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# **Feature Summary**

The Video Border Proxy (VBP) Series features intelligent, all-in-one networking solutions for enterprises and service providers. These solutions reduce costs by simplifying the deployment, management, and security of converged voice, video, and data networks. The following table lists the important functions provided by each model of the VBP Series:

Function	200 EW	4300, 4350, 4350EW, 4555	5300-E	5300-S & ST	6400-E	6400-S & ST
Resolves NAT/firewall traversal problems by providing an application layer gateway (ALG) that supports voice and H.323 protocols	х	х	х	х	х	х
Protects the enterprise LAN using a stateful packet inspection (SPI) firewall for both H.323 and data traffic	x	х	X		X	
Protects the enterprise LAN using a stateful packet inspection (SPI) firewall for H.323 traffic				X		х
Application-aware firewall dynamically provisions and closes UDP ports used for H.323 calls	x	x	x	X	x	х
Provides NAT and PAT for data that hides enterprise LAN topology	x	x	x		x	
Provides NAT and PAT for H323 that hides enterprise LAN topology	x	x	x	x	x	х
Provides integrated tools to facilitate problem isolation	Х	x	x	х	X	х
Uses a simple web-based GUI for configuration	Х	х	x	х	Х	x
Site-to-site networking using IPSec: 3DES, SHA-1	Х	х				
Performs static IP routing	X	x	X	x	X	х

Supports logging to external syslog servers	Х	х	х	х	Х	х
Function	200 EW	4300, 4350, 4350EW, 4555	5300-E	5300-S & ST	6400-E	6400-S & ST
Provides a DHCP server for enterprise PCs and video devices	х	х	х		х	
Supports Access Proxy – requires H.460 traversal "ST" - S systems will need to be upgraded				x		x
Provides H.460-based traversal support (1)				x		x
Supports up to 1 Mbps of H.323 traffic - or up to 35 Mbps data traffic	x					
Supports up to 3 Mbps of H.323 traffic - or up to line rate for data traffic		x				
Supports up to 10 Mbps of H.323 traffic - or up to line rate for data traffic			X			
Supports up to 25 Mbps of H.323 traffic - or up to line rate for data traffic			x			
Supports up to 25 Mbps of H.323 traffic (2)				x		
Supports up to 85 Mbps of H.323 traffic - or up to line rate for data traffic					x	
Supports up to 200 Mbps of H.323 traffic (2)					x	
Supports up to 85 Mbps of H.323 traffic (2)						x
Supports up to 200 Mbps of H.323 traffic (2)						x
Supports VoIP Traversal TLS External server functionality			x	x	X	x
Supports VoIP Traversal TLS			X	X	X	Х

Internal client functionality Supports VoIP Traversal TLS X X X X X X Remote client functionality Supports T1 and Ethernet WAN X types X X X X X X Supports Ethernet WAN types Supports WAN protocols, X X DHCP, ADSL-PPPoE, Static IP Supports WAN protocols, DHCP, Static IP X X X X Supports up to 16 VLAN's X X X X

- (1) ST models only
- (2) ST models do not support data NAT related features

# **System Configuration**

You can configure the Video Border Proxy (VBP) series appliance to support a wide range of network services and you can enable or disable specific services based on the requirements of your network.

This chapter explains how to configure the VBP series appliance to function in your IP network. You will configure the Ethernet interfaces, network addresses, DNS settings, default gateway, SNMP settings, DHCP services, firewall settings, and change the administrative password.

## Configuring VBP-E Network Settings

Note: Ask your ISP to assign an IP address for the VBP series appliance, an IP address for the gateway, and a preferred and secondary IP address for the DNS server.

## Configure WAN settings

- 1. Choose **Network** from the Configuration Menu.
- 2. Select an Internet connection method.
- 3. When you select a connection method, the page displays the appropriate settings in the WAN Interface Settings area.
  - a. ADSL-PPPoE—Enter the user name and password assigned by the network provider, and indicate whether to monitor the connection using keepalive ping messages.
  - b. DHCP—No additional configuration required.
  - c. Static IP Address—Enter the IP address and subnet mask.
  - d. T1—Enter the IP address and subnet mask. Click the underlined T1 link to open the T1 Configuration page and set additional T1 parameters.
- 4. Click Submit.

A message indicates that service will be temporarily interrupted.

5. Click **OK** to confirm.

## Configure WAN ADSL-PPPoE

#### ADSL-PPPoE (1)

Select to display these options. When selected, the WAN Ethernet port will perform a PPP negotiation to obtain an IP address. This IP will be assigned to the ppp0 interface viewable in the "Network Information page". A link to this page is provided. The default gateway and DNS servers are also sent to the system in the DHCP reply.

#### User Name (2)

Enter the user name your ISP has assigned to your DSL account.

#### Password (3)

Enter the password for your user name your ISP has assigned to your DSL account

WAN Interface Settings: 1	
	C DHCP
	Static IP Address
	○ <u>T1/E1</u>
Enter the username and pass provider.	word given to you by your network
User Name: 3 -	
Password:	
Keepalive Ping:	N N
PPP Link Status: down	4
To see the IP address given t Information page.	to the WAN port, check the <u>Network</u>
	NS server address will override the DNS vers.Default value for dynamic links is 5
Primary DNS Server:	6
Secondary DNS Server:	

#### Keepalive Ping (4)

Selected by default to send an LCP-echo request, this is called a link control protocol "ping" and is not to be confused with an ICMP-based ping. The PPP LCP "ping" interval is every 60 seconds; if three requests are not responded to (180 seconds) the system will re-establish the PPP connection. When this happens you may receive a different IP address. For this reason you should setup a "Dynamic DNS" account, which allows remote locations to enter a DNS name to dial your location. (see the Dynamic DNS page under "System") see RFC 1661 for PPP related information.

#### Primary DNS Server (5)

Entering static DNS information for a dynamic WAN type will override what is received during PPP negotiation

#### Secondary DNS Server (6)

Entering static DNS information for a dynamic WAN type will override what is received during PPP negotiation

## Configure WAN DHCP

#### DHCP (1)

Select to choose this option. When selected the WAN Ethernet port will perform a DHCP negotiation to obtain and IP address, this IP will be assigned to the eth1 interface viewable in the "Network Information page" a link to this page is provided. The default gateway and DNS servers are also sent to the system in the DHCP reply.

#### **Primary DNS Server (2)**

Entering static DNS information for a dynamic WAN type will override what is received during DHCP negotiation

#### Secondary DNS Server (3)

Entering static DNS information for a dynamic WAN type will override what is received during DHCP negotiation

WAN Interface Settings:	
1	C ADSL-PPPoE
<del></del> -	© DHCP
	○ Static IP Address
	OT1/E1
To see the IP address given to t Information page.	the WAN port, check the <u>Network</u>
Note: In case of dynamic links, this DNS server address obtained from the Server obtained from the server ,if left blank .	
Primary DNS Server:	
Secondary DNS Server:	

## Configure WAN Static IP Address

#### Static IP Address (1)

Select to display these options

#### IP Address (2)

Enter IPv4 IP address

#### Subnet Mask (3)

Enter subnet mask as appropriate, default gateway must be in this subnet

#### **Default Gateway (4)**

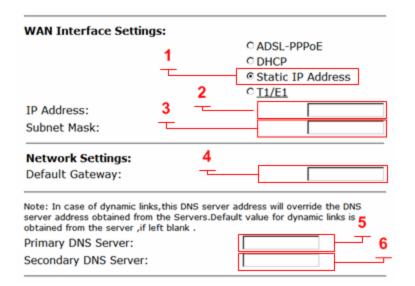
Enter IP address of the upstream (WAN) router

#### **Primary DNS Server (5)**

Enter primary DNS server IP

#### Secondary DNS Server (6)

Enter Secondary DNS server IP



Note: The VBP WAN interface must be assigned a publicly routable IP address. Assigning a RFC1918 address to the WAN interface is not supported

# Configuring VBP-ST Network Settings

## Configure Subscriber and Provider settings

- 1. Choose **Network** from the Configuration Menu.
- 2. Configure all parameters indicated, double check that you have the correct IP's for the interfaces as defined
- 3. Click Submit.

A message indicates that service will be temporarily interrupted.

4. Click **OK** to confirm.

## Subscriber Interface Settings

#### IP Address (1)

Enter the IPv4 IP address, while this interface is call "Subscriber" its commonly placed on the Internet or WAN side of the network. The default IP address is 192.168.1.1 while this IP is associated to the LAN, it is used by default on the Subscriber interface. The reason for this is for configuring the system for the first time for documentation procedures of attaching your PC to "port 1" to reach 192.168.1.1, when you reconfigure the Public IP on the Subscriber interface, and the firewall is enabled, you will place this interface on the public network

#### Subnet Mask (2)

Enter subnet mask as appropriate, default gateway must be in this subnet

#### **Default Gateway (6)**

Enter IP address of the upstream (WAN) router

#### Primary DNS Server (7)

Enter primary DNS server IP

#### Secondary DNS Server (8)

Enter Secondary DNS server IP

Network	Help
Networking configuration informati networks.	ion for the public and private
Subscriber Interface Settings:	1
IP Address:	192.168.1.1
Subnet Mask:	255.255.255.0
Provider Interface Settings:	3
	ODHCP
-	Static IP Address
IP Address: 5	
Subnet Mask:	
Network Settings:	6
Default Gateway:	
Note: In case of dynamic links, this DNS se server address obtained from the Servers. obtained from the server , if left blank .	
Primary DNS Server:	8
Secondary DNS Server:	

## **Provider Interface Settings**

#### Static IP Address (3)

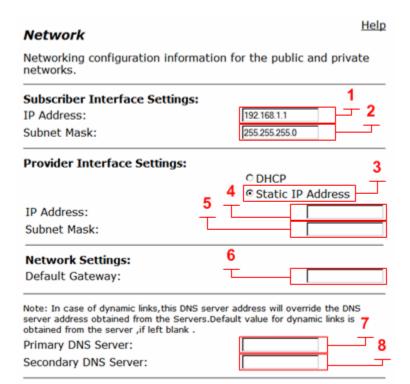
Select to display these options, while DHCP is an option on the Provider interface, it is not commonly used due to the nature of H.323, and the dependencies that other H.323 network equipment have on the Provider or LAN network. There are typically multiple devices that require entering this IP statically as part of installing and configuring these other H.323 devices, e.g. gatekeeper, MCU, other routers that provide route entries to the VBP-ST. It is highly recommended that you do not use DHCP on the Provider interface.

#### IP Address (4)

Enter IPv4 IP address, while this interface is called "Provider" In most deployments this interface will be placed in the private or LAN side of the network

#### Subnet Mask (5)

Enter subnet mask as appropriate, when creating "Route" entries the gateways for the route entry must be within this subnet.



## Configuring LAN Settings

This section describes how to set up LAN parameters with and without VLANs. The VLAN configuration feature allows you to connect the appliance to an Ethernet switch that has been configured to use VLANs. VBP-S and ST platforms do not support VLAN's

Note: The VBP appliance is shipped with LAN IP address 192.168.1.1 and subnet mask 255.255.255.0

## Configure LAN network settings without VLANs

- Choose Network from the Configuration Menu.
- 2. The LAN Interface Settings area of the Network page shows the LAN IP address (192.168.1.1) and subnet mask (255.255.255.0).
- 3. Clear the Enable VLANs checkbox.
- 4. Click Submit.

A message indicates that service will be interrupted while the new interface is added.

5. Click **OK** to confirm.

### Configure LAN network settings with VLANs

- 1. Choose **Network** from the Configuration Menu.
- Select Enable VLANs.
- 3. Click Submit.

A message indicates that service will be interrupted while the new interface is added.

- 4. Click **OK** to confirm.
- 5. Click VLAN Settings to open the VLAN page.
- 6. Configure settings as appropriate for your VBP model.

## Configuring VLANs

The system supports tagged and untagged VLANs. As specified in the IEEE 802.1q standard, tagged VLANs incorporate the VLAN ID and priority in the frame header. Untagged VLAN packets do not include the VLAN ID or priority.

Most VBP series appliances (200EW, 4300T, 4350, 4350EW, 4555 and the 5300/6400 series) provide support for multiple tagged VLANs. The 5300-E and 6400-E series each support a single untagged VLAN; while the 200EW, 4300T, 4350, 4350EW, 4555 support up to four untagged VLANs. VBP-S and ST platforms do not support VLAN's

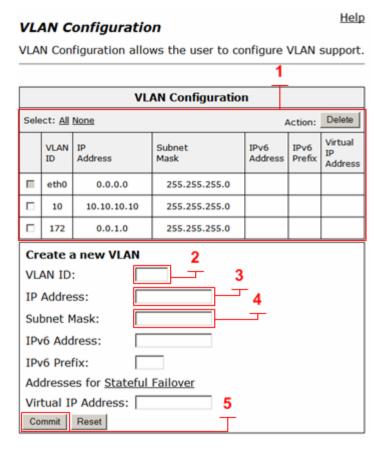
All VBP-E series appliances support up to 16 VLANS.

## Configuring VLANs on the 5300-E and 6400-E series

Use the VLAN Configuration page to create up to 16 VLANs on the system. When a new VLAN is created on the 5300LF2 or 6400LF2 platform the system will create an 802.1q tagged VLAN only. The system only supports 1 untagged default VLAN displayed as eth0, since this VLAN is only untagged the displayed eth0 VLAN ID is for reference only. When a new VLAN is created on the 200 or 4555 platform the system can support new VLANs as untagged or tagged depending on how the individual ports are configured.

Select - > Network - > VLAN Configuration

- 1. **VLAN Configuration** (1) Displays the configured VLANs on the system.
- 2. VLAN ID (2) Enter a VLAN ID in the field. Valid range is 2 4093
- 3. IP Address (3) Enter this VLANs IPv4 address.
- Subnet Mask (4) Enter the subnet mask for the VLAN interface network.
- 5. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (5)



## Configuring VLANs on the 200, 4350, 4555

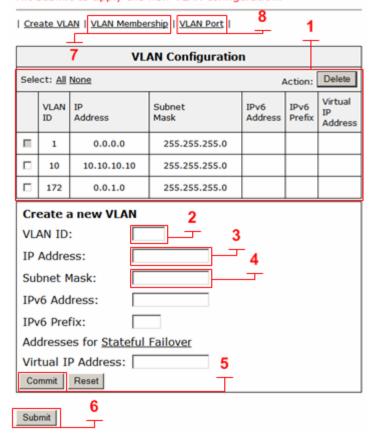
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- 3. IP Address (3) Enter this VLANs IPv4 address.
- 4. **Subnet Mask (4) –** Enter the subnet mask for the VLAN interface network.
- 5. Select Commit to add each VLAN. (5)
- 6. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (6)
- VLAN Membership (7) Select to configure each VLAN as a member of a specific port.
- 8. **VLAN Port (8)** Select to configure the ports packet type and set the default VLAN PVID.
  - a. Tagged Only
  - b. Untagged Only

#### **VLAN Configuration**

VLAN Configuration allows the user to configure VLAN support. Hit submit to apply the new VLAN configuration.



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## Configuring VLAN Membership 200 or 4555

Use the VLAN Membership page to configure LAN ports as members of a VLAN. If a port is a member of a VLAN, the system will accept both tagged and untagged traffic of that VLAN. Go to the VLAN port page to configure PVIDs for untagged traffic or to configure a port to accept only tagged traffic.

Select - > Network - > VLAN Configuration - > VLAN Membership

- 1. **VLAN ID** (1) Select the VLAN ID to configure as a port member
- 2. **Member (2)** Select the port or ports this VLAN will be assigned to.
- 3. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (6)

In the example below both VLAN ID 10 and 172 are assigned to port 3 and will be configured as an 802.1q Tagged VLAN. This example also shows VLAN ID 10 assigned to port 1 and VLAN ID 172 assigned to port 2 and will be configured as an 802.1 Untagged VLAN.

#### VLAN Port Membership

VLAN Port Membership allows the user to assign ports as members of a VLAN.

| Create VLAN | VLAN Membership | VLAN Port |

VLAN ID: 10 💌

VLAN Port Membership		
Select: All None		
Port Number	Member	
1	₽	
2		
3	₹	
4		

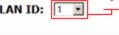
Submit Reset

#### VLAN Port Membership

VLAN Port Membership allows the user to assign ports as members of a VLAN.

| Create VLAN | VLAN Membership | VLAN Port |

VLAN ID:



VLAN Port Men	nbership	
Select: All None		
Port Number	Member	
1	[Z]	$\neg$
2	₽	<del>-</del>
3	E.	
4	E E	

Submit Reset

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#### VLAN Port Membership

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VLAN Port Membership allows the user to assign ports as members of a VLAN.

| Create VLAN | VLAN Membership | VLAN Port |

VLAN ID: 172 ▼

VLAN Port Membership		
Select: All None		
Port Number	Member	
1		
2	₽	
3	₽	
4		

Reset Submit

## Configuring VLAN Port 200 or 4555

Use the VLAN Port page to configure per port VLAN settings. These settings include the packet type accepted on the port and the port's PVID (Port VLAN ID).

