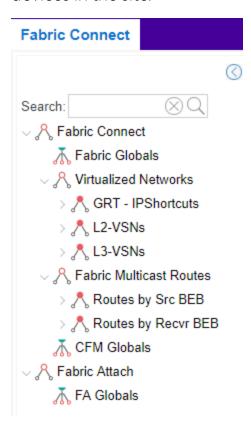
The Fabric Connect tab is divided into two sections: the <u>left-panel tree</u> view and a Fabric Topology right-panel map view.

Left-Panel Tree

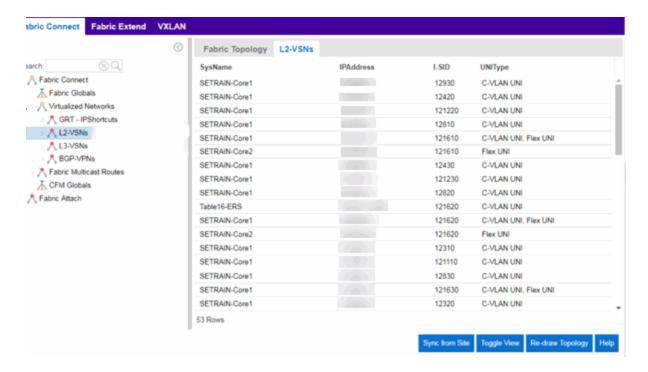
Beginning in version 21.04.10, ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine supports two Fabric technology infrastructures: Fabric Connect and Fabric Attach (FA). The left-panel tree includes Fabric Connect and Fabric Attach folders that expand to display all fabric services you have configured in your network.

Fabric Connect Folder

Select the Fabric Connect tab to display the fabric topologies configured on the devices in the site.



Select a service in the Fabric Connect folder to open a fabric topology map and a service name tab in the right panel. The map displays the devices enabled with the services you selected and the service name tab displays a table with details about that service.



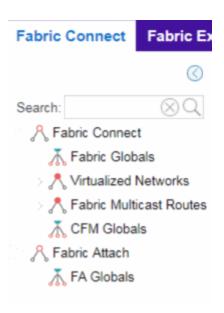
Select the **Toggle View** button to display Fabric Connect fabric services for individual devices.

Fabric Attach Folder

The Fabric Attach (FA) extends Fabric technology functionality to network devices that are not SPB-capable. The Fabric Attach tab displays global, server and proxy capable services for your network and devices.

NOTE: You can enable Fabric Attach on the following switches:

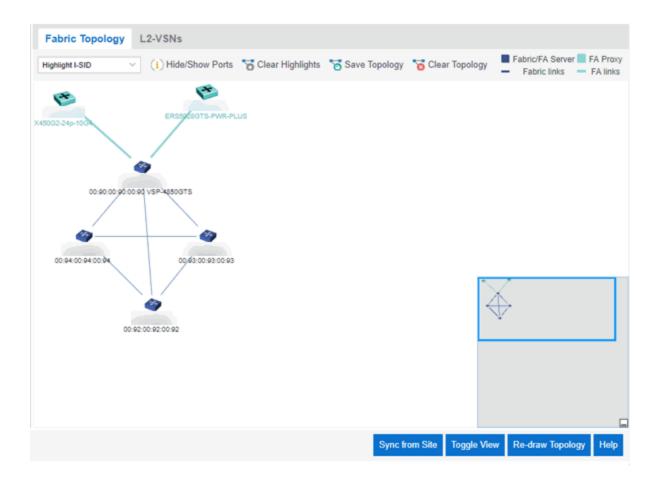
FA Server — for VOSS, ERS 49xx v5.9.2 and later, ERS 4850 v5.9.2 and later, and ERS 59xx series devices; FA Proxy (client proxy) — for ERS 35xx, ERS 48xx, ERS 49xx, ERS 55xx, ERS 56xx, ERS 59xx, and VSP 70xx series devices; FA Standalone Proxy (client proxy) — for ERS 35xx, ERS 48xx, ERS 55xx, ERS 56xx, ERS 59xx, and VSP 70xx series devices



Select a service in the Fabric Attach folder to open a fabric topology map and a VSN tab in the right panel. The map displays the devices enabled with the service you selected and the VSN Home tab displays a table with details about the VSNs enabled on the site. Select the **Toggle View** button to display Fabric Attach services for individual devices.

Right-Panel Topology Map

The Fabric Topology panel includes the **Fabric Topology** tab that displays a topology map of the fabric-enabled sites or devices in your network. You can use the topology map to gain a high-level view of your network, or to view detailed information about devices and links in the topology. Drag your device icons in the topology map to rearrange the map. Additionally, you can modify and save your map layouts in the Fabric Topology tab.



Topology Tab Tools

The Fabric Topology tab includes the following tools:

Fabric Service Highlight I-SID

Lists fabric services in your network. Select a service from the drop-down list to display it in the topology map.

Hide/Show Ports (1) Hide/Show Ports

Use to hide or display fabric enabled ports in your network.

Clear Highlights 6 Clear Highlights

Use to clear existing highlights on the topology map.

Save Topology Save Topology

Use to save your topology map.

Clear Topology Glear Topology

Use to remove the devices in your topology map.



The types of fabric services are coded by colors in the topology map.

Topology Tab Buttons

The Fabric Topology tab also includes the following buttons that allow you to further manipulate the fabric service and topology data:

Sync From Site

Use to copy the fabric service configuration for the site to all the devices in the map.

Toggle View

Select to display fabric topology, services and tables for individual devices.

Re-draw Topology

Select to display an alternate topology arrangement.

Help

Select to access ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine help.

Related Information

For information on related topics:

- Services
- Service Summary
- Sites
- Devices
- Fabric Assist

Fabric Manager ZTP+ Configuration

Fabric Manager is a resilient, scalable, and highly efficient network management application that allows your network domains to operate interdependently, efficiently, and with minimal intervention. Fabric Manager allows you to monitor the fabric topology and service applications on your network.

Fabric Manager is deployed as a separate virtual machine (VM) in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine, and is enabled via ZTP+ (Zero Touch Provisioning Plus) functionality.