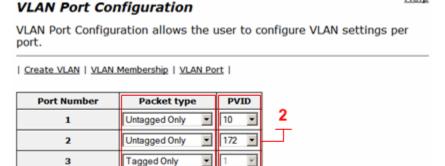
Select - > Network - > VLAN Configuration - > VLAN Port

 Packet Type (1) – By default, both tagged and untagged packet types are accepted on a port. If you wish to only accept tagged traffic on a port, select Tagged Only in the packet type drop down menu.

Note: If a port is configured to accept tagged packets only, the PVID selection is irrelevant.

 PVID (2) – When the systems LAN port has multiple VLANs assigned to it, only one of them can be selected as the port's untagged VLAN ID or PVID. By default, a LAN port will be assigned to PVID 1.

The PVID drop down menu consists of all VLANs the port is a member of. This is taken from the configuration in the **VLAN Port Membership** page.



Note: If a drop down menu is empty, no VLANs were assigned to that port.

3. Select Submit to commit the changes. (6)

In this example port 3 will be the 802.1q trunk port with VLAN ID 10 and VLAN ID 172 as tagged frames. This port should be connected to the VLAN switch. The upstream VLAN switch can then be configured on a port by port basis to assign untagged ports for the H.323 video devices to have access to the production data VLAN ID 10 or the TLS room system VLAN ID 172.

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Submit

Reset

Untagged Only

This example also shows VLAN ID 10 assigned to port 1 and set as the default VLAN. VLAN ID 172 is assigned to port 2 as an untagged VLAN and set as the default VLAN. This can be useful when the location does not have VLAN capable VLAN switches. In this case the admin can connect port 1 to the production data switch for desktop H.323 access to the headquarters CMA server. The admin can then connect a separate Ethernet switch to port 2 and connect the room system to the TLS network directly. By selecting Untagged Only the system will configure these ports as 802.1 frames.

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## Configuring Ethernet Interface Link Settings

You can modify the Ethernet interface link settings for the appliance, since Auto-negotiate interoperability can be problematic for real time protocols, it is recommended to statically configure both VBP Ethernet ports and the switch ports the VBP's interfaces are connected to.

Depending on the WAN link it may be necessary to adjust the WAN MTU size, this issue is typically seen on connections under T1 rates or, DSL links and that depends on the DSL devices ability to set the MTU or MSS size.

Note: Take care when adjusting the Ethernet link rate. The device may become unreachable if an incompatible rate is set.

- 1. Choose System > Set Link.
- 2. Select a rate for each Ethernet link, or choose **Auto-negotiate**.
- 3. Click Submit.

A message indicates that service will be interrupted while the new interface is added.

4. Click **OK** to confirm.

## **SNMP Overview**

The VBP series appliance can be managed remotely by an SNMP network management system such as HP Openview. SNMPv1, v2, and v3 and the following MIBS are supported:

MIB-II (RFC 1213)
IF-MIB (RFC 2863)
SNMP MIB-V2 (RFC 3418)
TCP-MIB (RFC 4022)
IP-MIB (RFC 2011)
UDP-MIB (RFC 4113)
SNMP-VIEW-BASED-ACM-MIB (RFC 3415)
SNMP-MPD-MIB (RFC 3412)
SNMP-USER-BASED-SM-MIB (RFC 3414)
SNMP-FRAMEWORK-MIB (RFC 3411)

All MIB variables are read only. The SNMP MIB-V2 variables sysContact, sysLocation and sysName can be set through the web GUI.

The web GUI supports the configuration of multiple SNMP v1 and SNMP v2 trap destinations. The traps are sent to each of the configured destination using the appropriate protocol version and community string. SNMPv3 supports only one trap destination.

The VBP series appliance sends the following traps:

coldStart authenticationFailure linkup linkDown

## **Configure SNMP**

- 1. Choose System > Services Configuration.
- 2. To use SNMPv1 or SNMPv2, select the Enable SNMPv1 checkbox. By default, the agent-address field in SNMPv1 traps is set to the address of the interface that is used to send the trap. You can assign a custom IP address by entering a value in the SNMPv1 Trap Agent IP Address field.
- 3. To use SNMPv3, check the Enable SNMPv3 checkbox. Enter the user name, passphrase, security method, trap context, and destination trap IP address. The following security methods are supported:
- 4. None: No authentication and no Privacy
- 5. Auth(MD5): Authentication using MD5
- 6. AuthPriv(MD5/DES): Authentication using MD5 and Privacy using DES protocol
- 7. Click Submit.

A message indicates that service will be temporarily interrupted.

8. Click **OK** to confirm.

The figure below displays the VBP configuration for the SNMP Network setup:

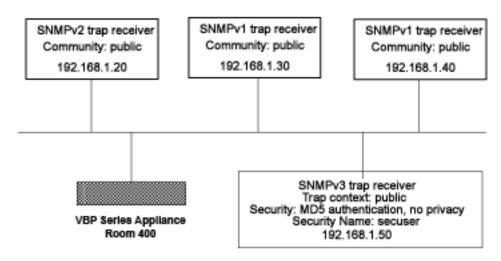


Figure 1. SNMP Configuration Example

#### Services Configuration

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Customize the configuration of the services accessible on the System.

Add new destination

IP Address	Version	Community	Delete
192.168.1.20	2	public	ũ
192.168.1.30	1	public	ũ
192.168.1.40	1	local	î

Enable SNMPv3:	<b>▽</b>
SNMPv3 User Name:	secuser
SNMPv3 Passphrase:	•••••
SNMPv3 Security:	Auth(MD5)
SNMPv3 Trap Context:	public
SNMPv3 Trap Destination IP	192.168.1.50

#### Disable SNMP

- 1. Choose **System** > Services Configuration.
- 2. Clear the Enable SNMPv1 or Enable SNMPv3 checkbox.

A message indicates that service will be temporarily interrupted.

3. Click **OK** to confirm.

## Delete an SNMP trap

- 1. Choose **System** > Services Configuration.
- 2. Click the "trash can" icon for the trap.
- 3. Click Delete.

# Configuring DHCP Services

You can configure DHCP services with and without VLANs on all E series appliances. You can also relay DHCP requests to an external DHCP server or use the DHCP server included in the VBP series appliance.

## **DHCP Relay**

When you enable DHCP relay and point to a valid DHCP server, you determine that all DHCP requests will be forwarded to that server. Local DHCP and DHCP Relay are mutually exclusive. That is, turning on DHCP Relay automatically turns off local DHCP, and turning on DHCP automatically turns off DHCP Relay.

As you configure the functions featured on the page, review the following list:

#### **Enable DHCP Relay**

Select this checkbox to enable DHCP Relay.

#### **DHCP Relay IP Address**

Enter the IP address of the DHCP server where the system will forward traffic.

- 1. Choose **DHCP Relay** from the Configuration Menu.
- 2. Check Enable HDCP Relay
- 3. Enter the DHCP Relay IPv4 IP Address
- 4. Click Submit.

A message indicates that service will be temporarily interrupted.

5. Click **OK** to confirm.

## **DHCP Server**

DHCP is a protocol that enables PCs and workstations to get temporary or permanent IP addresses (out of a pool) from centrally administered servers. All VBP E series appliances can act as a DHCP server, assigning IP addresses to devices in the network. You can configure blocks of IP addresses, default gateway, DNS servers, and other parameters that can be served to requesting devices.

Table 1 lists the DHCP options supported by the systems DHCP Server.

DHCP on your system does not have to be enabled if a DHCP server exists elsewhere in your company network. It can be disabled. When you have enabled the DHCP server, you can turn it on or off using the **Enable DHCP Server** box without having to change other settings.

The DHCP IP Address Ranges table shows the dynamic addresses to use for the LAN devices. Enter individual DHCP IP addresses or a range. Assign static IP addresses for any common-access devices, such as printers or fax machines.

Table 1 DHCP	Server Options
Option	Description
1	Subnet Mask - LAN Netmask of the VBP Network page
2	Time Offset
3	Router - LAN IP of the VBP Network page
6	DNS Server - DNS IP, Network page
42	NTP Servers
51	IP address lease time - Lease duration in seconds, DHCP page
53	DHCP Message Type - Set by DHCP server
54	Server Identifier - LAN IP of the VBP
66	FTP Server name
67	Boot file name
129	Call Server IP Address - VLAN ID Discovery
150	Phone Image TFTP Server IP - LAN IP of the VBP, Network Page
151	MGCP Control Server IP - LAN IP of the VBP, Network Page
159	Allows the user to enter a text string in the form of a FQDN. It can be used to point phones to the domain name of a TFTP server using HTTP.
160	Allows the user to enter a text string in the form of a FQDN. It can be used to point phones to the domain name of a TFTP server using HTTPS.

## Configuring DHCP Server

Configuring DHCP Server on the VBP appliance includes enabling the server and configuring the DHCP IP Address range to be used by LAN devices. Use the following procedure to configure DHCP.

#### **Configure DHCP**

Choose **DHCP Server** to open the DHCP Server page.

As you configure the functions featured on the page, review the following list:

#### **DHCP IP Address Ranges Table (1)**

Shows the dynamic addresses to use for the LAN devices. Enter individual DHCP IP addresses or a range. To configure an address range, select the appropriate values and click Add. To delete an address, Click the trash can icon. When adding a new range you must click submit to apply the new range to the DHCP server.

#### VLAN (9) see next page for reference

Select the VLAN served by the DHCP server.

#### **Enable DHCP Server (2)**

Select this checkbox to enable the DHCP server.

#### Subnet Mask (3)

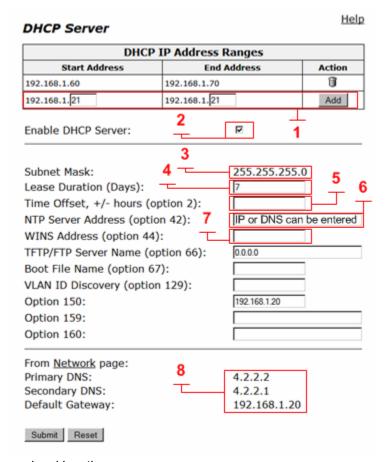
Subnet Mask address for the DHCP pool. This mask is configured from the LAN subnet mask in the Network page

#### Lease Duration (Days) (4)

Enter the number of days you want to lease the DHCP service. This is the amount of time a DHCP service will remain connected without lapse. The value can be 1 day minimum and 30 days maximum. Note: when the DHCP lease has expired and the client requests a new IP, it is common for the system to assign the same IP to that system MAC address, if 2 clients make a DHCP request at the same time the lease expires, it is "possible" the system will not assign the same IP.

## Time Offset, +/- hours (option 2) (5) (optional)

Set the time offset in hours from UTC (Universal time Code) for your local location.



#### NTP Server Address (option 42) (6) (optional)

Set the Network Time Protocol (NTP) address that is served out by DHCP. This field can have a IP address or DNS name of a valid NTP server. Note: if a DNS name is entered in this field the system will perform a DNS A record lookup and use the IP address returned from this lookup to respond to the DNS request from the client as option 42, if the systems DNS server's configured on the Network page are unresponsive, the DHCP response will be delayed.

#### WINS Address (option 44) (7) (optional)

Enter the IPv4 IP address of your WINS server. The Windows Internal Naming Service (WINS) is a service that keeps a database of computer name-to-IP address mappings so that computer names used in Windows environments can be mapped to IP addresses.

#### TFTP/FTP Server Name (option 66) (optional)

Set the TFTP/FTP server name that is served out by DHCP. By default, this option is the same as the TFTP server on the ALG page.

#### VLAN ID Discovery (option 129) (optional)

Set the VLAN ID that devices will acquire after rebooting.

#### From the Network page (8)

This area is for information only, the DNS IP's shown and the Default Gateway shown will be sent to the client in the DHCP reply

### Configuring DHCP With VLANs

This section describes using the DHCP Server capability on the VBP series appliance with configured VLANs. The VBP series appliance supports a maximum of 16 VLANs, all of which could be associated with the DHCP Server. The following are default VLAN IDs used on the VBP appliance:

- VLAN ID 1 (formerly 2730)-- used for management interface (VBP 5300 and 6400 appliances only)
- VLAN ID 500 -- used for video
- VLAN ID 600 -- used for data

# Note: To use DHCP with VLANs, the VLAN capability must be enabled and VLANs configured.

Once VLAN capability is enabled and VLANs configured, use the following procedure.

- 1. Select the VLAN to be used from the drop down list.
- Check Enable DHCP Server.
- 3. Add DHCP IP Address Ranges (Scope). In the DHCP IP Address Range table input the starting and ending IP address, then click Add.
- 4. Click Submit, when adding an extra IP Address Range to this server you must click submit to apply the new range.

DHC	P IP Address	Ranges	
Start Address	End	Address	Action
No IP	Address Ranges (	Configured	
192.168.1.6	192.168.1.6		Add
VLAN: Enable DHCP Server:	9	192.168.1.5 (ld=1) 192.168.1.5 (ld=1) 192.168.5.1 (ld=50 192.168.6.1 (ld=60	
Subnet Mask: Lease Duration (Days): Time Offset, +/- hours NTP Server Address (op WINS Address (option 4 TFTP/FTP Server Name ( Boot File Name (option VLAN ID Discovery (option Option 150:	tion 42): 44): (option 66): 67):	255.255.255. 7 [0.0.0.0	

## **DHCP Leases**

The DHCP Leases page displays view-only information about clients that are currently leasing a DHCP address.

#### **View DHCP lease information**

Choose DHCP Server > DHCP Leases.

#### Hostname

Name of the client that is currently using this DHCP address.

#### **IP Address**

IP address of the client.

#### **MAC Address**

MAC address of the client.

#### **Expires**

Date and time that the DHCP address expires.

#### Delete

Select the client you wish to delete and click "Delete"

#### **DHCP Leases**

DHCP Leases displays information about hosts who are currently leasing a DHCP address.

	DHCP Leases Table				
Sele	ect: <u>All None</u>	Action: Delete			
	Hostname	IP Address	Mac Address	Expires	
	hdx8207470891DFP1	192.168.1.62	00:e0:db:08:91:df	2009/10/02 19:56:30	
	SIP000BBEE3950D	192.168.1.69	00:0b:be:e3:95:0d	2009/10/01 21:42:52	
	MikeRDelllaptop	192.168.1.61	00:15:c5:6a:03:0e	2009/09/15 22:06:00	
	SIP000BBEE3950D	192.168.1.69	00:0b:be:e3:95:0d	2009/10/07 16:49:42	
	SIP000BBEE3950D	192.168.1.69	00:0b:be:e3:95:0d	2009/10/07 16:50:41	

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# Configuring DNS for ANNEX O support

ANNEX O <a href="http://www.itu.int/rec/T-REC-H.323/en">http://www.itu.int/rec/T-REC-H.323/en</a> is a recommendation within the H.323 standard to define a means in which endpoints and border elements standardize on a common dial plan. ANNEX O is also referenced as URI or URL dialing in the form of <a href="mailto:john.smith@example.com">john.smith@example.com</a> or user@host format.

The user portion of this format will be the H.323 endpoints E.164 and or H.323-ID. When the endpoint registers to the gatekeeper with these aliases the endpoint can be called with either as the user portion. The host portion can be a legal numeric IP address or a fully qualified domain name (FQDN) a company has registered, in this explanation we will reference example.com and discuss the DNS infrastructure and configurations needed. Using a FQDN for H.323 services will require specific SRV and A records to be created on the DNS sever.

If you choose to standardize on ANNEX O as your dial plan DNS records will be to needed to simplify the method in which remote locations call into your enterprise that could have a single VBP or multiple VBPs installed at the border. Outbound calls from the VBP to remote domains or enterprises will depend on what the user dialed and how that location has deployed there H.323 solution and domain records.

Discussed in this section is a simplified explanation of DNS SRV records and how to configure them for your domain for incoming calls. When users on the enterprise call outbound the VBP will perform SRV and A record queries as described for the H.323 endpoint as both use a similar but different DNS application client to perform the request.

SRV records also provide a method to prioritize which VBP receives incoming calls, or with the SRV priority field set to an equal value a round robin method could be supported to distribute the load throughout the enterprise. Using a round robin approach will depend on how the calling H.323 DNS client supports the usage of the priority and weighting fields, some H.323 endpoints may not support this feature correctly.

You will need to configure the following on your DNS server

- SRV service records Service records specify the A record or FQDN of the VBP
- A Records Defines the IPv4 address of the VBP

SRV record format as defined by <a href="http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc2782.txt">http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc2782.txt</a> Configuring your DNS settings are for services to your VBP for remote locations to reach your enterprise. The method in which most inbound connections will be made will be using the \_h323cs service lookup to support an adhoc call using the john.smith@example.com format. Some VBP deployments may require gatekeeper neighboring to support a non ANNEX O dial plan such as dialing the destination alias E.164 e.g. 8315551234 and require a \_h323ls service type.