General Network Configuration

Fabric Manager supports two initial configuration modes for ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine discovery and registration: DHCP mode and Static mode. DHCP is the default configuration mode.

Use the Static mode when providing a predefined set of networking configurations.

Use the DHCP mode so the engine can communicate with the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine server. The following DHCP settings and DNS mapping of extremecontrol are for when Fabric Manager is installed in DHCP Mode:

- The DHCP Server needs to return a DNS Server and Domain Name to the ZTP+ device. It is the default mode of configuration during the Fabric Manager VM's initial bootup cycle.
- The DNS Server needs to map the name **extremecontrol.**domain-name to the IP address of the ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine server.

Once ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine and the ZTP+ device are pre-configured, you can add the site definition to the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine database. For information, see How to Add Fabric Manager.

Related Information

For information on related topics:

- Sites
- Profiles
- Add Device
- Edit Device
- Devices

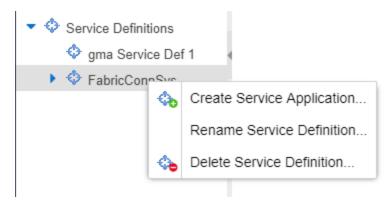
How to Create a Service Application

You can create a service application via the **Sites** tab in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine. Service definitions display information from service applications. Once created, service applications are added to sites in your network and are used to build a topology map.

Create a Service Application

To create a service application:

- 1. Access the **Devices** tab.
- 2. Select **Sites** from the left-panel drop-down list.
- 3. Expand Service Definitions in the left-panel.
- 4. Right-click the service definition in which you want to create the service application.



5. Click Create Service Application.

The Create Service Application window opens.

- 6. Enter a name in the **Name** field.
- 7. Click OK.
- 8. Click the newly created service application.
- 9. Use the <u>Services</u> tab and a Service Summary tab to configure the service application.

The service application is created. Once the service application is created and configured, you can <u>apply</u> it to a site within your network. Once services have been assigned to a site, they cannot be deleted.

NOTE: A Service Application must have the same fabric type as its associated Service Definition. For example, if a Service Definition is created with Fabric Connect type, it can only have Service Applications of Fabric Connect type. Currently, Fabric Connect is the only fabric type available.

Once the service application is created, it is available in the left-panel tree and a new right panel opens that includes a <u>Services</u> tab and a <u>Service Summary</u> tab.

Rename a Service Application

To change the name of a service application:

- 1. Open the **Devices** tab.
- 2. Select **Sites** from the left-panel tree drop-down list.
- 3. Expand **Service Definitions** in the left-panel.
- 4. Right-click the service application you are renaming.

Rename Service Application...

Delete Service Application...

- 5. Click Rename Service Application.
- 6. Enter a new name in the **Name** field.
- 7. Click **OK** to change the name of the service application.

Delete a Service Application

You can delete all user-defined service applications, unless the service application or any of its associated service definitions are assigned to a site.

Rename Service Application...

Delete Service Application...

To delete a service application:

- 1. Open the **Devices** tab.
- 2. Select **Sites** from the left-panel drop-down list.
- 3. Expand **Service Definitions** in the left-panel.
- 4. Right-click the service application you are deleting.
- 5. Click Delete Service Application.
- 6. Click **Yes** to delete the service application.

Related Information

For information on related topics:

- Services
- Fabric
- Sites
- Devices

How to Add Fabric Manager

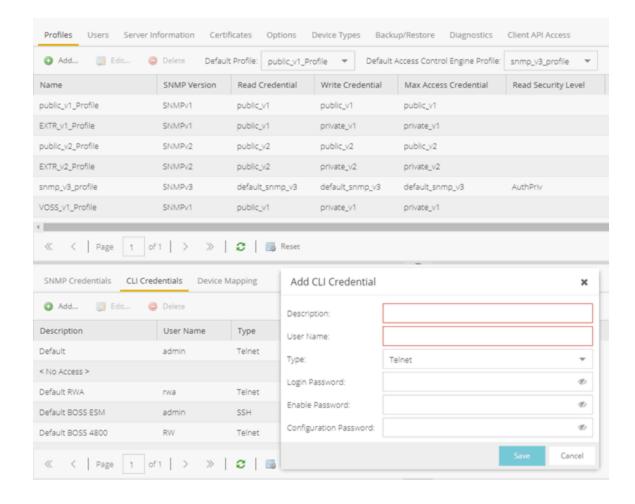
Once you install the Fabric Manager virtual machine (VM), you can add it to ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine and enable it via ZTP+ (Zero Touch Provisioning Plus) functionality.

Adding Fabric Manager to ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine

Prior to adding the Fabric Manager engine, you must create an Administration Profile for the Fabric Manager with CLI credentials. Fabric Manager uses the Administrator Profile as an additional user account.

Add CLI Credentials

- 1. Launch ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine.
- 2. Open the Administration > Profiles tab.
- 3. In the bottom panel, select the CLI Credentials tab.



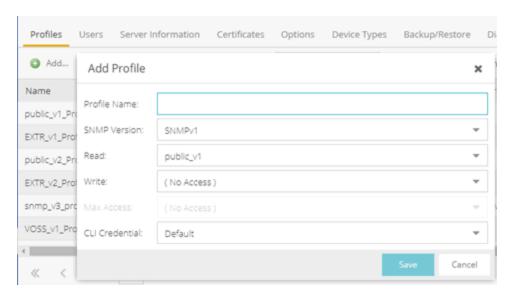
- 4. Select the Add button (Add.) to open the Add CLI Credential window.
- 5. Enter a name for the CLI Credential in the **Description** field.
- 6. Enter root in the User Name field.
- 7. Select SSH from the Type drop-down list.
- 8. Enter a password in the **Login Password** field.

 This password must be the same password that you provided in Step 2b of the Fabric Manager Installation Static Mode topic.

- 9. Enter a password in the **Enable Password** field.
- 10. Enter a password in the **Configuration Password** field.
- 11. Click Save.

Create Administration Profile

1. At the top of the **Profiles** tab, select the **Add** button (Add) to open the **Add** Profile window.



- 2. In the **Profile Name** field, enter a name for this profile.
- 3. In the **SNMP Version** field, select **SNMPv1**. Fabric Manager does not use SNMP; the SNMP credentials here are just placeholders.
- 4. In the Read field, select Ping Only.
- 5. In the Write field, select either No Access or Ping Only.
- 6. In the **CLI Credential** field, select the same CLI Credential that you created in Step 4 of the Add CLI Credentials topic.
- 7. Select Save.

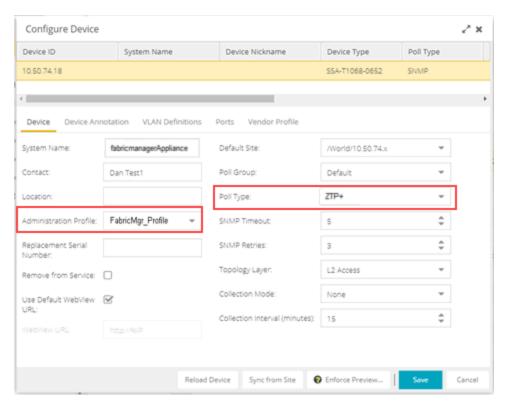
Add Administration Profile to the Fabric Manager engine

1. Open the **Network > Discovered** tab in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine.

NOTE: The Fabric Manager appears as a device on the **Discovered** tab. It is listed with a **Status** of **ZTP+ Pending Edit**, indicating the configuration needs to be edited before adding it to the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine server.

2. Right-click the new Fabric Manager file and select **Configure Devices** tab from the drop-down list.

The Configure Device window opens.



- 3. Select the profile you created from the Administration Profile drop-down list.
- 4. Select **ZTP+** from the **Poll Type** drop-down list.
- 5. Click the ZTP+ Device Settings tab in the Configure Device window.
- 6. Configure the fields on the <u>ZTP+ Device Settings tab</u> to determine how the Fabric Manager is managed by ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine using ZTP+ functionality.

ZTP+ Discovery

Once the ZTP+ discovery process is complete, the Fabric Manager engine is added to the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine database and moves from the **Network > Discovered** tab to the **Network > Devices** tab. The ZTP+ discovery process may take up to five minutes to complete.

NOTES: If you did not select **Automatically Add Devices** on the **Site** tab, the Fabric Manager engine remains on the **Discovered** tab with a **Status** of **ZTP+ Complete**. Select the file, click the **Add Devices** button (the **Add Device** window appears), and click the **Add** button to add the device to the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine database.

In the event a configuration is not correctly transmitted to the switch or if connectivity is lost during any part of this process, the file resets and allows the process to restart.

The Fabric Manager engine **Status** (displayed on the **Discovered** tab) is now **ZTP+ Staged**, indicating ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine will push the configuration to the device the next time the device contacts ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine.

When ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine pushes the configuration to the Fabric Manager engine, the **Status** is **ZTP+ Complete**.

Related Information

- ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine Fabric
- Fabric Connect

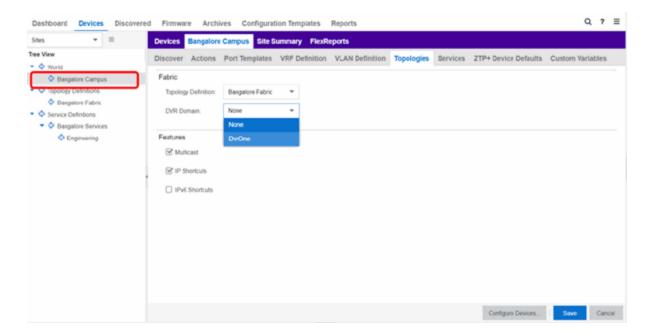
Applying Fabric Services

Once you have created and configured your fabric topology, service and service application services, you can apply them to sites within your network. Once fabric topology and services have been assigned to a site, they cannot be deleted.

NOTE: <u>Services</u> not assigned to a service definition (where NONE has been selected) can be deleted from a site after they have been assigned to that site.

Applying a Fabric Topology to a Site

- 1. Open the **Network > Devices** tab.
- 2. Select **Sites** from the left-panel tree drop-down list.
- 3. Select a site in the left-panel tree.
- 4. Select the site name tab in the **Devices** sub-tab.

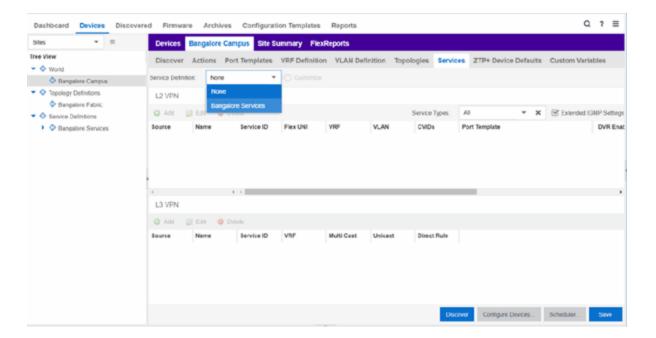


- 5. Select the **Topologies** tab.
- 6. Select the topology you want to apply to the site from the **Topology Definition** drop-down list.
- 7. Select the DVR Domain from the DVR Domain drop-down list.
- 8. Select the check boxes in the **Features** section to include the features you want to assign to the topology.
- 9. Select Save.

NOTE: Only one Fabric Topology and one DVR Domain can be assigned a site in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine.

Applying a Service Application to a Site

- 1. Open the **Network > Devices** tab.
- 2. Select **Sites** from the left-panel tree drop-down list.
- 3. Click a site in the left-panel tree.
- 4. Click the site name tab in the **Devices** sub-tab.



- 5. Select the **Services** tab.
- 6. Select the service definition you want to apply to the site from the **Service Definition** drop-down list. The service application details that you configured to the service definition display in the L2 VPN and L3 VPN tables.
- 7. Select **Save** to apply the services to the site.