The proto field should be set to the service respectively e.g. \_h323cs is TCP proto and \_h323ls is UDP proto

\_Service.\_Proto.Name TTL Class SRV Priority Weight Port Target

- Service: The symbolic name of the service e.g. \_h323cs or \_h323ls this field is case sensitive
- Proto: The protocol type e.g. \_tcp or \_udp this field is case sensitive

- TTL: Standard DNS time to live field
- Class: Standard DNS class field (this is always IN)
- Priority: Refers to the priority of this target host, a lower value receives a higher priority
- Weight: The weight field specifies a relative weight for entries with the same priority
- Port: The port of this target host of this service
- Target: The domain name of the target host, there must be a A record as this name

A record format as defined by <a href="http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc1034.txt">http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc1034.txt</a> Configuring your DNS server A record type allows you to map a name to a IPv4 address. Each VBP installed on the network will have a unique IPv4 WAN address assigned and the same applies for the DNS A record name configured. Example;

Name Type Data vbp1.example.com IN A 12.48.270.1 vbp2.example.com IN A 12.48.280.1

DNS servers can be different in configuring the SRV or A record parameters, please consult with your IT staff or DNS provider in configuring the records required for your specific VBP deployment. In the diagram below the enterprise VBP deployment has installed 2 VBP systems in different locations on the WAN network, the reasons for this could be for network redundancy or to distribute the incoming calls between the 2 VBP's. For the example DNS records we will assume a redundant VBP model is desired.

Create DNS A records for both VBP's on your DNS server as shown above, then create the SRV records to related the A records. Example;

Name	Type	Data	TTL
_h323cstcp.example.com	IN SRV	0 50 1720 vbp1.example.com	1 day
_h323cstcp.example.com	IN SRV	1 50 1720 vbp2.example.com	1 day

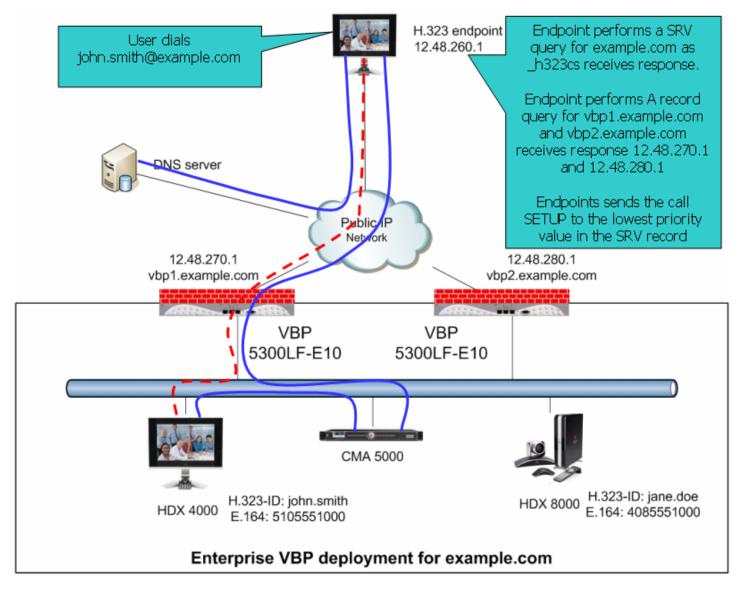
You will need to configure SRV and A record entries for all the VBP's installed on the network as they relate to the \_h323cs service for example.com.

In the above SRV example vbp1.example.com is set for a priority of 0, weight 50, port 1720 (default for call setup) and vbp2 is set for priority 1, weight 50, port 1720. The calling endpoint would send the call SETUP to vbp1 unless vbp1 has become unresponsive to the request, when the call to vbp1 times out, the calling endpoint will use the next lower priority to forward the call to, in this example the call will go to vbp2.

The calling endpoint will query the DNS server for an SRV record first, if there is no such record found the H.323 endpoint will perform an A record query, if there is no such record found the H.323 endpoint will fail the call and the user will need to dial the destination by the IPv4 address.

An important item to note is, example.com is the destination domain, this domain will usually have different services configured, HTTP, Email etc. Web browsers and email clients will query the DNS server for their service type, H.323 endpoints and border elements are another configured service type to the domain.

Using the SRV and A record examples above the below diagram shows an example of a H.323 endpoint dialing john.smith@example.com the H.323 endpoint will perform a SRV query on example.com to the DNS server address configured in the endpoints network parameters. The DNS server will reply back with a DNS SRV query response with vbp1.example.com and vbp2.example.com. The endpoint will now perform a DNS A record query for vbp1.example.com and vbp2.example.com. The DNS server will reply back with a DNS A record response with 12.48.270.1 and 12.48.280.1. The endpoint will now send a call SETUP to 12.48.270.1 with a destination alias of john.smith. If 12.48.270.1 is unavailable, the endpoint will timeout the session and create a new call SETUP to 12.48.280.1



## Diagnose your DNS settings

Adding or changing DNS records can take 24 hours to propagate out internet based DNS servers, if there are users that cannot reach your VBP it may simply be the DNS server they are using have not been updated yet.

You can perform a simple request from your computer by opening a command prompt and typing

```
nslookup -q=srv h323cs. tcp.example.com
C:\Documents and Settings\Jane Smith>nslookup -q=srv h323cs. tcp.example.com
Server: vnsc-bak.sys.gtei.net
Address: 4.2.2.2
Non-authoritative answer:
_h323cs._tcp.example.com
                              SRV service location:
      priority
                = 1
                = 50
     weight
               = 1720
      port
     svr hostname = vbp2.example.com
h323cs. tcp.example.com
                              SRV service location:
                = 0
      priority
     weight
                = 50
      port
               = 1720
     svr hostname = vbp1.example.com
Now perform a ping to the hostname for both entries
C:\Documents and Settings\Jane Smith>ping vbp1.example.com
Pinging vbp1.example.com [12.48.270.1] with 32 bytes of data:
Reply from 12.48.270.1: bytes=32 time=94ms TTL=49
Reply from 12.48.270.1: bytes=32 time=95ms TTL=49
Reply from 12.48.270.1: bytes=32 time=93ms TTL=49
Reply from 12.48.270.1: bytes=32 time=107ms TTL=49
Ping statistics for 12.48.270.1:
  Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss).
Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
  Minimum = 93ms, Maximum = 107ms, Average = 97ms
```

# Firewall rules for securing the network

# **VBP Firewall Basics**

The VBP system deploys a Linux iptables firewall, and as a converged system, this firewall is controlled by internal applications dynamically. The H.323 ALG application uses iptables dynamically; as H.323 calls are being proxied and modified at Layer 5, the firewall ports for TCP H.245 messages are dynamically opened. This H.245 TCP connection is used by the endpoints to send media related parameters, what codecs can be used for audio and video, how many channels will be used, what ports both endpoints intend to send/receive RTP on, etc. During this negotiation the VBP NAT/PAT's this information as messages pass through the system, since the VBP provides the NAT (network address translation) PAT (port address translation) function, the VBP will know what UDP ports and IP's to allow to incoming connections.

This process happens dynamically, there is nothing to configure on the Firewall page to setup the system. The below methods are mainly for call control, as soon as the call control is allowed the system will allow the RTP media ports dynamically. TCP Port 1720 is used by H.323 devices as the call control port and more important is the presence of the TCP port 1720 connection; if this connection is closed by any device in the path, the endpoints will disconnect the session and the VBP will shut down access to the UDP media ports dynamically. During normal call control when a user hangs up the system, there are normal disconnect messages that happen at Layer 5 when a system wishes to disconnect, the end result after these Layer 5 messages have terminated normally is both endpoints will close the TCP port 1720 connection causing all devices between the endpoints to remove their NAT/PAT contracts.

# Configure the VBP-E Whitelist/Blacklist

- 1. Select > VoIP ALG > H.323 > Whitelist/Blacklist
- 2. Click **Whitelist (1)** Deny all H.323 incoming calls by default and accept the listed addresses.
- 3. Click **Blacklist (2)** Accept all H.323 incoming calls by default and deny the listed addresses.
- 4. Select Commit



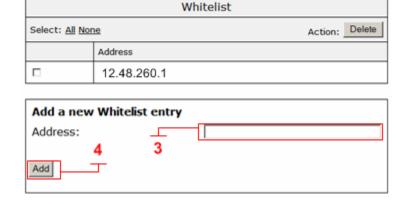
When the system comes back up you will now have the ability to add IPv4 addresses.

- 5. Enter the IPv4 Address (3) and click Add (4)
- 6. The system will warn you this action will cause active calls to be interrupted.

Note: This feature is designed to allow or deny TCP port 1720 on the WAN or Subscriber interface. This feature is not designed to block outbound access from the LAN or Provider interface.







# VBP-E or VBP-S and ST blocking management ports

It may be necessary to block un-encrypted methods of managing the VBP for security reasons. By default the VBP-E system accepts management port connections on the LAN interface.

# **VBP-E** management ports

- Port 80 HTTP
- Port 443 HTTPS
- Port 22 SSH
- Port 23 Telnet
- Port 161 SNMP

You can define rules to block LAN side access to these ports.

# CAUTION: You should test an HTTPS connection to the system before you enter the rule that will DROP port 80 HTTP requests.

```
To block HTTP

iptables -I INPUT -i eth0+ -p tcp --dport 80 -j DROP

To block Telnet

iptables -I INPUT -i eth0+ -p tcp --dport 23 -j DROP

To block SNMP

iptables -I INPUT -i eth0+ -p tcp --dport 161 -j DROP

Most security teams will allow HTTPS and SSH as both protocols are SSL encoded
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By default the system allows ICMP ping to the WAN/LAN interfaces

To block ICMP on the LAN interface

```
iptables -I INPUT 1 -i eth0+ -p icmp -j DROP
To block ICMP on the WAN interface
iptables -I INPUT 1 -i eth1+ -p icmp -j DROP
To block ICMP on both interfaces
iptables -I INPUT 1 -p icmp -j DROP
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### **Trusted Hosts**

Trusted Hosts are configured to control access to management functions on a VBP-E to a given IP address or subnet. Enter the appropriate information in Trusted Management Addresses. The logic for Trusted Management Addresses is easy to follow: By entering one or more IP addresses or subnets into this field, the VBP-E Series will create ACCEPT rules for the Management protocol defined in the Basic WAN Firewall Settings area (HTTP/HTTPS/Telnet/etc.) for the IP addresses entered, and drop rules for all other IP addresses.

Select - > Security - > Trusted Hosts

- 1. **IP/Network Address (1)** The IP address or network address of the subnet to be managed.
- 2. **Netmask (2)** The netmask to apply to the IP/Network Address. The netmask determines how many addresses will be available in the network.
- 3. Select **Add** to commit the changes. (3).

Warning! Once a trusted address is defined, only hosts in the trusted list are allowed to access the system! Before proceeding, verify that the firewall settings are configured to allow the desired management protocols. Next, add the address of the system running this configuration GUI to the list of trusted hosts.

Add a Host or Network:	4
Address can be a host IP or the address of the network	<b>'</b>
IP/Network Address:	<b></b>
Netmask: Add Clear 3	
Apply Basic Firewall Settings to the following addresses and	networks.

Select: All None Action: Delete

IP Network Netmask

The list is currently empty

# VBP-S or ST management ports

- Port 80 HTTP
- Port 443 HTTPS
- Port 22 SSH
- Port 23 Telnet
- Port 161 SNMP

VBP-S or ST systems have a different firewall concept, the VBP-S or ST is traditionally placed on the Enterprise security boundary. The VBP-S or ST could be placed in a Service Provider model which would have public IP's on both interfaces, this is the reason the system uses the term Provider/Subscriber instead of WAN/LAN. With this in mind, unlike the Firewall page in the VBP-E which only blocks management port access from the WAN side, the VBP-S or ST applies the allow/deny rules by checking or un-checking the desired management access to both Provider/Subscriber interfaces. By un-checking HTTP access the system will create rules to block port 80 request on both interfaces.

The below rules are provided for both interfaces, as you may want to allow HTTP on the Provider side and block HTTP on the Subscriber side, in this case you will have HTTP checked on the Firewall page and then insert the rule to block port 80 HTTP on the Subscriber interface.

CAUTION: If you plan to manage the system with HTTPS, you must configure a certificate in the "HTTPS Certificate" page before the system will accept HTTPS requests. If you are enabling the Access Proxy, you will need to re-map HTTPS to an alternate ports, Access Proxy requires the use of port 443

To block HTTP on the Subscriber Interface

```
iptables -I INPUT -i eth0+ -p tcp --dport 80 -j DROP
To block Telnet on the Subscriber Interface
iptables -I INPUT -i eth0+ -p tcp --dport 23 -j DROP
To block SNMP on the Subscriber Interface
iptables -I INPUT -i eth0+ -p tcp --dport 161 -j DROP
```

To block HTTP on the Provider Interface

iptables -I INPUT -i eth1+ -p tcp --dport 80 -j DROP

To block Telnet on the Provider Interface

iptables -I INPUT -i eth0+ -p tcp --dport 23 -j DROP

To block SNMP on the Provider Interface

iptables -I INPUT -i eth0+ -p tcp --dport 161 -j DROP

Most security teams will allow HTTPS and SSH as both protocols are SSL encoded

By default the system allows ICMP ping to the WAN/LAN interfaces

To block ICMP on the Subscriber interface

iptables -I INPUT 1 -i eth0+ -p icmp -j DROP

To block ICMP on the Provider interface

iptables -I INPUT 1 -i eth1+ -p icmp -j DROP

To block ICMP on both interfaces

iptables -I INPUT 1 -p icmp -j DROP

# CERT Advisory CA-2004-01

When performing a security scan of the VBP system the scan results may indicate a vulnerability for this CERT advisory. Most port scanning application detect the presence of the well known H.323 ports, UDP 1719 and TCP 1720 and flag this as a concern to be addressed. Below are the details of the CERT advisory and the version of the H.323 stack the VBP uses.

The VBP uses a Linux kernel "Linux 2.4.24-uc0"

The following link provides the concerns for the CERT advisory CA-2004-01

http://www.cert.org/advisories/CA-2004-01.html

At the following link, you will see:

http://www.voxgratia.org/docs/faq.html#1 10

"The <u>NISSC</u> announced on 13 January 2004 that they had <u>discovered vulnerabilities in several implementations</u> of the H.323 protocol. This announcement was also released by CERT as Advisory CA-2004-01.

All releases of PWLib after v1.6.0 contain fixes for the vulnerabilities demonstrated by the NISCC test suite. This includes the Janus and Pandora baseline releases and all subsequent stable and development code releases."

In the release notes for version 5.1.0 you will find the following statement

"Updated the H.323 stack to the Pandora release (version numbers: pwlib 1.7.5, openh323 1.14.4). This version of the stack has numerous fixes, most importantly the security issues discovered in the ASN.1 encoder/decoder have been fixed."

The key to these statements is "All releases of PWLib after v1.6.0 contain the fixes" for this advisory the current Polycom version is "Pandora release (version numbers: pwlib 1.7.5, openh323 1.14.4"

The above concerns were addressed in VBP version 5.1.0

The current firmware version of VBP is 11.2.6

# Implementing Polycom VBP with a Third-Party Firewall

This section describes an issue that exists when certain application protocols such as H.323 are used when communicating across a NAT, or third-party firewall. It is common for third-party firewalls to cause issues with advanced H.323 features such as AES-encrypted calls, People+Content or H.239 dual-stream calls, and routed-mode gatekeeper services. This section describes the issues and how you can implement VBP so that H.323 communications take place successfully.

# Describing the Issue Between H.323 Communications and NAT

H.323 endpoints exchange data during call setup to determine how and where they will communicate. These messages are transmitted as segments in TCP sessions for Call Setup (for H.225 messages) and Call Control (for H.245 messages). The packets contain the IP address and port number of the given endpoint. This ensures, for example, that each endpoint knows the unique Layer 3 address to send media to, and the port number the endpoint is requesting the far site to use. For example, for an H.245 Open Logical Channel (OLC) message, the receiving endpoint will 'open UDP port 3235 to receive audio.' The sending endpoint will then formulate the audio packets to have the destination port specified in the packet (for example, 3235). (Note that there are several other types of H.245 messages, and that an OLC message may contain additional parameters.)

NAT and H.323 environments typically have issues with the transmission of one-way video and/or audio. The endpoint behind the NAT is unable to see the far site, even though the far site is able to see/hear the endpoint behind the NAT. This occurs because the NAT device lacks the application intelligence to handle the H.323 protocol. The NAT device cannot open the proper Layer 5 messages, read the information, alter the IP address and port number in the packets, or open the specified ports. In certain situations, the device may allow calls to connect (for example, when an endpoint behind the NAT dials a public IP endpoint).

# Resolving the Issue Without VBP

In some cases, you can resolve the issues that exist in NAT/H.323 environments by using a 1-1 NAT or an H.323-compliant firewall. However, both these scenarios have issues, as discussed below.