Applying Fabric to Port Templates

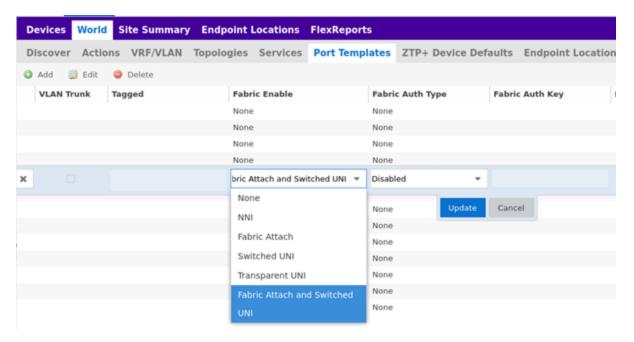
The Port Templates Configuration window enables you to configure ports with a Fabric role. Once complete, you can apply the Port Templates configuration to a device.

ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine supports the following Fabric roles:

- None
- NNI
- Fabric Attach
- Switched UNI
- Transparent UNI
- Fabric Attach and Switched UNI

NOTE: The Fabric Attach (FA) and Switched UNI (S-UNI) option means that the port is configured for both features, but only one feature is active at any one time. The mode is determined by which mapping request the port receives first (FA or S-UNI). Ports receive mapping requests via LLDP TLVs.

The following screen capture shows the Port Templates window, which you can access from either the World view or from a specific Site.



Use the following steps to configure a port template:

- 1. Open the **Network > Devices** tab.
- 2. Select World or a specific Site, and then the Port Templates tab.
- 3. Select a template, and then the Edit (button.
- 4. Under Fabric Enable, select a fabric mode.
- 5. Under Fabric Auth Type, select an authentication type.

- 6. Under Fabric Auth Key, select an authentication key if available.
- 7. Select Save

Applying Fabric to Ports

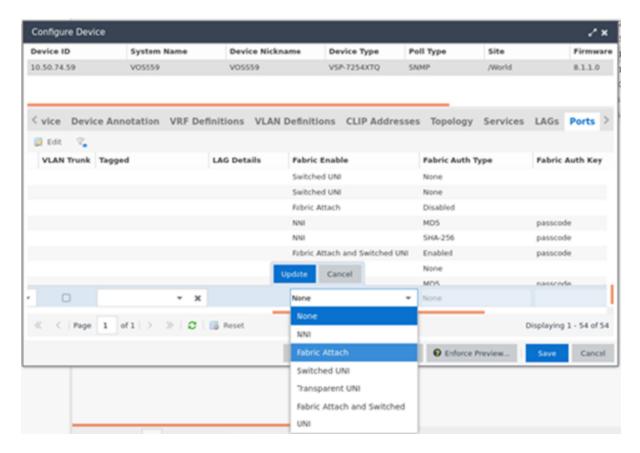
The Port Configuration window enables you to edit the fabric information about the ports on a device.

ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine supports the following Fabric roles:

- None
- NNI
- Fabric Attach
- Switched UNI
- Transparent UNI
- Fabric Attach and Switched UNI

NOTE: The Fabric Attach (FA) and Switched UNI (S-UNI) option means that the port is configured for both features, but only one feature is active at any one time. The mode is determined by which mapping request the port receives first (FA or S-UNI). Ports receive mapping requests via LLDPTLVs.

The following screen capture shows the Port Templates window, which you can access from either the World view or from a specific Site.



Use the following steps to configure a port template:

- 1. Open the **Network > Devices** tab.
- 2. Select Devices.
- 3. Select the **Menu** icon (**■**) or right-click on a device.
- 4. Select **Configure**. The Configure Device window opens.
- 5. Select Ports.
- 6. Select a port, and then the Edit (button.
- 7. Under Fabric Enable, select a fabric mode.
- 8. Under Fabric Auth Type, select an authentication type.
- 9. Under Fabric Auth Key, select an authentication key if available.
- 10. Select Save.

Applying Fabric Services to a Device

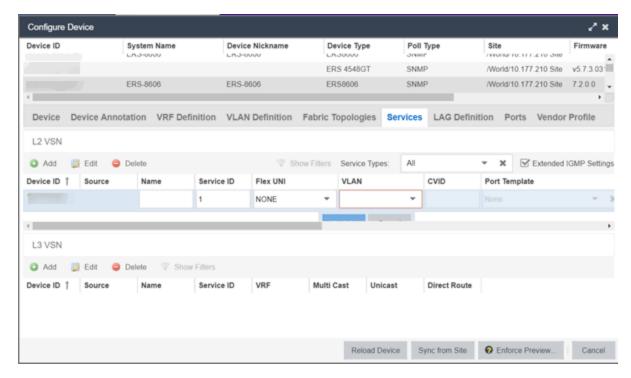
Once you have applied fabric topologies and services to a site, you can also apply the fabric services to devices assigned to that site.

Applying Fabric Topology to a Device

- 1. Open the **Network > Devices** tab.
- 2. Select Sites from the left-panel tree drop-down list.
- 3. Right-click a site in the left-panel tree.
- 4. Click **Configure Device** from the drop-down list. The **Configure Device** window opens.
- 5. Click the Fabric Topologies tab.
- 6. Click the **Sync from Site** button to populate the tab with the fabric topology details you applied to the site. The topology details you applied to the site will be applied to the device, as long as the device you have selected is assigned to the same site.
- 7. To populate the tab manually, click the **Enable Fabric** checkbox.
- 8. Select a **Fabric Role** from the drop-down list.
- 9. Enter a system ID number in the **System ID** field.
- 10. Enter a nickname in the SPBM Nickname field.
- 11. Check the Multicast checkbox, if needed.
- 12. Check the IP Shortcuts checkbox, if needed.
- 13. Enter the system name in the **System Name** field.
- 14. Click the **Enforce Preview** button.

Applying Fabric Services to a Device

- 1. Open the **Network > Devices** tab.
- 2. Select **Sites** from the left-panel tree drop-down list.
- 3. Right-click a site in the left-panel tree.
- 4. Click **Configure Device** from the drop-down list. The **Configure Device** window opens.



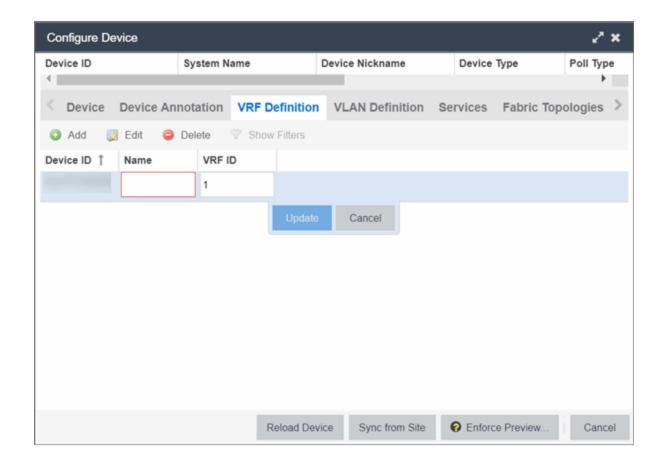
- 5. Click the **Services** tab. The service details that you configured to the site display in the L2 VPN and L3 VPN tables.
- 6. Click the **Sync from Site** button to populate the tab with the fabric service details you applied to the site. The service details you applied to the site will be applied to the device, as long as the device you have selected is assigned to the same site.
- 7. Click the Add (Add.) button to add an L2 VSN or L3 VSN service to the device.
- 8. Click the Edit (button to edit service details that were populated from the site.
- 9. Click the **Enforce Preview** button.

NOTE: The L3VPN table is disabled when the device is set as a DVR Leaf node.

Adding and Deleting VRF Definitions

- 1. Open the **Network > Devices tab**.
- 2. Select **Sites** from the left-panel tree drop-down list.
- 3. Right-click a site in the left-panel tree.

- 4. Click **Configure Device** from the drop-down list. The **Configure Device** window opens.
- 5. Click the VRF Definition tab.



The VRF Definition tab in the Configure Device window displays read-only VRF details you applied to the site. You can add a new VRF to the device.

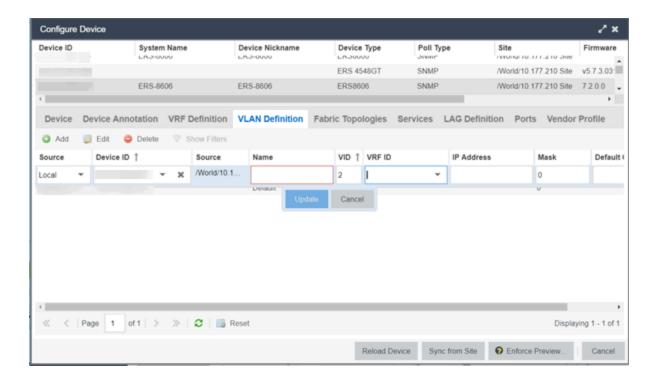
- 1. Click the Add (Add.) button.
- 2. Enter the name of a VRF in the Name field.
- 3. Enter the ID number in the VRF ID field.
- 4. Click **Update** to add the VRF to the device.
- 5. Click the **Enforce Preview** button.

You can delete a VRF from the VRF Definition tab.

- 1. Select a VRF in the table.
- 2. Click the **Delete** (Delete) button.
- 3. Click Yes to remove the VRF.

Adding and Deleting VLAN Definitions

- 1. Open the **Network > Devices** tab.
- 2. Select **Sites** from the left-panel tree drop-down list.
- 3. Right-click a site in the left-panel tree.
- 4. Click **Configure Device** from the drop-down list. The **Configure Device** window opens.
- 5. Click the **VLAN Definition** tab.



The VLAN Definition tab in the Configure Device window displays read-only VLAN details you applied to the site. You can add a new VLAN to the device.

- 1. Click the Add (Add.) button.
- 2. Enter the name of a VLAN in the Name field.
- 3. Enter the ID number in the VLAN ID field.
- 4. Click **Update** to add the VLAN to the device.
- 5. Click the **Enforce Preview** button.

You can delete a VLAN from the VLAN Definition tab.

- 1. Select a VLAN in the table.
- 2. Click the **Delete** (Delete) button.
- 3. Click Yes to remove the VLAN.

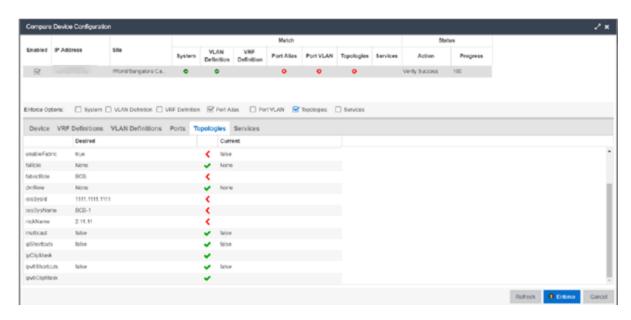
Enforcing the Fabric Configurations

Once you enforce previews on the **Topologies**, **Services**, and **VRF Definitions** tabs, use the **Compare Device Configuration** window to enforce the configurations to the device. Additionally, the **VLAN Definition** tab allows you to enforce the **VLAN** and **Ports** fabric configurations.

Enforcing Fabric Topology

1. Click **Enforce Preview** on the **Topologies** tab in the **Configure Device** window.

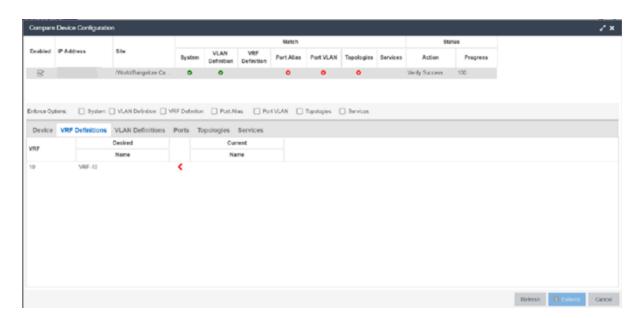
2. The Compare Device window opens.