# Using a 1-1 NAT

You may be able to configure an endpoint to operate with a 1-1 NAT. This involves configuring the endpoint so that it knows what the public IP address is, and setting an option to restrict the TCP and UDP ports that the endpoint can use (the 'Fixed Ports' option). Then, you can configure a 1-1NAT on the firewall to map the private IP address to the public IP address, and restrict the available ports to the ports the endpoint requires. This works well for smaller implementations, and those without advanced H.323 infrastructures (for example, a gatekeeper).

The issues with the above scenario include:

The inability of one endpoint behind a firewall to correctly communicate with another endpoint behind the same firewall. Usually, this is
because one endpoint that has been configured for NAT has dialed a subnet other than its own. In this case, the endpoint doesn't know
whether to use the private public or private IP address in the H.225/H.245 message.

Most endpoints will try to determine if a call should use the public or private IP address. However, since there are many possible LAN configuration scenarios, simplified logic (as described next) is often used:

o If the call is not to an endpoint on the same subnet as me, I will use the public IP address assigned to me.

or

- If I have a private IP assigned to me and the call is to another private IP address, I will use the private IP in the H.225 and H.245 message. Otherwise, I will use the public IP address.
- The difficulty of using the scenario for a LAN that consists of both private and public IP address space.
- The availability of public IP addresses. Since each endpoint requires its own 1-1 NAT, many endpoints can quickly use up a company's available public IP addresses.
- Security risks. The LAN endpoint sends packets to the far-site's public IP address, and requires the firewall to allow packets from a public IP address to enter the LAN. This is a security risk, since the firewall must allow packets to leave and enter the network. If H.323 communication is limited to a small number of public endpoints, the firewall can be configured to allow only communications with those addresses. In today's climate, with H.323 use growing quickly, it could be a large burden on the firewall administrator.

# Using an H.323-Compliant Firewall

Some firewall vendors have supplication intelligence built in to their devices that understand the H.323 protocol and allow the endpoint to communicate across the NAT. Polycom refers to these firewalls as 'H.323-compliant' NAT devices. An example of one such device is the Cisco PIX using H323fixup. In general, these devices require a 1-1 NAT for each LAN endpoint, and for the H.323 service to be enabled. In most cases, the endpoint is not configured with any NAT settings. The device must manage both the Layer 3 NAT as well as the IP address and port information contained in the packet's data portion. This alleviates the LAN-LAN dialing issue described above, since the endpoint does not have any public IP information and cannot incorrectly use it.

Using a firewall that is H.323 compliant has security risks. For more information on the security risks, see the preceding section.

# Resolving the Issue with VBP

You can resolve the NAT issue introduced when using application protocols such as H.323 by installing the VBP on the LAN and WAN border of the network, and performing a secure firewall proxy for H.323 communications. This design requires a publicly routable, non-NAT'ed IP address to be assigned to the VBP's WAN interface to perform IP and port modifications of the various H.323 messaging packets that must be exchanged for successful communications. VBP is designed as a security device with direct exposure to Internet traffic through the use of an integrated stateful packet inspection iptables firewall. Some security policies may require all traffic to traverse a third-party data security device.

Polycom VBP works by proxying H.323 communication, using sophisticated Application Layer Gateway (ALG) software to manage the process. This method allows many LAN endpoints to communicate with the Internet using a single public IP address. The ALG maps the data flows for the LAN to WAN calls, with the LAN side seeing only the VBP's LAN IP address, and the WAN side seeing only the VBP's WAN IP address. Since the VBP has the routable IP address on the WAN interface, it can properly communicate with Internet endpoints, using this public IP in H.225/H.245 messages. For a single LAN to WAN call using a VBP, there are two calls: one from the LAN endpoint to the VBP's LAN IP, and another from the

VBP's WAN IP to the public endpoint. The ALG manages the process of exchanging data and media, and proxies the information from one network to the other.

Note: You cannot NAT a VBP. It is the Layer 3 NAT that causes the H.323-NAT issue the VBP resolves. If you NAT a VBP interface, you will have the same issue you had before you implemented a VBP, just relevant to fewer IP addresses.

# Implementing a VBP with a Third-Party Firewall

How you implement a VBP with a third-party firewall depends on demilitarized zone (DMZ) availability and whether the DMZ uses a public or private IP space.

Note: Before you implement a VBP, make sure that it is required. If the third-party firewall already supports the necessary functions for successful communications, and all parties are satisfied with the current security of the configuration, you do not require a VBP.

**Important**: Regardless of the method you use to implement a VBP, the firewall should not run any H.323 helper services, such as Cisco's H323fixup service. The VBP handles all communication itself, and any attempts to use other services may create an issue.

# Implementing a DMZ with a Public IP Space

If the DMZ has a public IP space, there is an available public IP address within the firewall's DMZ. Assign the VBP WAN port to this address, and assign the VBP LAN port to either the enterprise LAN itself, or to another DMZ with a private IP that is routable to the enterprise LAN.

You need to create firewall rules for the VBP's public address that allow certain ports and protocols for the specific VBP model in use. These ports and protocols are listed in the tables in the Required Ports section, below. There is a large port range because the VBP can proxy many H.323 calls concurrently. You can optionally restrict communication to the VBP's public address using the firewall rule-set, choosing to restrict it to only known and trusted public IP addresses (as long as the required ports and protocols are available). The ports are open on the firewall, but are only open on the VBP when in use. The ALG dynamically opens and closes ports on both interfaces on call setup/teardown, greatly enhancing security. (**Note**: TCP1720 is required for H.323 call setup and will always be listening on both VBP interfaces running ALG services.) This meets most security policies as all traffic from the Internet passes through the trusted third-party security device before communicating with the VBP.

You can attach the VBP's LAN interface to the LAN, or route it to the LAN through another DMZ. For a list of ports that are required for the LAN interface, refer to Table 3 in the Required Ports section, below. As long as these ports are available to LAN-side H.323 devices requiring communication to the Internet, there should be no issues.

Note: The VBP's LAN interface needs to communicate with two types of hosts:

- Any H.323 device in the communication path, including endpoints, gatekeepers, and MCUs.
- The PC/server acting as the management host.

When the LAN interface is in a private IP DMZ, you can write the firewall rule-set to restrict the number of hosts the VBP can communicate with to only those devices. This enhances security. You can also do this by using an ACL on a router on the VBP's LAN side.

# Implementing a DMZ with a Private IP Space

If the DMZ has private IP space, install the VBP so that its WAN interface is attached outside of the firewall, with a public IP address assigned, while the LAN interface is in the DMZ. You can control access to the WAN port using either ACLs on the upstream router, or the built-in netfilter package on the VBP itself. You can easily configure the VBP to drop any incoming non-H.323 packet (by disabling LAN NAT), as well as accept H.323 packets from only known sources.

You can route the VBP's LAN interface to the enterprise LAN by using the firewall's DMZ and the rule-set outlined in the above guidelines. Again, this is generally sufficient for security policies, since all communications passes through the trusted third-party security device.

Installing the VBP on a public DMZ port to the WAN or Subscriber interfaces must allow the following ports unmodified to the VBP. The VBP itself is the application firewall for H.323 traffic, and with no calls in progress, the VBP will only be listening on TCP port 1720 for incoming calls. The VBP will provide dynamic H.323 application firewall rules to open and close the associated H.225, H.245 and UDP media ports for each call that successfully passes the TCP port 1720 signaling phase. The VBP will embed the public IP assigned to the WAN or Subscriber interface at Layer 5 to the called or calling endpoint. The VBP will also embed the ports below at Layer 5 as they pertain to the H.323 protocol process for H.225 call setup, H.245 media negotiation, and UDP media handling to and from the calling and called endpoints.

Important: For public Internet connectivity, the VBP E or VBP ST series models must have a publicly routable non-NAT'ed IP address assigned to the WAN or Subscriber-side interface.

A firewall must be configured to allow inbound and outbound H.323 protocols to the VBP, as well as other protocols used by the H.323 devices (such as SNTP) and to manage the VBP (such as SSH, HTTP, HTTPS, Telnet).

Since the VBP is a firewall proxy, all H.323 packets will have a source or destination IP address that is the VBP's Subscriber (VBP-S or ST) or WAN (VBP-E) IP address. You can use this to help set up the appropriate firewall rules.

VBP RTP media ports will always be even numbered (for example, 16386, 16388). Odd numbered ports will be used for RTCP (for example, 16387, 16389). The port ranges will be used in a circular hunt from lowest to highest per platform. The VBP 5300 E-10 and E-25 models do not have a reduced port number that equals the bandwidth model. Therefore, a single port range is used for both models.

Using the VBP in a firewall DMZ configuration, the following protocols are required: RAS, Q.931 (H.225), H.245, and RTP, as specified per platform.

# **Required Ports**

This section contains tables that define the ports that are required to implement a VBP with a third-party firewall. Table 1 defines the ports that the VBP could use, depending on the deployment scenario. Tables 2 to 8 list the ports and directional relationship you need to know to configure a DMZ port filtering rules set in various deployment scenarios.

Table 1

In all cases		
FTP	TCP	21 (optional)
HTTP	TCP	80 (optional for management)
HTTPS	TCP	445 (optional for management, this port is adjustable in the "HTTPS Certificate" page)
HTTPS	TCP	443 (Access Proxy)
XMPP	TCP	5222 (Access Proxy)
LDAP	TCP	389 (Access Proxy)
RTP	UDP	16386 - 17286 (200EW,4300T,4350,4350EW) 16386 - 25386 (5300-E/ST10 and E/ST25) 16386 - 34386 (6400-E/ST and E/ST 85
SNMP	UDP	161 (optional for management)
SSH	TCP	22 (optional for management)
Telnet	TCP	23 (optional for management)
TFTP	UDP	69 (optional)
SNTP	TCP	123 (optional)
TLS	UDP	1194 to VBP-ST from Remote TLS clients
TLS	UDP	1195 from VBP internal client to VBP external server
H.323 Endpoints		
Q.931 (H.225)	TCP	1720
RAS	UDP	1719
H.245	TCP	14085 -15084

# VBP-E DMZ required ports to and from the WAN interface

Table 2 shows the ports required for DMZ port filtering policies applied to the VBP-E WAN interface IP.

VBP-E H.323 Endp	oints Specific und from the Intel	rnet to VI	BP-E WA	N Interface IP
Internet SRC IP	Internet SRC Port	VBP DST IP	Proto	VBP DST port
Any	1024 – 65535	VBP WAN IP	TCP - H.225	1720
Any	1024 - 65535	VBP WAN IP	TCP – H.245	14085 - 15084 (contiguous range)
Any	1024 - 65535	VBP WAN IP	UDP - RTP	16386 - 17286 (200EW,4300,4350,4350EW) (contiguous range)
				16386 - 25386 (5300-E/S10 and E/S25) (contiguous range)
				16386 - 34386 (6400-E and S85) (contiguous range)
Outbo	ound to the Intern	et from V	BP-E W	AN Interface IP
VBP SRC IP	VBP SRC Port	Internet DST IP	Proto	Internet DST port
VBP WAN IP	14085-15084	Any	TCP – H.225	1024 – 65535 (Typically H.323 endpoints will use the well known H.225 port 1720)
VBP WAN IP	14085-15084	Any	TCP - H.245	1024 – 65535
VBP WAN IP	16386-17286 or 16386-25386 or 16386-34386	Any	UDP - RTP	1024 – 65535 (note: if the DST endpoint can support a limited port range, set to the endpoints DST media range. It is recommended to verify the solution before applying a granular policy on the DMZ firewall)

# VBP-E DMZ required ports inbound to the LAN interface

Table 3 shows the ports required for DMZ port filtering policies applied from the LAN H.323 endpoint to the VBP LAN interface IP. Depending on the mode the VBP is configured in, UDP port 1719 will only be required when using the Embedded or Wan Side gatekeeper modes.

Depending on the H.323 endpoints being supported by the VBP there may be configuration options to limit the TCP H.245 and UDP RTP port ranges. Check with each manufactures endpoint to verify these ports before applying a granular policy to the DMZ firewall.

Table 3

VBP-E H.323 Endpoi	nts Specific			
Inbound	from the LAN H.32	23 endpo	int to VE	SP LAN Interface IP
LAN SRC IP	LAN SRC Port	VBP DST IP	Proto	VBP DST port
Any	1719	VBP LAN IP	UDP - RAS	1719 (needed if the Embedded gatekeeper is enabled)
Any	1720	VBP LAN IP	TCP - H.225	1720
Any	1024 – 65535 (can be limited depending on the endpoint)	VBP LAN IP	TCP - H.245	14085 - 15084 (contiguous range)
Any	1024 – 65535 (can be limited	VBP LAN IP	UDP - RTP	16386 - 17286 (200EW,4300,4350,4350EW) (contiguous range)
	depending on the endpoint)			16386 - 25386 (5300-E/ST10 and E/ST25) (contiguous range)
				16386 - 34386 (6400-E and E85) (contiguous range)

# VBP-E DMZ required ports outbound from the LAN interface

Table 4 shows the ports required for DMZ port filtering policies applied from the VBP LAN interface IP to the LAN H.323 endpoint. Depending on the mode the VBP is configured in, UDP port 1719 will only be required when using the Embedded or Wan Side gatekeeper modes.

Depending on the H.323 endpoints being supported by the VBP there may be configuration options to limit the TCP H.245 and UDP RTP port ranges. Check with each manufactures endpoint to verify these ports before applying a granular policy to the DMZ firewall.

Table 4

VBP-E H.323 Endpoi	ints Specific			
Outbound	I from VBP LAN Ir	nterface I	P to the I	_AN H.323 endpoint
VBP SRC IP	VBP SRC Port	LAN DST IP	Proto	LAN DST port
VBP LAN IP	1719	Any	UDP - RAS	1719 (needed if the Embedded gatekeeper is enabled)
VBP LAN IP	14085-15084	Any	TCP – H.225	1720
VBP LAN IP	14085 - 15084	Any	TCP - H.245	1024 – 65535 (can be limited depending on the endpoint)
VBP LAN IP	16386-17286 or 16386-25386 or 16386-34386	Any	UDP – RTP	1024 – 65535 (can be limited depending on the endpoint)

# VBP-ST DMZ required ports inbound from the Internet to the VBP (H.460 support)

In the scenario of a H.460-capable endpoint at a remote location that is registering to the Subscriber interface of a VBP-ST Series for far end NAT traversal using the H.460 protocol, the H.460-capable endpoint must be able to communicate to the Subscriber interface over the defined destination (DST) ports in table 5:

Please ensure that if there is a firewall between the H.460-capable endpoint and the Subscriber interface, the endpoint can communicate over these ports and protocols. Also, note that H.460 as a standard assumes that there is not an "H.323-helper" style service running on the firewall protecting the H.460 endpoint; if there is such a service running on the firewall, please disable it.

Table 6 will describe the reverse port orientation.

Table 5

VBP-ST H.323 with	H.460 support			
Inbound	from the Internet	to VBP-	ST Subso	criber Interface IP
Internet SRC IP	Internet SRC Port	VBP DST IP	Proto	VBP DST port
Any	1024 – 65535	VBP WAN IP	UDP - RAS	1719
Any	1024 – 65535	VBP WAN IP	TCP - H.225	1720 (alternate port may be configured in the H.323 page, port 1720 is the default)
Any	1024 - 65535	VBP WAN IP	TCP – H.245	14085 - 15084 (contiguous range)
Any	1024 - 65535	VBP WAN IP	UDP - RTP	16386 - 25386 (5300-E/ST10 and E/ST25) (contiguous range)
				16386 - 34386 (6400-E and ST85) (contiguous range)

# VBP-ST DMZ required ports outbound from the VBP to the Internet (H.460 support)

Deploying the H.460 protocol for far end NAT traversal will make predicting the source port the NAT router will use almost impossible as these NAT routers could use any port to PAT (Port Address Translation) or source the request from. For this reason it is not recommended to apply a granular port policy for the destination ports regardless if the endpoint supports a limited UDP RTP port range.

Table 6

VBP-ST H.323 wit	h H.460 support			
Outboun	d to the Internet f	rom VBP	-ST Subs	scriber Interface IP
VBP SRC IP	VBP SRC Port	Internet DST IP	Proto	Internet DST port
VBP WAN IP	1719	Any	UDP – RAS	1024 – 65535
VBP WAN IP	14085-15084	Any	TCP - H.225	1024 – 65535
VBP WAN IP	14085 - 15084	Any	TCP – H.245	1024 – 65535
VBP WAN IP	16386-25386 or 16386-34386	Any	UDP – RTP	1024 – 65535

# VBP-ST DMZ required ports inbound from the Internet to the VBP (H.460 and Access Proxy)

Deploying the VBP-ST to support the Access Proxy feature will require 3 additional ports as referenced in tables 5 and 6 above.

When the Access Proxy configuration is enabled the CMA Desktop or HDX systems installed at the remote locations will be provisioned to authenticate to the VBP-ST Subscriber IP address. The VBP-ST will provide security to the authentication request by inspecting the HTTP header information after decrypting the TLS HTTPS packet, if the packet passes these security checks the VBP-ST system forwards the request to the CMA server on the Provider or more typically called the LAN interface as a destination port 443 request to the CMA server. The CMA server will perform NTLM authentication challenges to verify the endpoints credentials are valid before forwarding the request to the CMA server.