- 3. Click the Topologies Enforce Option.
- 4. Click Enforce.

Enforcing Fabric VRF

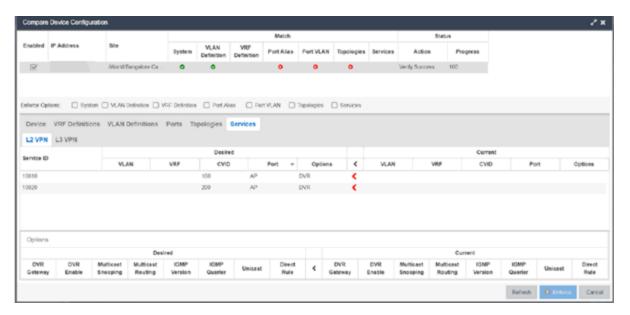
- 1. Click Enforce Preview on the VRF tab in the Configure Device window.
- 2. The **Compare Device** window opens.



- 3. Click the VRF Definition tab.
- 4. Click Enforce.

Enforcing Fabric Services

- 1. Click **Enforce Preview** on the **Services** tab in the **Configure Device** window.
- 2. The Compare Device window opens.

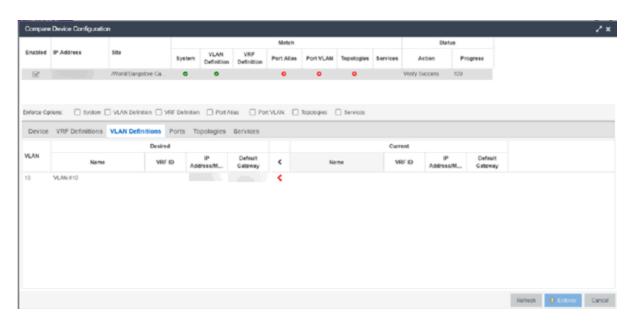


- 3. Click the Services Enforce Option.
- 4. Click the L2 VPN tab.
- 5. Click Enforce.
- 6. Click the L3 VPN tab.
- 7. Click Enforce.

Enforcing Fabric VLAN

1. Click Enforce Preview on the VLAN tab in the Configure Device window.

2. The Compare Device window opens.

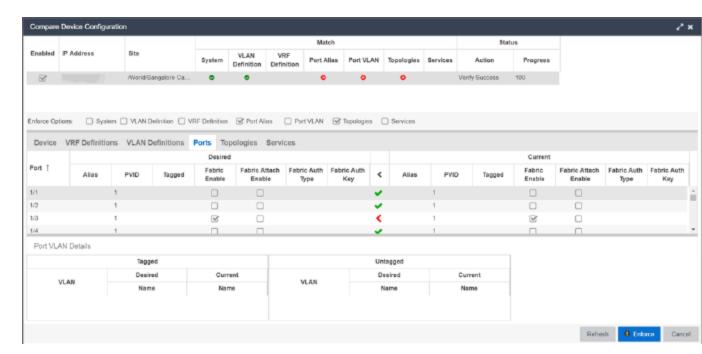


- 3. Click the VLAN Definition Enforce Option.
- 4. Click Enforce.

Enforcing Fabric Port

1. Click **Enforce Preview** on the **Ports** tab in the **Configure Device** window.

2. The Compare Device window opens.



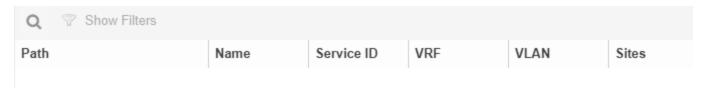
- 3. Click the Ports Enforce Option.
- 4. Click Enforce.

Related Information

- Services
- Fabric
- Sites
- Devices

Service Summary

The **Service Summary** tab displays a summary of the fabric services <u>you create</u> and the sites to which they are assigned.



Path

The path to the Service Application in which the service is located.

Name

The name of the fabric service included in the service application or definition.

Service ID

The I-SID, which is the system-defined ID number assigned to the service.

VRF

The ID number assigned to the VRF definition.

VLAN

The ID number assigned to the VLAN.

Sites

The site to which the fabric service is assigned.

Related Information

For information on related topics:

- Services
- Fabric
- Sites

Fabric Topology Definition on the Sites Tab

Use the **Fabric Topology Definition** tab to <u>create</u> a fabric topology definition, <u>configure</u> fabric topology settings, and <u>review</u> fabric topology paths and sites. You can also <u>rename</u> or <u>delete</u> a fabric topology definition.

Create a Topology Definition

You can create a <u>Topology Definition</u> on the **Sites** tab in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine. Once you create topology definitions, you can add them to sites in your network to build a fabric topology map.

To create a topology definition:

- 1. Access the **Devices** tab.
- 2. Select **Sites** from the left-panel drop-down list.
- 3. Navigate to **Topology Definitions** in the left-panel tree.
- 4. Right-click **Topology Definitions**.
- 5. Select Create Topology Definition.



The Create Topology Definition window opens.

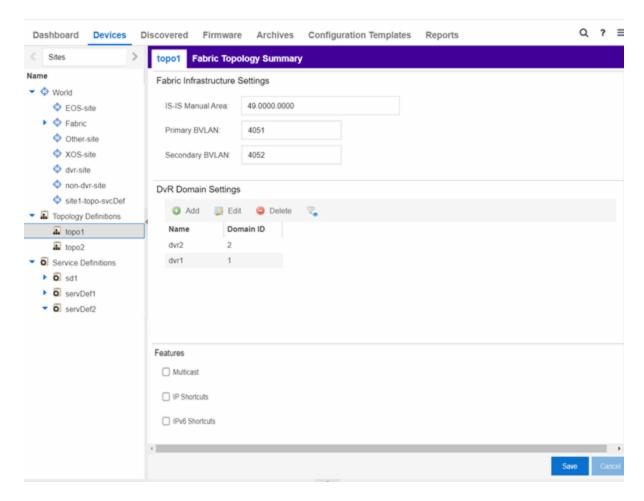
- 6. Enter a name in the Name field.
- 7. Select **Fabric Connect** from the **Fabric Type** drop-down.
- 8. Select **OK** to create the topology definition.

Configure a Topology Definition

Once the topology definition is created, it is available in the **Sites tab** left-panel tree. Select it to open a new right panel that includes the <u>Fabric Name tab</u> and a <u>Fabric Summary tab</u>.

Fabric Name Tab

Use the Fabric Name tab to configure the topology definition.



The Topology Definition tab includes the following sections:

Fabric Infrastructure Settings

The following fields are included in the Fabric Infrastructure Settings section:

- ISIS Manual Area Use a xx.xxxx.xxxx.xxxx.xxxx.xxxx format (1-13 bytes).
- Primary BVLAN Enter the Primary Backbone VLAN (BVLAN).
- Secondary BVLAN Enter the Secondary BVLAN.

DvR Domain Settings

The following fields are included in the <u>DvR Domain Settings</u> section:

Name - The Domain name assigned to the DvR Domain. Select the down arrow
to open the drop-down list to access <u>sort</u>, <u>hide columns</u> and <u>search filter</u>
functionality for the domain name column.

• Domain ID - The identifying number assigned to the DvR Domain. Select the down arrow to open the drop-down list to access <u>sort</u>, <u>hide columns</u> and <u>numeric filter</u> functionality for the Domain ID column.

You can also Add, Edit, or Delete DvR Domain settings.

Features

The following fields are included in the Features section:

- Multicast Select the check box to configure to distribute data to multiple recipients.
- IP Shortcuts Select the check box to enable IPv4 Shortcuts for the topology definition.
- IPv6 Shortcuts Select the check box to enable IPv6 Shortcuts for the topology definition.

Select Save to save the topology definition settings you selected.

Once the topology definition is created and configured, you can <u>apply</u> it to a site within your network. Once fabric topologies have been assigned to a site, they cannot be deleted.

Fabric Summary tab

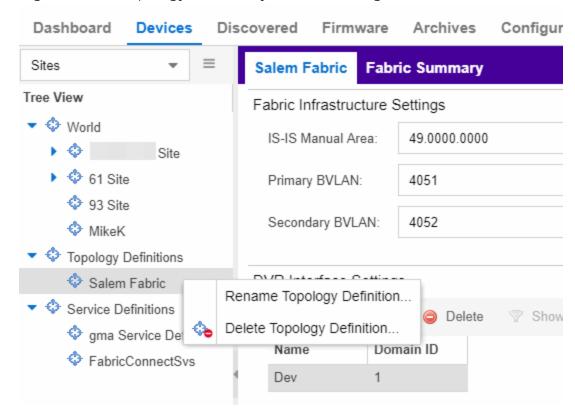
The Fabric Summary tab lists any fabric topologies you have created and the sites to which they are assigned.

Rename a Topology Definition

Once a topology definition has been created and configured, you can change or modify its name.

To rename a topology definition:

- 1. Open the **Devices** tab.
- 2. Select **Sites** from the left-panel tree drop-down list.
- 3. Expand **Topology Definitions** in the left-panel.



4. Right-click the topology definition you are renaming.

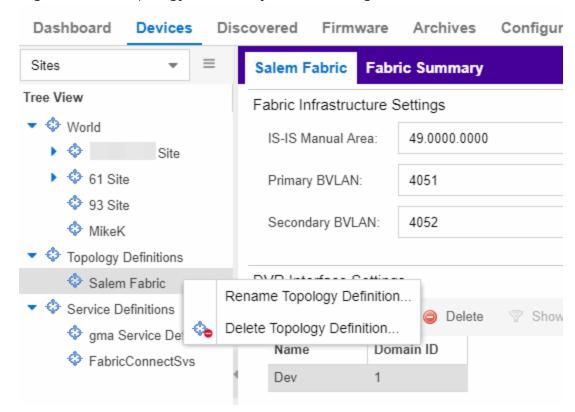
- 5. Click Rename Topology Definition.
- 6. Enter a new name in the Name field.
- 7. Click **OK** to change the topology name.

Delete a Topology Definition

Once a topology definition has been created and configured, you can delete it; however, a topology definition cannot be deleted once it has been assigned to a site.

To delete a topology definition:

- 1. Open the **Devices** tab.
- 2. Select **Sites** from the left-panel tree drop-down list.
- 3. Expand the **Topology Definitions** in the left-panel.



4. Right-click the topology definition you are deleting.

- 5. Click Delete Topology Definition.
- 6. Click **Yes** to delete the topology definition you selected.

Related Information

For information on related topics:

- Services
- Fabric
- Sites
- <u>Devices</u>

How to Create a Fabric Service Definition

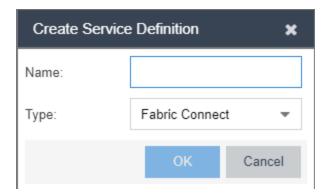
You can create a service definition in the **Sites tab** in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine. Service definitions display information configured in service applications

definitions. Once created, service definitions are added to sites in your network and are used to build a fabric topology map.

Create a Service Definition

To create a service definition:

- 1. Open the **Devices** tab.
- 2. Select Sites from the left-panel drop-down list.
- 3. Select **Service Definitions** in the left-panel.
- 4. Right-click Service Definitions.
- 5. Click Create Service Definition.



The Create Service Definition window opens.

- 6. Enter a name in the Name field.
- 7. Select **Fabric Connect** from the **Type** drop-down list.
- 8. Click **OK** to create the service definition.

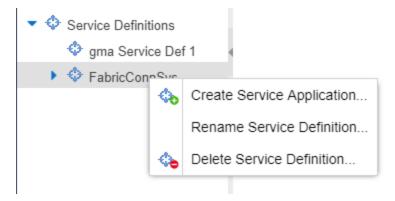
Once the service definition is created and configured, you can <u>apply</u> it to a site within your network. Once fabric services have been assigned to a site, they cannot be deleted.