When the CMA server and CMA Desktop or HDX client has successfully authenticated the VBP-ST will build dynamic iptables firewall rules for the IP address discovered in the original authenticated request, this IP address is typically the NAT routers public IP the request can from.

The iptables rules will be added for the source IP address for TCP port 5222 and TCP port 389 for the duration of the session, during this session keep-alive or heartbeat messages are monitored by the VBP to verify the client is still active for each remote client session. When a remote client becomes unresponsive or not actively sending these messages the system will start an aging process and when timed out remove the iptables firewall rules allowing access to the system.

Table 8 will describe the reverse port orientation.

Table 7

VBP-ST H.323 end	points Specific with	Access Pro	xy service	S
Inbound	from the Internet	to VBP-	ST Subso	criber Interface IP
Internet SRC IP	Internet SRC Port	VBP DST IP	Proto	VBP DST port
Any	1024 – 65535	VBP WAN IP	TCP - HTTPS	443 using TLS
Any	1024 – 65535	VBP WAN IP	TCP - XMPP	5222 using TLS
Any	1024 – 65535	VBP WAN IP	TCP - LDAP	389 using TLS
Any	1024 – 65535	VBP WAN IP	UDP - RAS	1719
Any	1024 – 65535	VBP WAN IP	TCP - H.225	1720
Any	1024 – 65535	VBP WAN IP	TCP – H.245	14085 - 15084 (contiguous range)
Any	1024 – 65535	VBP WAN IP	UDP - RTP	16386 - 25386 (5300-ST10 and ST25) (contiguous range)
				16386 - 34386 (6400-ST85) (contiguous range)

# VBP-ST DMZ required ports outbound from the VBP to the Internet (H.460 and Access Proxy)

Table 8

VBP-ST H.323 en	dpoints Specific with	Access Pro	oxy service	S
Outbound t	o the Internet fror	n VBP-S1	Γ WAN/Sι	ubscriber Interface IP
VBP SRC IP	VBP SRC Port	Internet DST IP	Proto	Internet DST port
VBP WAN IP	443 using TLS	Any	TCP - HTTPS	1024 - 65535
VBP WAN IP	5222 using TLS	Any	TCP - XMPP	1024 - 65535
VBP WAN IP	389 using TLS	Any	TCP – LDAP	1024 - 65535
VBP WAN IP	1719	Any	UDP – RAS	1024 – 65535
VBP WAN IP	14085-15084	Any	TCP - H.225	1024 – 65535
VBP WAN IP	14085 - 15084	Any	TCP - H.245	1024 - 65535
VBP WAN IP	16386-25386 or 16386-34386	Any	UDP - RTP	1024 – 65535

# VBP-ST DMZ required ports inbound from the LAN gatekeeper (H.323 and Access Proxy)

When the Access Proxy configuration is enabled the CMA Desktop or HDX systems installed at the remote locations will be provisioned to authenticate to the VBP-ST Subscriber IP address. The VBP-ST will provide security to the authentication request by inspecting the HTTP header information after decrypting the TLS HTTPS packet, if the packet passes these security checks the VBP-ST system forwards the request to the CMA server on the Provider or more typically called the LAN interface as a destination port 443 request to the CMA server. The CMA server will perform NTLM authentication challenges to verify the endpoints credentials are valid.

The VBP will not source this request as port 443, it will dynamically assign the source port, however the VBP will source the request as the Layer 3 IP address configured as the Provider IP.

Use the below chart to configure the VBP-ST in a DMZ port filtering on the LAN side; this is sometimes required for IT departments that want to monitor traffic going to/from the Provider or LAN interface of the VBP.

When deploying this scenario a routed gatekeeper model is required, this allows the dynamic provisioning ports (Access Proxy) and H.323 signaling to go direct between the VBP and the CMA. The UDP RTP media will go direct to/from the VBP to/from the LAN H.323 endpoint, if the LAN H.323 endpoints can support a fixed UDP RTP media range the DMZ filter policy can be reduced from the below ranges discussed. When deploying these scenario's it is advised to not apply a strict DMZ policy when installing the system for the first time. When the system is installed and test calls for all features are successful in both directions, then apply a more granular DMZ firewall policy for only the required ports.

Table 10 will describe the reverse port orientation.

Table 9

VBP-ST H.323 endpoints	Specific with A	ccess Prox	ky services	
Inbound from the L		ekeeper terface l	•	int to VBP-ST Provider
LAN SRC IP	LAN SRC Port	VBP DST IP	Proto	VBP DST port
CMA IP	443 using TLS	VBP LAN IP	TCP - HTTPS	1024 – 65535
CMA IP	5222 using TLS	VBP LAN IP	TCP – XMPP	1024 – 65535
CMA IP	389 using TLS	VBP LAN IP	TCP – LDAP	1024 – 65535
CMA or gatekeeper IP	1719	VBP LAN IP	UDP - RAS	1719
CMA or gatekeeper IP	1720	VBP LAN IP	TCP - H.225	1720
CMA or gatekeeper IP	1024 - 65535	VBP LAN IP	TCP - H.245	14085 - 15084 (contiguous range)
LAN H.323 endpoint IP or subnet	1024 - 65535	VBP LAN IP	UDP - RTP	16386 - 25386 (5300-ST10 and ST25) (contiguous range)
				16386 - 34386 (6400-ST85) (contiguous range)

# VBP-ST DMZ required ports outbound to the LAN gatekeeper (H.323 and Access Proxy)

Table 10

VBP-ST H.323 end	points Specific with A	ccess Prox	ky services	
Outbound f		Provider per or e		IP to the LAN H.323
LAN SRC IP	LAN SRC Port	VBP DST IP	Proto	VBP DST port
VBP LAN IP	1024 – 65535	CMA IP	TCP - HTTPS	443 using TLS
VBP LAN IP	1024 – 65535	CMA IP	TCP – XMPP	5222 using TLS
VBP LAN IP	1024 – 65535	CMA IP	TCP – LDAP	389 using TLS
VBP LAN IP	1719	CMA or gatekeeper IP	UDP – RAS	1719
VBP LAN IP	14085-15084	CMA or gatekeeper IP	TCP - H.225	1720
VBP LAN IP	14085 - 15084	CMA or gatekeeper IP	TCP - H.245	1024 - 65535
VBP LAN IP	16386-25386 or 16386-34386	LAN H.323 endpoint IP	UDP - RTP	1024 - 65535

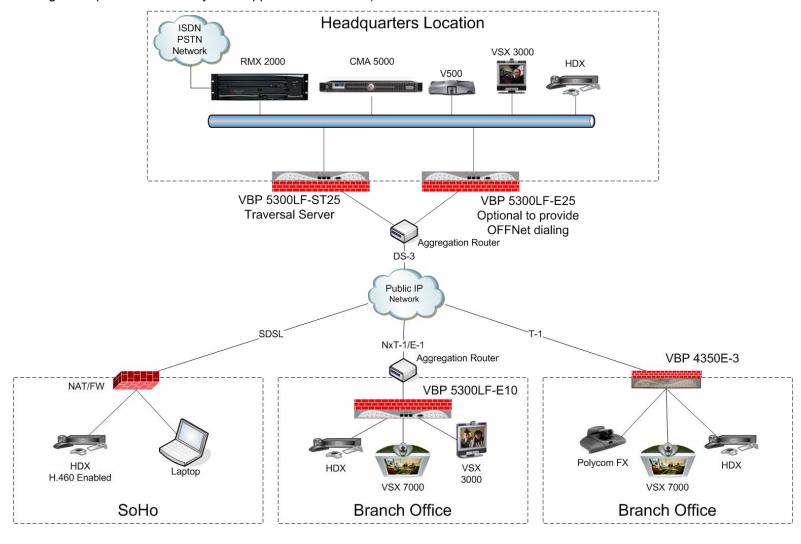
# **VBP** Topologies

# Overview

The VBP-series appliance communicates with other sites that use multiple topologies and administrative policies. The VBP appliance can work with a centralized gatekeeper or one or more distributed gatekeepers. It may also act as an embedded gatekeeper in a distributed model.

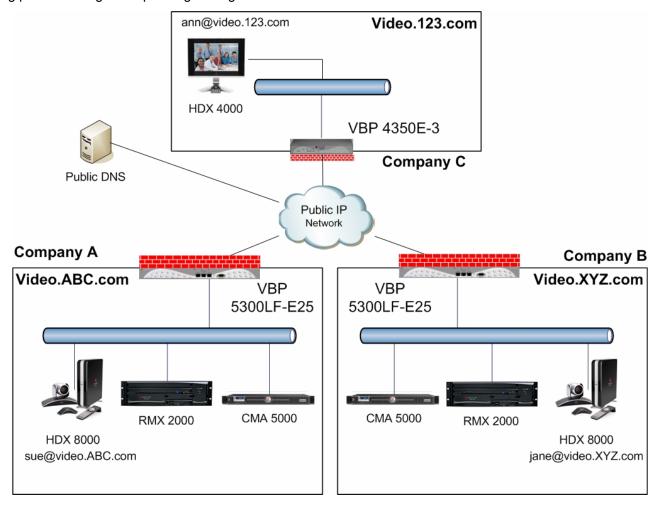
# Centralized Gatekeeper Diagram

In this diagram, the headquarters location 5300LF-ST25 is configured for a LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper mode with the CMA 5000's IP configured; the VBP's in the branch offices are VBP-E series and are configured in WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode with the 5300LF-ST25's Subscriber (or public IP) configured. This configuration allows the remote endpoints to be centrally registered to the CMA server for call control. This configuration allows the CMA server's services to extend past the enterprise network. (CMA is a gatekeeper reference only, this could be most H.323 gatekeepers in the industry that support "routed mode")



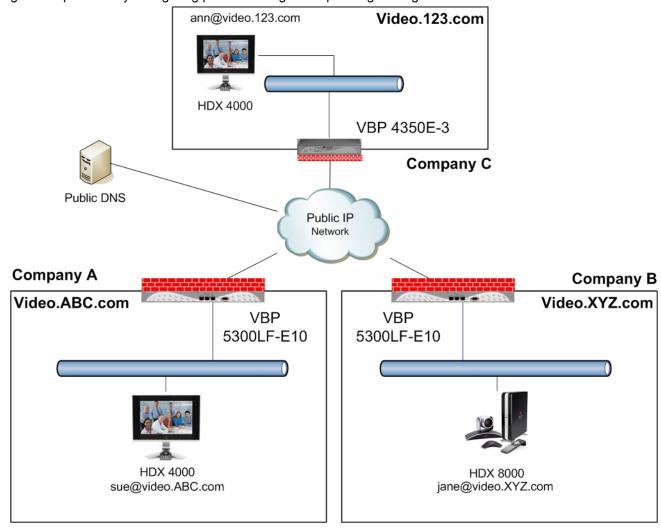
# Distributed Gatekeeper Diagram - 1

In this diagram the example is 3 different companies using a mix of "Embedded Gatekeeper" and "LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper" modes. Company A and B have the LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper technology deployed and Company C did not have any H.323 info-structure, Company C chose to use the Embedded gatekeeper on the VBP-E series. All 3 companies had requirements to communicate with one another over H.323 video technology. Each deployed the VBP as a security border device to allow secure traversal from their internal network to the external "un-trusted" network; in this case the Internet was the transport of choice. This diagram also shows the use of DNS based ANNEX O dialing; while possible, most deployments to date use ANNEX O dialing <a href="E.164@VBP-WAN-IP">E.164@VBP-WAN-IP</a> methods. Direct gatekeeper neighboring is also possible by configuring prefix based gatekeeper neighboring.



# Distributed Gatekeeper Diagram - 2

In this diagram the example is be 3 different companies using the "Embedded Gatekeeper" mode on the VBP-E series platform. This diagram could also be the same company that only had a single endpoint requirement and had no existing H.323 info-structure. This diagram also shows the use of DNS based ANNEX O dialing, while possible, most deployments to date use ANNEX O dialing <u>E.164@VBP-WAN-IP</u> methods. Direct gatekeeper neighboring is also possible by configuring prefix based gatekeeper neighboring.



# Configuring the VBP E-Series Appliance for LAN-side Gatekeeper Mode

Configure the VBP E-series appliance by specifying parameters on the following two pages in the Configuration Menu:

The H.323 Settings page

The H.323 Neighboring page (optional)

Aliases Manipulation (optional)

- 1. To access the H.323 Settings page, select **VoIP ALG > H.323** in the Configuration Menu. The following screen appears.
- 2. In the Gatekeeper mode area, select the LAN/Subscriber-side Gatekeeper Mode. (2)
- In the LAN/Subscriber-Side Gatekeeper mode settings area, enter the IP address of the gatekeeper in the LAN/Subscriber-side GK address field. (3)
- 4. Click **Submit** to save the changes.

You can also optionally complete the following fields.

### Allow public IP in LCF

Select this checkbox if the gatekeeper has been deployed with multiple outbound proxies and you must decide which proxy to use based on the IP address returned in the LCF.

Note: This is an advanced configuration option and should usually not be selected.

#### **Default Alias**

The default alias can be added to incoming calls without a destination message in the Q.931 Setup message. This field is typically set to static MCU meeting room, or an IVR entry queue, this can also be a defined conference room system for adhoc meetings

Specify one of the following two types of default aliases:

E.164

H.323

H.323 Settings	Help
H.323 protocol settings.	
Gatekeeper mode The gatekeeper mode configuration should work in WAN/Provider-side gatering-Proxy mode, or embedded gatering (H.323 is disabled)	atekeeper mode, atekeeper mode.
C WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mo	ode2
CLAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper m	node
C Peering-Proxy mode (configure pre	fixes)
C Embedded gatekeeper mode	
WAN/Provider-side GK address: Modify Time-To-Live: New Time-To-Live (s):	300
Gatekeeper reachability:	N/A
Catekeeper reachability:  LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper r The H.323 gatekeeper that all incom to. It is possible to have a LAN side peering-proxy mode as well.	node settings ing calls should be forwarded
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#### Max aliases

Enter the maximum number of allowed aliases. If the value is set to 0, the maximum is not enforced.

You can also optionally enable the LAN-side gatekeeper to provide prefix routing functionality by specifying values on the H.323 Neighboring page.

To access the H.323 Neighboring page, select VoIP ALG > H.323 > Neighboring in the Configuration Menu.

To enable prefix routing functionality, review the following list when completing the featured fields on the H.323 Neighboring page:

#### **Action**

Indicates whether a prefix routing rule is to be added or edited.

#### **Prefix**

Specifies the prefix pattern to be matched against the dialing string.

#### Index

Determines the order in which the rule is scanned in the Prefix and Gatekeeper Neighboring table. To add a rule between two rules with consecutive indexes (n and m), use the higher index (m).

### Strip

Indicates whether the matching prefix is stripped from the dialing string.

#### Add

Specifies a string to be pre-pended to the dialing string.

## Neighbor

Determines whether a location request (LRQ) is sent when this prefix matches. If enabled, the prefix becomes a neighboring statement. If disabled, the incoming Q.931 Setup is forwarded to the given address without a preceding LRQ. When the incoming Q.931 Setup is forwarded without a preceding LRQ, this is sometimes referred to as "prefix-routing".

This field is used for interoperability with other gatekeepers that may not accept a Setup without a preceding LRQ.

### H.323 Neighboring

<u>Help</u>

### Prefix Routing and Gatekeeper Neighboring

The prefix routing table can be used to forward incoming calls based on their dialed alias.

Prefix and Gatekeeper Neighboring table							
Select: All None Action: Delete							
	Index	Prefix	Strip	Add	Neighbor	Local Zone	Address
The list is currently empty							

Add a prefix	
Action:	Add new prefix
Prefix:	
Index:	
Strip:	
Add:	
Neighbor:	
Local Zone:	
Address:	
Commit Reset	

#### **Local Zone**

Provides compatibility with remote Cisco IOS gatekeepers that are configured to accept LRQs only from sources that match its configured remote zone. If a gatekeeper is configured to accept requests only from a known source, enter the zone in this field.

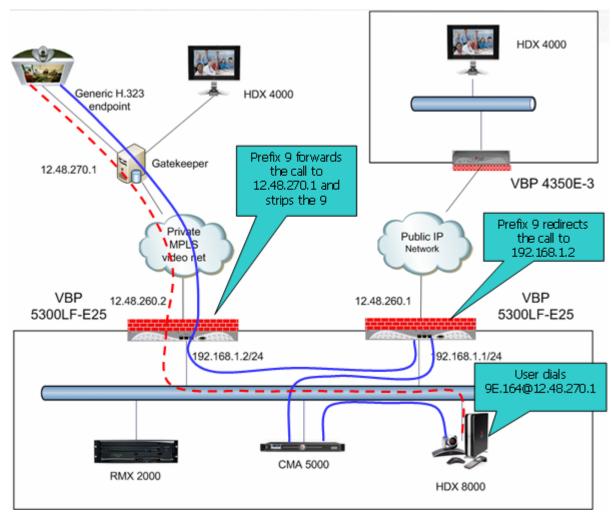
#### **Address**

Specifies the IP address or domain name of the device to which the call is to be forwarded.

This example shows the use of prefix routing and prefix based gatekeeper neighboring. The CMA gatekeeper on the LAN is provisioned to use the Internet VBP as its SBL/ALG, in this VBP there is a prefix route for digit 9 to the LAN address of the MPLS egress VBP, the call is redirected to the MPLS VBP. The MPLS VBP receives the call see the 9 prefix, strips the 9 and forwards the call to the gatekeeper for the remote endpoints E.164.

There are many methods for using prefix or LRQ based routing, you could simplify your frequently dialed locations by adding a prefix i.e if you dial 5551000@12.48.270.1 on a daily basis you could enter a prefix of "09" to address 12.48.270.1 and strip "09" then you could simply dial 095551000 to reach this destination.

This method can also be used in "Embedded gatekeeper" mode



# Alias Manipulation

You can optionally replace characters or strings that are hard or impossible to dial on certain endpoints before they are associated with IP addresses that are specified on the **H.323 Neighboring** page by completing fields on the **H.323 Alias Manipulation** page.

This feature is useful for endpoints that cannot easily dial ANNEX O user@host methods, most H.323 system remotes have the \* and # symbols on the key pad, and not to many have the @ symbol, for this reason default patterns have been set on the VBP. If a user wishes to dial 1234@1.1.1.1 they can enter the string as 1234#1\*1\*1\*1 and the VBP by default will translate this string as an ANNEX O method.

This feature is commonly used in VBP-E series in Embedded gatekeeper mode

To access the **H.323 Alias Manipulation page**, select **VoIP ALG > H.323 > Alias Manipulation** in the Configuration Menu.

#### **Action**

Indicates whether the rule is to be added or edited.

#### **Pattern**

Specifies the pattern to be matched.

#### Index

Determines the order in which the rule is scanned in the Destination H323-ID or E.164 Alias Modification table. To add a rule between two rules with consecutive indexes (n and m), use the higher index (m).

#### Replace

Specifies the string that will replace the matched pattern.

### H.323 Alias Manipulation

Help

#### Destination H323-ID or E.164 Alias Modification

The alias modification table can be used to modify aliases before they are acted on.

Destination H323-ID or E.164 Alias Modification				
Select: All None Action: Delete				
	Index	Pattern	Replace	
	1	#	@	
	2	\*c		

Add a rule	
Action:	Add new rule 🕶
Pattern:	
Index:	
Replace:	
Commit Reset	

# Configuring the VBP E-Series Appliance for Embedded Gatekeeper Mode

Configure the VBP E-series appliance by specifying parameters on the following two pages in the Configuration Menu:

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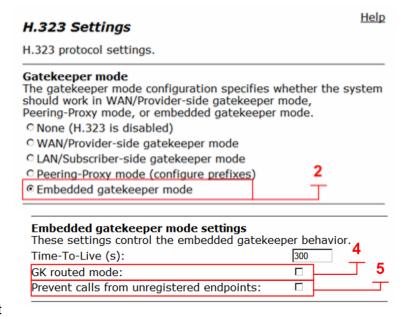
To access the H.323 Settings page, select **VoIP ALG > H.323** in the Configuration Menu.

- 1. Select Embedded Gatekeeper Mode (2)
- In the Embedded Gatekeeper mode settings area, confirm the value of the **Time-To-Live (s)**. The time is entered in seconds. The entered time determines how long an endpoint's registration should be valid. At the end of this period the endpoint will send another registration request.
- 3. Confirm that **Prevent calls from unregistered endpoints** is checked. By default this option is not enabled to allow for multiple ingress/egress scenario's (5)
- 4. Click **Submit** to save the changes.

You can also optionally complete the following fields.

## GK routed mode (4)

Specifies whether the system should allow signaling to go directly between endpoints when possible (unchecked) or always route signaling between endpoints (checked). This option is useful when you have multiple gatekeepers on the LAN, or you wish to use the Embedded gatekeeper in combination with a VBP-ST as the ST's gatekeeper, when using the system in this manner gatekeeper route mode must



be enabled. If you are deploying the Embedded gatekeeper as a stand alone system, you can leave this option unchecked.

### Default Alias (6)

The default alias can be added to incoming calls without a destination message in the Q.931 Setup message. Specify one of the following two types of default aliases: E.164 and H.323. As noted previously the default alias can be set for different reasons, a common configuration for a SoHo can be to deploy the Embedded gatekeeper and a single video system, you can set the default alias to this single system to allow users to call you by just dialing the WAN IP of the VBP, the VBP will receive the call without a DST E.164 and then forward the call to the defined default alias.

### **Delete stale clients (optional)**

Select this checkbox to enable the stale timer feature.

### Stale time (m) (optional)

Specify the length of the interval in minutes.

### Listen to multicast messages (7)

Select this checkbox to enable listening to multicast messages. This option enables automatic gatekeeper discovery if enabled on the endpoints. The Embedded gatekeeper will reply and the endpoint will automatically register to this gatekeeper. Caution: having 2 gatekeepers with this enabled will cause unpredictable endpoint registration and calling behavior.

### Max Aliases (optional)

Enter the maximum number of allowed aliases. If the value is set to 0, the maximum is not enforced.

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Stale time	e (m):	60
Some RAS	Messages 5 messages can be multicast in ord tekeepers.	der to automatically
Listen to	multicast messages:	-
Alias Res The maxir Max Alias	mum number of aliases to be allow	ved to register

You can also optionally enable the Embedded gatekeeper to provide prefix routing functionality by specifying values on the H.323 Neighboring page. To access the H.323 Neighboring page, select **VoIP ALG** > **H.323** > Neighboring in the Configuration Menu.

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#### Action

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Neighbor:	
Local Zone:	
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#### **Local Zone**

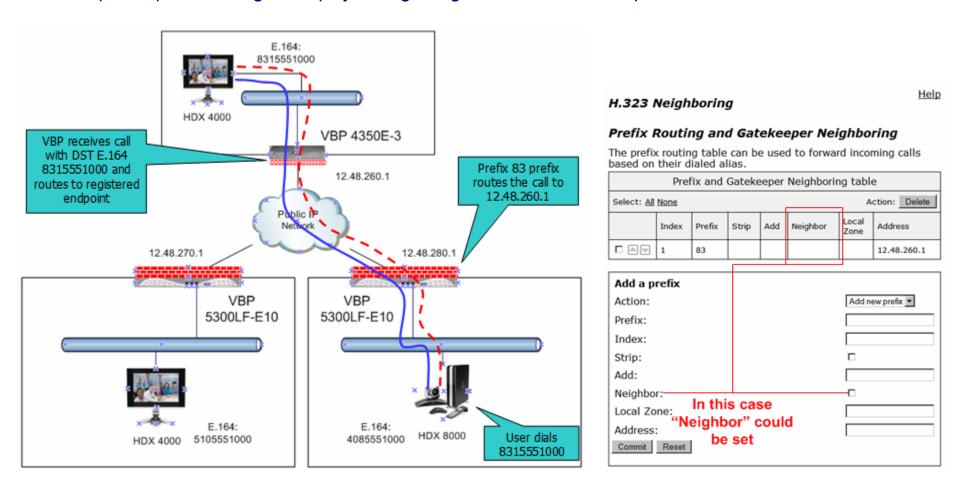
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#### **Address**

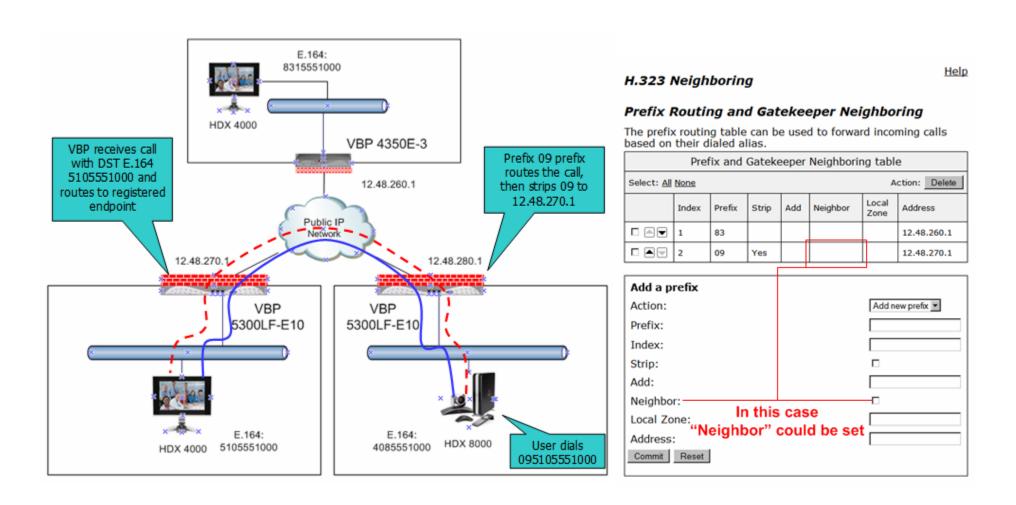
Specifies the IP address or domain name of the device to which the call is to be forwarded.

Help

# Example for prefix routing to simplify dialing using the DST E.164 as a prefix



# Example of Prefix routing to simplify the dial plan and use extra routing digits



# **Peering Proxy Overview**

H.323 prefixes can be used to route calls based on a matching prefix in the destination alias of the call. Each prefix is associated with a domain name or IP address to send the call to in case the prefix matches.

The prefixes are searched in order, that is, the first prefix is tried first, and then the next one on the list until the system finds a matching prefix. This means that if there are multiple matching prefixes, the first one is used.

# **How Peering Proxy Works**

VBP supports the concept of an H.323 Peering Proxy. This function provides advanced security layers or peering points within the network where a security layer is needed. Peering Proxy allows network providers to add internetworking connections between their "trusted" network and an unknown network. This topology hides their trusted network and the Stateful packet inspection Firewall provides the policies to ensure security. You can add Peering Proxies in series with one another to push the core H.323 networking infrastructure to meet individual security requirements. The illustrations below shows a sample diagram with dial plan and call flow examples. It is a snapshot of how the Peering Proxy can be deployed. Peering Proxy however, is not limited to this specific scenario, contact your Polycom representative to discuss specific network requirements for full Peering Proxy support.

**Note:** A minimum configuration for Peering Proxy would be for inbound only prefixes, since there may be many endpoints to statically route calls to. There might also be a master gatekeeper to which all endpoints are registered. In this case, you would only need 1 prefix pointing to the master gatekeeper and let that gatekeeper signal the other endpoints directly.

In the example below, the VBP Peering Proxy is installed in "Private Video Network A and B," a peering point into this network. This network could have additional peering points to allow topology spreading of network resources. However, this example shows only a single point. Peering Proxy provides an access point into this network and is responsible for the E.164 dial plan using NANP (North American Numbering Plans or NAP's). The NAP's in this case are 831 and 408.

Dial plan integrity is required to insure proper routing of prefixes. This means that if users are to dial into your network, they could be required to enter a "Prefix" on their VBP with a corresponding destination IP. If the user was to dial another user NOT destined to your network with the same beginning prefix, the prefix configured on this VBP would create a prefix match and the call would route incorrectly. The call routes to the destination defined in the prefix and not to the intended endpoint. The example shows "Private Video Network A's Peering Proxy" with an inbound prefix defined as 8315...... Any inbound call that matches 8315 with any 6 digits creates a prefix match and sends the call to 10.10.11.1. Refer to "Regular Expressions" in the Info button on the GUI interface for information on all the methods for defining prefixes.

Private Video Network A is one example of a VBP configured in "LAN Side Gatekeeper" mode with an ANNEX O dial method to dial "Off Net." Internal "On Net" endpoints registered to the LAN Side Gatekeeper will dial E.164 only. This allows any location to place calls to any location with an ANNEX O dial plan, that is, E.164@WAN\_IP or other VBP's deployed on the network. In this example a Peering Proxy has been deployed to allow dialing ingress and egress to the Public Internet. At each VBP location required to egress, the Public Internet requires a "Prefix" to be configured. This allows that location's endpoint to dial "Off Net" to the Public Internet. This prefix can be configured to any digit and may be part of the externally dialed E.164 in the E.164@WAN\_IP, that is, to reach site A by dialing 4155551000@66.20.20.4 where the prefix is defined as 415\* or 415....... In this example, a "9" was chosen. The prefix is then mapped to the LAN interface of the Peering Proxy 10.10.11.1. The dial string is

now 94155551000@66.20.20.4 and a strip rule for the prefix is applied. This is needed to route the call at the destination correctly. If the Site C

VBP does not strip the "9", the destination VBP fails the call with a "No Registered Client" message (call failures can be viewed under the "H323 Activity" page in the GUI), since the "9" becomes part of the E.164. If you choose a prefix that matches the destination E.164, set Site A's VBP to NOT strip matching prefixes.

**NOTE:** In this illustration E.164@WAN\_IP was used as an example. Peering Proxy and all VBP's support user@host ANNEX O dialing methods, for example 123@1.1.1.1 or abc@1.1.1.1 or abc@abc.com with a DNS SRV record configured to point to an A record for the WAN IP of the VBP.

The following sections demonstrate the Dial Plan for ingress and egress calls to Private Video Network A as shown in the illustration.

#### Outbound from Site C to Site A

Site C dials an endpoint located at Site A: 94155551000@66.20.20.4. The CMA receives the call and generates a Q.931setup to the VBP for that subnet. The VBP processes the Q.931 setup from the calling endpoint. The VBP looks for a prefix match. In this case, the "9" creates a match. The "Strip Matching Prefix" rule is applied, the "9" is stripped, and the call is routed to the Peering Proxy IP 10.10.10.1. The Peering Proxy applies the same rule set, in this case, NO matching prefix is found and ANNEX O dialing is applied. The call is now routed to Site A's VBP. The call is forwarded to the LAN Side CMA where the registered client with the E.164 of 4155551000 is located and the call is gatekeeper routed to the called endpoint.

#### Inbound from Site A to Site C

Site A dials: 8315551000@67.40.40.4. (The destination IP is the Peering Proxy WAN IP address.) The Peering Proxy is configured with prefix 8315......and is mapped to the WAN IP of the VBP 10.10.11.1. As explained earlier, the prefix could be 831\* or 83...... and so on, depending upon dial plan requirements. The CMA receives the Q.931setup from the endpoint and forwards the call to the VBP for that subnet. The VBP receives the Q.931 setup from the calling endpoint. The VBP looks for a prefix match, finds NO matching prefix, and

Site C Site D E.164 512.555.1000 E.164 831.555.1000 CMA 5000 RMX 2000 Configured Prefixes Configured Prefixes 9 = 10.10.10.19 = 172.16.1.1 VBP Embedded 10.10.11.1 VBP LAN Side 172.16.2.1 Gatekeeper Mode Gatekeeper Mode Private Video Private Video Network B Network A E.164 Range E.164 Range 831..... 512..... 408... 925.. Configured Prefixes Configured Prefixes 10.10.10.1 172.16.1.1 8315..... = 10.10.11.1 5125..... = 172.16.2.1 VBP Peering Proxy 67.40.40.4 68.30.30.4 **VBP Peering Proxy** Mode Mode IP Endpoint no Gatekeeper **Public Internet** registration 61.10.10.4 **VBP LAN Side** VBP LAN Embedded Gatekeeper Mode 66.20.20.4 65.10.10.4 Gatekeeper Mode RMX 2000 E.164 415.555.1000 E.164 510.555.1000 Site A Site B

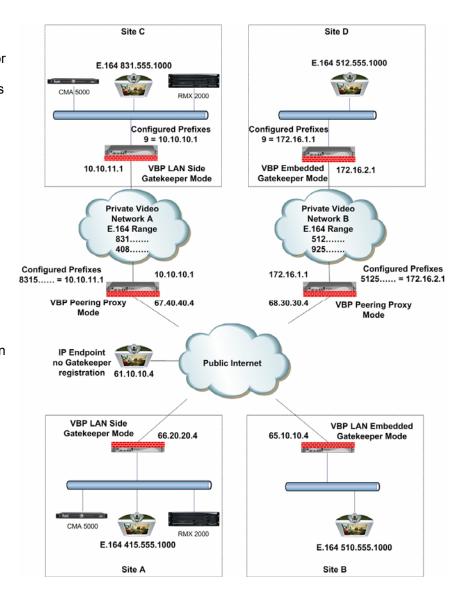
ANNEX O dialing is applied. The call is now routed to the Peering Proxy IP 67.40.40.4. The Peering Proxy receives the Q.931 setup and looks for a prefix match, in this case "8315" creates a match. The Peering Proxy now changes the destination IP to 10.10.11.1 and routes the call to Site A's VBP. The Q.931 setup is forwarded to the LAN Side CMA where the registered client with the E.164 of 8315551000 is located, and the call is gatekeeper routed to the called endpoint.