Service Definition Panel

Once the service definition is created, it is available in the left-panel tree. Click it to open a new right panel that includes a **Services** tab and a **Service Summary** tab.

Rename a Service Definition

Once a service definition has been created and configured, you can change or modify its name.

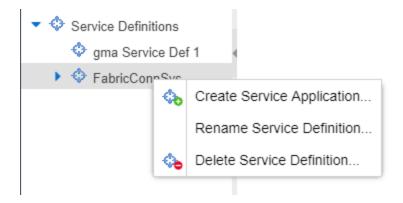


To rename a service definition:

- 1. Open the **Devices** tab.
- 2. Select **Sites** from the left-panel tree drop-down list.
- 3. Expand Service Definitions in the left-panel.
- 4. Right-click the service definition you are renaming.
- 5. Click Rename Service Definition.
- 6. Enter a new name in the Name field.
- 7. Click **OK** to rename the service definition.

Delete a Service Definition

Once a service definition has been created and configured, you can delete it; however, a service definition or any of its associated service applications cannot be deleted once it has been assigned to a site.



To delete a service definition:

- 1. Open the **Devices** tab.
- 2. Select Sites from the left-panel drop-down list.
- 3. Expand Service Definitions in the left-panel.
- 4. Right-click the service definition you are deleting.
- 5. Click Delete Service Definition.
- 6. Click **Yes** to delete a service definition.

Related Information

For information on related topics:

- Services
- Fabric
- Sites
- Devices

Upgrading Fabric Manager

Use the following procedure to upgrade your version Fabric Manager.

Prerequisites

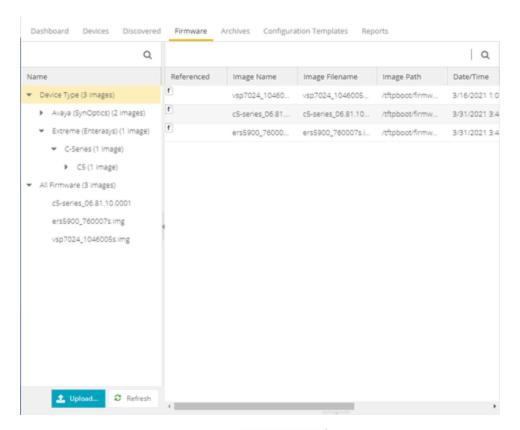
- Upgrade ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine to the later version before you upgrade Fabric Manager to the corresponding build number.
- Ensure that both the current and target ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine and Fabric Manager build numbers are the same.
- Download the latest upgrade bundle from the Extreme Networks software download Portal.
- Change Login Information from Anonymous to appropriate SCP credentials in the SCP Server Properties section in the Administration > Options > Inventory Manager > File Transfer tab.

NOTE: After you deploy Fabric Manager and then register with ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine, only the user credential associated with the Fabric Manager profile has SSH login access.

Upgrade Procedure

1. Open the **Network** tab in ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine.





- 3. On the left panel, select **Upload**
- 4. In the Directory field, select the SCP radio button and select Upload.

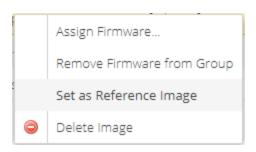


- 5. Select on **Drop files here or select to browse** and select the previously downloaded upgrade bundle.
- 6. Select the **Upload** button to initiate the bundle upload to the ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine server.

Once the upload is completed successfully, if not previously added after selecting the **Refresh** button, a new entry appears under Device Type called Fabric Manager.



- 7. Navigate through the newly added Device type until you see the bundle image listed.
- 8. Right click on the bundle listed on the main panel and select on **Set as Reference Image**.



This step sets this image bundle as the Reference upgrade image for Fabric Manager. The upgrade process to get triggered by default can take **up to five minutes** depending on the poll interval set on ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine.

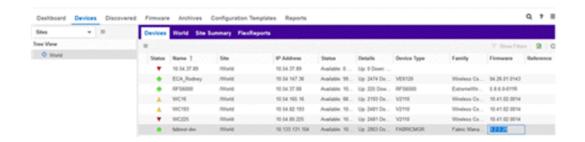
9. Open the **Operations** log on ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine and wait until a log of type 'ZTP+' with the message Successfully upgraded FabricMgr_appliance upgrade bundle <version number>.zip appears.



This is followed by a message Finished without error to indicate the upgrade operation has been completed by the ZTP+.



10. When the upgrade is complete, the details on Fabric Manager are updated to the latest version.



Post Upgrade Steps

- 1. Ensure that the same user credential associated with the Fabric Manager profile has SSH login access.
- 2. Navigate to the previously added and referenced upgrade image and un-reference it by right selecting the bundle and then selecting **Unset as Reference Image**.

Related Information

- ExtremeCloud IQ Site Engine Fabric
- Fabric Connect

Troubleshooting

This troubleshooting guide provides a list of items to check when ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine functionality is failing to perform correctly. Locate a problem in the left column and then review the troubleshooting information in the right column.

Problem	Troubleshooting Steps
Error contacting a wireless controller. The controller shows a Warning icon.	 Verify that the Configuration password in the CLI Credential used for this device is properly configured.
	 a. From ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine, access Administration > Profiles tab.
	b. Select the CLI Credentials subtab.
	 Select the CLI Credential being used by the controller's Profile, and click Edit.
	d. Verify the user name and password used in the credential. For wireless controllers, add the Login password to the Configuration password field instead of the Login password field. The username and Configuration password specified here must match the username and Login password configured on the controller.
	e. Verify the SSH connection type is selected.
	f. Click OK .
	g. Use this CLI Credential in the controller's Profile.
	NOTE: When configuring profiles for ExtremeWireless Controllers, you must ensure that controllers are discovered using an SNMPv2c or SNMPv3 profile. The profile must also contain SSH CLI credentials for the controller. Wireless Manager uses the controller's CLI to retrieve required information and to configure managed controllers.
	 Verify that the following ports are accessible through firewalls for the ExtremeCloud IQ - Site Engine Server and Wireless Controllers to communicate: SSH: 22 SNMP: 161, 162 Langley: 20506