#### Outbound from Site C to Site D

Site C dials an endpoint located at Site D: 95125551000@68.30.30.4. The CMA receives the call and generates a Q.931 setup to the VBP for that subnet. The VBP processes the Q.931 setup from the calling endpoint. The VBP looks for a prefix match, in this case the "9" creates a match. The "Strip Matching Prefix" rule is applied, the "9" is striped, and the call is routed to the Peering Proxy IP 10.10.10.1. The Peering Proxy applies the same rule set, in this case NO matching prefix is found, and ANNEX O dialing is applied. The call is now routed to the Peering Proxy for "Private Video Network B" IP 68.30.30.4. The Peering Proxy receives the Q.931 and looks for a prefix match. In this case, "5125" creates a match. The Peering Proxy now changes the destination IP to 172.16.2.1 and routes the call to Site D's VBP. The VBP is configured for Embedded Gatekeeper Mode. In this mode, the endpoint is directly registered and an E.164 registered client match is made. The call is then routed to the called endpoint.

#### Outbound from Site D to Site B

Site D dials an endpoint located at Site B: 95105551000@65.10.10.4. The VBP Embedded Gatekeeper is configured with a prefix of "9" to point to Peering Proxy 172.16.1.1. The VBP looks for a prefix match. In this case, the "9" creates a match. The "Strip Matching Prefix" rule is applied, the "9" is striped, and the call is routed to Peering Proxy IP 172.16.1.1. The Peering Proxy applies the same rule set. In this case NO matching prefix is found and ANNEX O dialing is applied. The call is now routed to Site B. The VBP is configured for Embedded Gatekeeper Mode. In this mode, the endpoint is directly registered, an E.164 registered client match is made, and the call is routed to the called endpoint.



#### Outbound from Site C to Public IP Endpoint

Site C dials the public endpoint: 9@61.10.10.4. The CMA receives the call and generates a Q.931 setup to the VBP for that subnet. The VBP receives the Call setup from the calling endpoint, and the VBP looks for a prefix match. In this case, the "9" creates a match. The "Strip Matching Prefix" rule is applied, the "9" is stripped, and the call is routed to the Peering Proxy IP 10.10.10.1. The Peering Proxy applies the same rule set, in this case NO matching prefix is found, and direct IP dialing is applied.

#### Inbound from Public IP Endpoint to Site C

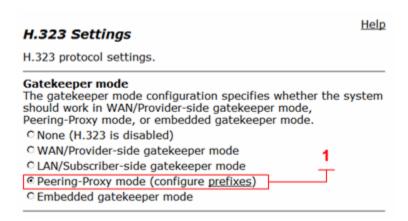
Public IP endpoint is NOT registered to a gatekeeper and must dial an IP+EXT to reach Site A's endpoint,. In this case, the IP address is 67.40.40.4 and EXT 8315551000. The Peering Proxy receives the call and looks for a prefix match. In this case "8315" creates a match. The Peering Proxy now changes the destination IP to 10.10.11.1 and routes the call to Site A's VBP. The Q.931 setup is forwarded to the LAN Side CMA where the registered client with the E.164 of 8315551000 is located, and the call is gatekeeper routed to the called endpoint.

### Configuring the VBP E-Series Appliance for Peering-Proxy Mode

Configure the VBP E-series appliance by specifying parameters on the following two pages in the Configuration Menu:

The H.323 Settings page The H.323 Neighboring page

- 1. To access the H.323 Settings page, select **VoIP ALG > H.323** in the Configuration Menu.
- 2. In the Gatekeeper mode area, select Peering-Proxy Mode. (1)
- 3. Click **Submit** to save the changes.
- 4. (configure <u>prefixes</u>) will link you to the Neighboring, this page is also available in the H.323 menu.



As an advanced function of Peering-Proxy, you can set a default IP address that you want to forward inbound call setup's that have no prefix match. By default the Peering-Proxy system is a prefix routing engine, and therefore you may not wish to terminate undefined destinations, however; you can set a default IP address to forward inbound calls from the WAN to a LAN side IP that has no prefix match by setting the IP in the LAN/Subscriber-side GK address. (2)

#### Adding an H.323 Prefix Entry

To access the H.323 Neighboring page, select **VoIP ALG > H.323 > Neighboring** in the Configuration Menu. The following screen appears.

# Note: in Peering-Proxy mode LRQ Neighboring is not possible since the system in this mode is not a gatekeeper

To enable prefix routing functionality, review the following list when completing the featured fields on the H.323 Neighboring page:

#### Action

Indicates whether a prefix routing rule is to be added or edited.

#### **Prefix**

Specifies the prefix pattern to be matched against the dialing string.

#### Index

Determines the order in which the rule is scanned in the Prefix and Gatekeeper Neighboring table. To add a rule between two rules with consecutive indexes (n and m), use the higher index (m).

#### Strip

Indicates whether the matching prefix is stripped from the dialing string.

#### Add

Specifies a string to be pre-pended to the dialing string.

#### LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper mode settings

The H.323 gatekeeper that all incoming calls should be forwarded to. It is possible to have a LAN side gatekeeper configured for peering-proxy mode as well.

LAN/Subscriber-side GK address:

By allowing public IP addresses to be returned in an LCF, the gatekeeper may be able to do more complex policy decisions. This field should usually not be enabled.

Allow public IP in LCF:

#### Help

#### H.323 Neighboring

#### Prefix Routing and Gatekeeper Neighboring

The prefix routing table can be used to forward incoming calls based on their dialed alias.

Prefix and Gatekeeper Neighboring table							
Select: All None Action: Delete							
	Index	Prefix	Strip	Add	Neighbor	Local Zone	Address
The list is currently empty							

Add a prefix	
Action:	Add new prefix 🔻
Prefix:	
Index:	
Strip:	
Add:	
Neighbor:	
Local Zone:	
Address:	
Commit Reset	

#### Neighbor (Do not set this, in Peering Proxy mode, the system does not support LRQ's)

Determines whether a location request (LRQ) is sent when this prefix matches. If enabled, the prefix becomes a neighboring statement. If disabled, the incoming Q.931 Setup is forwarded to the given address without a preceding LRQ. When the incoming Q.931 Setup is forwarded without a preceding LRQ, this is sometimes referred to as "prefix-routing".

This field is used for interoperability with other gatekeepers that may not accept a Setup without a preceding LRQ.

#### Local Zone (Do not set this, in Peering Proxy mode, the system does not support LRQ's, i.e. no Cisco gatekeeper support)

Provides compatibility with remote Cisco IOS gatekeepers that are configured to accept LRQs only from sources that match its configured remote zone. If a gatekeeper is configured to accept requests only from a known source, enter the zone in this field.

#### **Address**

Specifies the IP address or domain name of the device to which the call is to be forwarded.

### Regular Expressions

Alias manipulation patterns and prefixes use regular expressions to match a string in the destination alias. A regular expression can be a string of literal characters to match or a number of special expressions.

Alias manipulation patterns can match a sub-string anywhere and multiple times within the alias. Prefixes are always searched from the left of the alias and cannot match a middle part or the end of the alias.

Regular expressions

Negulai expressions					
	Matches any single character.				
	Matches any single character listed between the []. For example, [abc], [123]. If the characters are separated by a -, all characters between the two are matching, e.g. [a-z], [0-9]				
()	Matches the literal string given, e.g. (abc)				
	Matches the block on either side of the  , e.g. a b.				
?	Matches 0 or 1 of the preceding block.				
*	Matches 0 or more of the preceding block.				
+	Matches 1 or more of the preceding block.				
\	Escapes the special meaning of the next character.				
{a}	Matches exactly 'a' numbers of the preceding block.				
{a,}	Matches 'a' or more of the preceding block.				
{a,b}	Matches between 'a' and 'b' (inclusive) of the preceding block.				

Some examples of prefixes:

100	Matches the string 100.
(555)?123	Matches 555123 or 123.
(408 555)	Matches 408 or 555.
555[0-9]{3}	Matches 555 followed by exactly 3 digits.

# Centralized Gatekeeper Configuration

In the centralized gatekeeper model, the Main Headquarters gatekeeper is the only gatekeeper installed in the Enterprise network; while it is possible to have more than one gatekeeper in large Enterprises, this configuration exercise will reference a single gatekeeper. You can apply what this sections explains to deploy more than one gatekeeper and VBP-ST platform to provide geographically localized ingress points throughout your Enterprise.

As shown in the below diagram the VBP 5300LF-ST25 will extend the reach of the enterprise gatekeeper by allowing remote branch offices with VBP-E series or non-VBP SoHo offices using H.460 traversal methods to register back to the core gatekeeper. This could be viewed as a reverse firewall proxy for H.323/H.460 devices to reach the Enterprise gatekeeper for service.

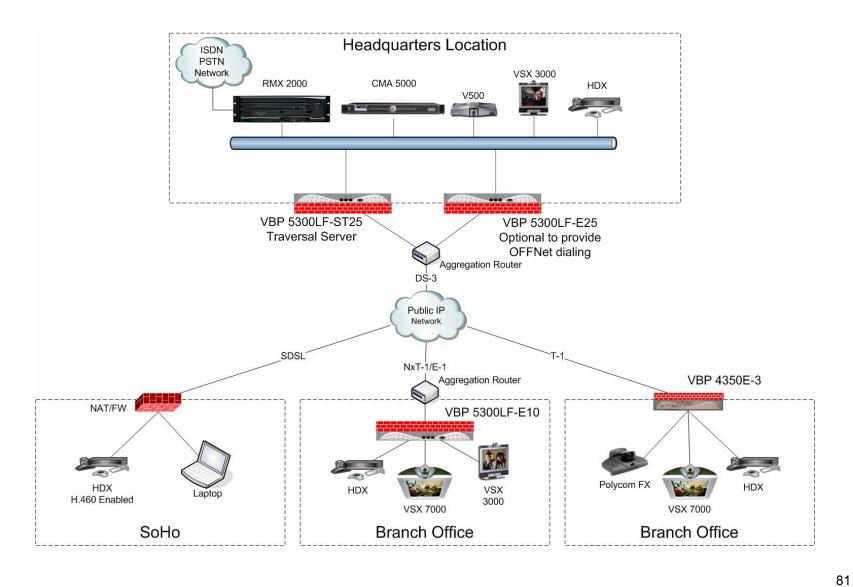
The VBP-ST platform can also support stand alone H.323 endpoints on the Internet that wish to register into the Enterprise gatekeeper. Some companies have deploy this for security reason to not allow any non-registered device outside of the Enterprise to communicate with internal or external registered users.

By default, the VBP-ST will allow any IP to send a registration request to the system, however, the gatekeeper can control which aliases are allowed to register to the gatekeeper.

Further security can be provided by the VBP-ST to only allow defined source IP's to create connections to the system, examples will be provided later in this document.

H.323 endpoints on the Internet/Subscriber side of the VBP-ST must register with this gatekeeper. These endpoints set there gatekeeper IP to the VBP E-Series LAN IP. The VBP E-Series then forwards the registration messages to the Subscriber IP of the VBP-ST, the VBP-ST then forwards the request to the actual gatekeeper.

# Centralized Gatekeeper Diagram



### Configuring the VBP S and ST-Series Appliance for Provider-side gatekeeper mode

Configure the VBP ST-series appliance by specifying parameters on the following pages in the Configuration Menu:

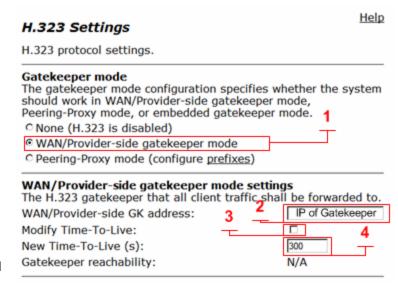
To access the H.323 Settings page, select **VoIP ALG > H.323** in the Configuration Menu.

In the Gatekeeper mode, select WAN/Provider-side Gatekeeper Mode. (1)

In the WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode settings area, **WAN/Provide-side GK address**, enter the IP of the gatekeeper, in this example the CMA 5000's IP (2)

**Modify Time-to-Live**, this is typically unchecked for most installation. (3)

Time-To-Live (s). The time is entered in seconds. The entered time determines how long an endpoint's registration should be valid. At the end of this period the endpoint will send another registration request. This option is typically not set, the TTL is being assigned by the gatekeeper and works for most installation, if this field is modified, it is typically a shorter period than what the gatekeeper is using, if the value is longer than the gatekeepers, the endpoint may become un-registered by the gatekeeper before the endpoints next registration interval. (3)



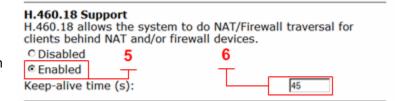
H.460.18 Support, in this case, the remote SoHo office is using a H.460 capable endpoint, confirm this is set to enable (5)

**Keep-alive time**, this value defaults to 45 seconds and is used by the H.460 endpoint to set the time between registration messages, the H.460 endpoint will typically cut this time in half and then send a registration message at that interval. The keep-alive and registration message provides the following H.460 functions, the UDP registration message is how the traversal server sends the H.460 endpoint an indication message that an incoming call is being requested, this allows the H.460 endpoint to setup an outbound TCP DST port 1720 connection to the traversal server to

forward the incoming call to this endpoint, with this UDP registration message the traversal server now understands what the NAT/FW IP address is and what SRC port the message is coming from, in order to forward the registration response and H.460 related message back to the H.460 endpoint. The default value has been found in the field to be a common working interval to keep the NAT contract alive in most NAT/FW devices. (6)

Click Submit to save the changes.

You can also optionally complete the following fields.



#### LRQ size (optional)

Limits the number of source aliases in a forwarded LRQ message to a maximum of two to allow interoperability with gatekeepers that cannot handle more than two source aliases.

#### Default Alias (typically not set in this mode)

The default alias can be added to incoming calls without a destination message in the Q.931 Setup message. Specify one of the following two types of default aliases E.164 and H.323

#### **Delete stale clients (optional)**

Select this checkbox to enable the stale timer feature.

#### Stale time (m) (optional)

Specify the length of the interval in minutes.

#### Listen to multicast messages (typically not set in this mode)

Select this checkbox to enable listening to multicast messages.

Note: RTP traffic cannot be routed directly between two remote endpoints that have H.460 enabled; H.460 traversal requires the RTP media to be relayed by the VBP-ST system

L <b>RQ size</b> Some gatekeepers do not accept the LRQ message. Limit LRQ size:	more than 2 source aliases in $\Box$
Default Alias A default alias can be added to i	ncoming calls without a

A default alias can be added to incoming calls without a destination alias in the Q.931 Setup message. By adding this alias, the embedded gatekeeper, or a LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper can route the call to a default endpoint.

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Default alias:		
® E.164		
○H.323		

#### Stale Time

The system can automatically delete clients when they have not sent any registration requests for a given period of time.

Delete stale clients:	
Stale time (m):	60

### **Multicast Messages**

Some RAS messages can be multicast in order to automatically detect gatekeepers.

Listen to multicast messages:

### H.460.18 Support

H.460.18 allows the system to do NAT/Firewall traversal for clients behind NAT and/or firewall devices.

© Disabled

Enabled

Keep-alive time (s):

45

#### Alias Restrictions

The maximum number of aliases to be allowed to register Max Aliases:

### Configuring the VBP E-Series Appliance for WAN-side Gatekeeper Mode

Configure the VBP E-series appliance by specifying parameters on the H.323 Settings page in the Configuration Menu.

To access the H.323 Settings page, select **VoIP ALG > H.323** in the Configuration Menu.

- 1. In the Gatekeeper mode area, select the WAN/Provider-side Gatekeeper Mode. (1)
- 2. In the WAN Provider-Side Gatekeeper mode settings area, enter the IP address of the VBP-ST subscriber interface in the WAN/Provider-side GK address field. (2)
- 3. **Modify Time-to-Live**, this is typically unchecked for most installation. (3)
- 4. **Time-To-Live (s).** The time is entered in seconds. The entered time determines how long an endpoint's registration should be valid. At the end of this period the endpoint will send another registration request. This option is typically not set, the TTL is being assigned by the gatekeeper and works for most installation, if this field is modified, it is typically a shorter period than what the gatekeeper is using, if the value is longer than the gatekeepers, the endpoint may become un-registered by the gatekeeper before the endpoints next registration interval. **(4)**
- 5. Click **Submit** to save the changes.

You can also optionally complete the following fields:

### Stale time (m)

Specify the length of the interval in minutes. Caution should be used when setting this, if this value is set below the gatekeepers TTL value, the VBP-E will remove the client, this causes the VBP-ST to remove the client, and then the gatekeeper will remove the client, which leave the endpoint un-reachable, until its TTL value expires and reregisters

Listen to multicast messages (typically not set in this mode)
Select this checkbox to enable listening to multicast messages.

Gatekeeper mode						
The gatekeeper mode configuration				system		
should work in WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode, Peering-Proxy mode, or embedded gatekeeper mode.						
O None (H.323 is disabled)						
WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper m	ode	$\neg$				
C LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper	mode					
C Peering-Proxy mode (configure pr	refixes	)				
C Embedded gatekeeper mode						
WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper in The H.323 gatekeeper that all clien	t traff	ic sha	<b>gs</b> II be forwa	rded to.		
WAN/Provider-side GK address:	3	2	IP of VE	3P-ST		
Modify Time-To-Live:	Ť.			4		
New Time-To-Live (s):			300	<u> </u>		
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Listen to multicast messages:	

#### **Max Aliases**

Enter the maximum number of allowed aliases. If the value is set to 0, the maximum is not enforced. This option can be set to control how many aliases are allow to register through to the gatekeeper, while this is typically a gatekeeper related task the VBP can control how many aliases can be proxied. When setting this value keep in mind that each endpoint typically has 2 aliases i.e. E.164 and H323ID, if you want to restrict 10 endpoints, you would enter a value of 20 in this field

# Access Proxy Summary and Configuration

Access Proxy is a feature added to the VBP-ST that allows authorized outside endpoints access to the CMA server for Dynamic mode services; this feature is the next step in Unified Communications. Access Proxy provides connectivity to the Enterprise directory server and provides the external clients with IM style point and click to initiate text chat, and launch video calls from a centralized directory of all users on the system. Access Proxy provides secure TLS (transport layer security) encrypted sessions for authentication, directory searches and real time buddy status, also known as Dynamic mode services.

The VBP-E system also supports the Access Proxy feature to provide remote SoHo or SME locations the ability to connect CMA Desktop and HDX system's to the corporate CMA server for dynamic provisioning.

Access proxy is a secure reverse proxy for Dynamic mode services, these services use the following protocols.

- HTTPS for authentication and configuration management
- XMPP "Jabber" or presence information to/from the remote clients
- LDAP Directory searching for users that you want to add as buddies
- H.323/H.460 For video and audio traversal

All protocols except H.323/H.460 use TLS to encapsulate the data in secure encrypted packets – H.323/H.460 does not use TLS encapsulation.

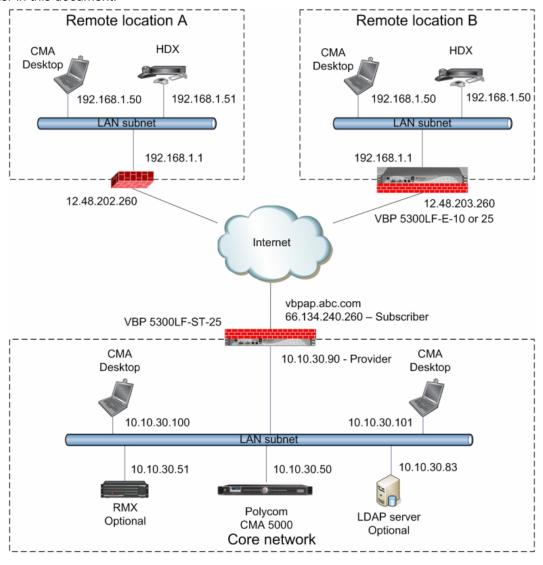
Access Proxy uses SSL based certificates to encrypt the session; Each SSL Certificate consists of a **public key and a private key**. The public key is used to encrypt information and the private key is used to decipher it. When a CMA desktop clients points to the Access Proxy, a Secure Sockets Layer handshake authenticates the server (Access Proxy) and the client (CMAD). An encryption method is established with a unique session key and secure transmission can begin.

Theory - Imagine sending mail through the postal system in a clear envelope. Anyone with access to it can see the data. If it looks valuable, they might take it or change it. An SSL Certificate establishes a private communication channel enabling encryption of the data during transmission. Encryption scrambles the data, essentially creating an envelope for message privacy.

The VBP is pre-installed with self signed certificates to configure the Access Proxy. These certificates can be changed with Signed certificates, from a CA (certificate authority) if you choose to. Access Proxy can have different certificates for each protocol making the SSL encryption different for each service

# **Access Proxy Diagram**

This diagram shows the supported network methods for deploying remote dynamic mode based clients. The Access Proxy enabled VBP-ST is installed at the core location with the CMA server. The remote locations have standard NAT/FW devices, the list of tested and known working devices will be listed later in this document.



#### NAT routers tested

Manufacture	Model -HW version	SW version	Multiple H.460 endpoints	Issues noticed
Netgear	WGR614-v9	1.2.2NA	Yes	none
Linksys	WRT54GL-v1.1	4.30.11	Yes	none
Dlink	WBR-1310-B1	2.00	No *	Router tends to reboot occasionally
Linksys	WRT54G2-v1	1.0.01	Yes	none
Belkin	F5D9231-4-v1	1.00.01	Yes	none

<sup>\*</sup> Dlink WBR-1310 can support only 1 H.460 endpoint, the first endpoint that registers is the only endpoint that will work, even if this 1st endpoint has been powered down. This router creates "H.323" connection tracking at the MAC layer, the only way to clear this is to reboot the router. After a reboot you can now register a new H.460 device.

### Software requirements for Interoperability

- CMA 4000/5000 server 4.01.02 or higher (see note)
- CMA Desktop 4.1.1 or higher
- HDX 2.5.0.5 or higher

Note: The following issues, which may impact VBP functionality, exist in CMA 4.01.02. These issues are addressed in CMA version 4.01.04

- Duplicate Aliases When a CMAD or HDX in dynamic mode moves from an internal CMA connection to an external VBP Access Proxy connection you might experience a scenario where the endpoint cannot connect to the CMA Server. An HDX endpoint is likely in this state if it displays an indicator stating that the gatekeeper service is down. A CMAD client is likely in this state if cannot progress beyond the "signing into the media server" message. In some cases, gracefully logging out of the internal location and waiting at least 10 minutes before an external login can reduce the chances of experiencing this issue.
- Dual Redundancy When deploying 2 VBP's and 2 CMA server's for what is called "Dual Redundancy" if the MASTER CMA server
  fails, this forces the BACKUP CMA server to have control of all services, it is possible when this CMA failover happens, this CMA
  server may NOT send responses from the VIP (virtual IP) causing messages to be sent from the physical IP, the VBP is expecting
  messages to come from the VIP and will not be forwarded to the remote client. When deploying "Single Redundancy" 2 VBP's and 1
  CMA server, If the MASTER VBP fails, the BACKUP VBP will take over and function as expected.

### **Prerequisites**

CMA server installed on the LAN subnet, this subnet can be on the same broadcast domain as the VBP, however it is not required. If the CMA is on a remote LAN subnet from the VBP's providers interface, there can be NO NAT devices between these subnets. H.323 traffic to/from VBP, CMA, RMX, and all endpoints must be on routed subnets. Routes must be added to the VBP for all LAN subnet's to communicate with the CMA and all video endpoints.

- Configure CMA network IP's and related network parameters
- From the VBP you should be able to send an ICMP ping to the CMA LAN IP and receive a response
- From the VBP you should be able to send an ICMP ping to a few LAN endpoints and receive a response
- Configure "users" on the CMA
- Configure the VBP as a "Network Device"

VBP-ST installed on the Public internet with NO NAT between the Subscriber interface and the public FW/NAT devices or public IP video endpoints. The VBP-ST system's Provider interface also cannot have a NAT device between this interface and the LAN side CMA server or LAN side endpoints. Installing a VBP-ST on a DMZ port for port monitoring is supported; please reference the DMZ Installation of the VBP – Required Ports discussed previously in this document.

- Configure VBP-ST network IP's and related parameters
- From the VBP you should be able to send an ICMP ping to a public IP and get a response
- Configure the VBP-ST in WAN/**Provider** side gatekeeper mode
- Configure the WAN/Provider side gatekeeper address as the CMA server IP
- Enable H.460-18 support keep-alive time = 45 (secs)
- Install your certificate default certificate provided
- · Configure Access Proxy protocols
- Configure "Route" in the GUI as necessary to support other subnets behind the WAN/Provider-side interface. In the diagram above a single subnet example was used.

VBP-E installed on the Public internet with NO NAT between the WAN interface and the public FW/NAT devices or public IP video endpoints. The VBP-E system's LAN interface also cannot have a NAT device between this interface and the LAN side endpoints. Installing a VBP-E on a DMZ port for port monitoring is supported; please reference the DMZ Installation of the VBP – Required Ports discussed previously in this document.

- Configure VBP-E network IP's and related parameters
- From the VBP you should be able to send an ICMP ping to a public IP and get a response
- Configure the VBP-E in LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper mode
- Configure the LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper address as the VBP-ST Subscriber IP
- Install your certificate default certificate provided
- Configure Access Proxy protocols
- Configure **Route** in the GUI as necessary to support other subnets behind the LAN side interface. In the diagram above a single subnet was used.

#### Address (A) Records

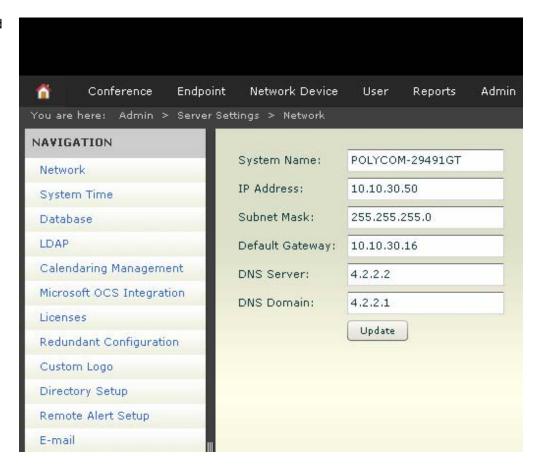
The address record allows you to map a name to an internet address. Every domain name has a primary address record which associates the domain name with an IP address. Consider the following example:

vbpap.abc.com. IN A 66.134.240.260

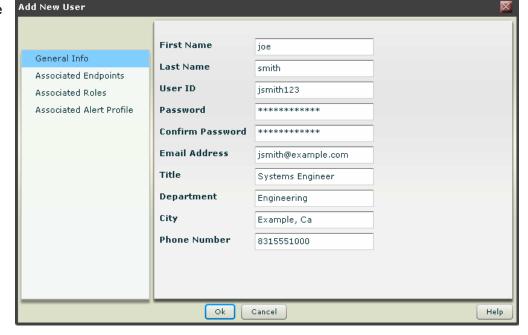
HDX Installed in the remote location and able to "ping" the DNS name of the VBP-ST interface

# Configuration steps for the CMA server

 Configure the CMA servers IP and related network parameters – note: the default gateway is set for the network IP of the corporate data firewall/NAT device – it is recommended for remote configuration tasks to manage the CMA server through the corporate data firewall.



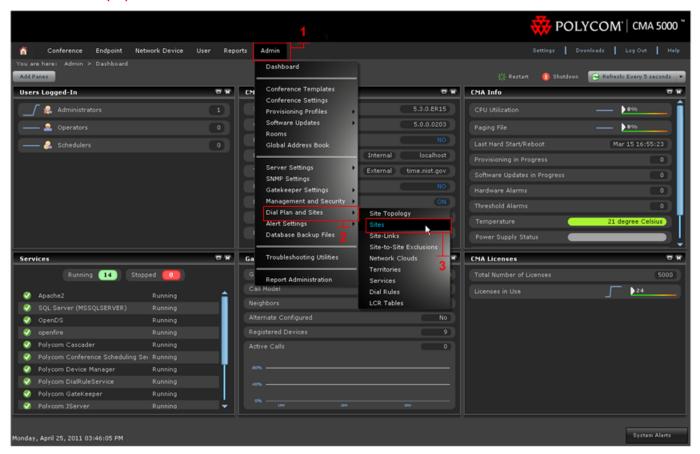
- 2. Configure CMA users in this example we will use the local CMA database for CMA users LDAP server is optional
  - Click -- > Users
  - Select "Add user"
  - Enter data
  - Select "ok"



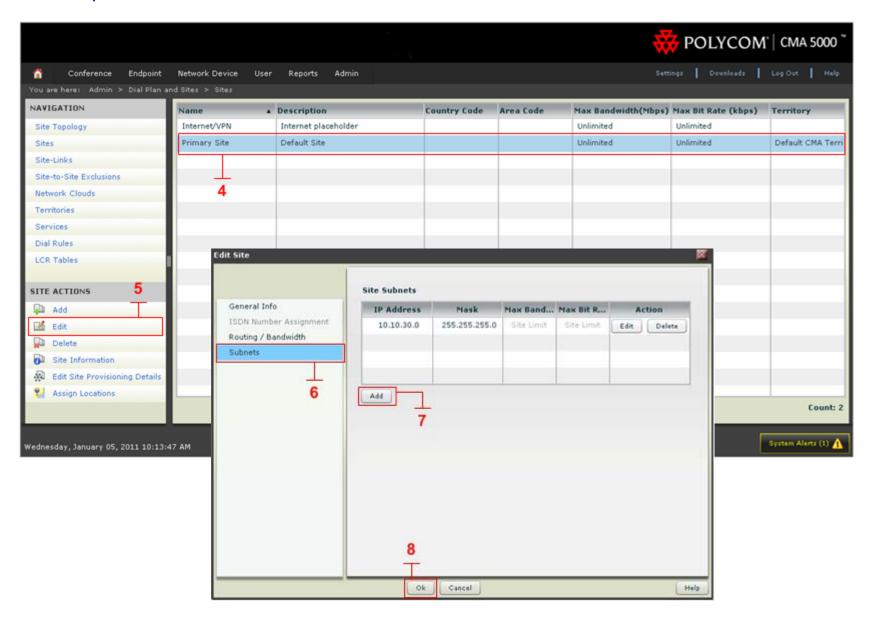
- 3. Configure the VBP as a Network Device
  - Click -- > Network Device -- > VBPs
  - Select "Add" under "Actions"
  - Enter data for the VBP
  - Select "Ok"



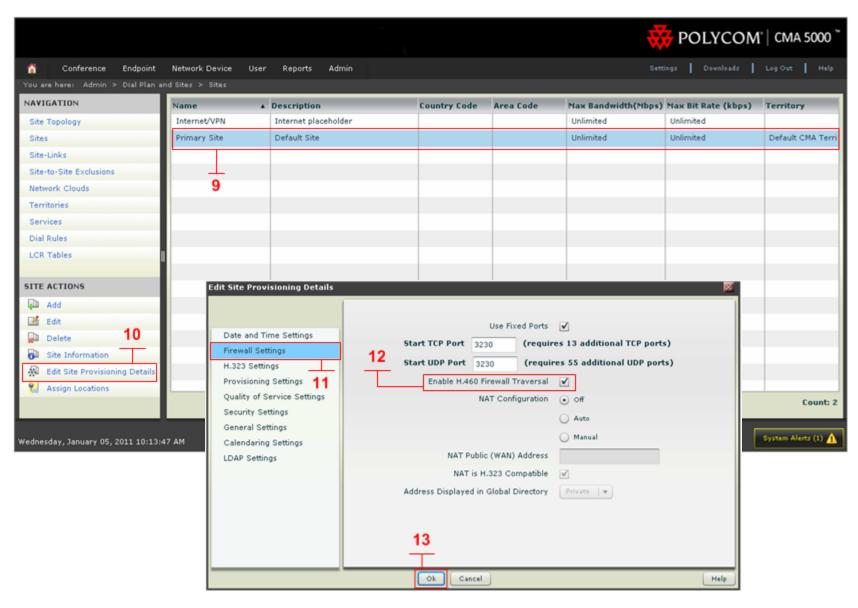
- 4. Enable H.460 Firewall Traversal and configure the subnet for the VBP-ST Provider interface.
  - Click -- > Admin (1)
  - Dial Plan and Sites (2) -- > Sites (3)
  - Select and highlight the Default site (4)
  - Click -- > Edit (5) edit site will appear
  - Click -- > Subnets (6)
  - Click -- > Add (7) the add subnet screen will appear. Add the Provider interface subnet the VBP-ST is configured as in this example 10.10.30.0 subnet mask 255.255.255.0 then click ok.
  - Click -- > Ok (8)
  - If the Default Site is not highlighted, select it (9)
  - Click -- > Edit Site Provisioning details (10) the Edit Site Provisioning Details will appear
  - Select -- > Firewall Settings (11)
  - Enable -- > Enable H.460 Firewall Traversal (12)
  - Select -- > Ok (13)



# **CMA Setup for Sites**



#### Screen shots for CMA "sites"



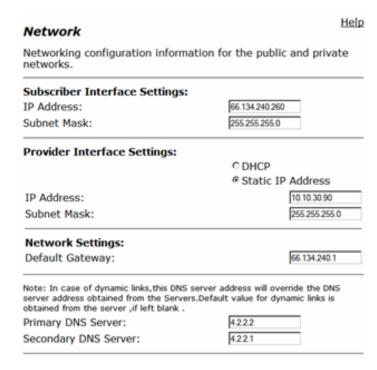
### Configuring the VBP-ST for Access Proxy

#### Configure the VBP-ST network parameters

- 1. Select > Network
- 2. Configure the Network parameters Note: on the 5300LF chassis "Provider Ethernet port is Port 2 and the Subscriber is Port 1 on the front panel" See the hardware guides to reference which interface port is used for the VBP platform you are using.
- 3. Select > Submit

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### Configure the VBP-ST VoIP ALG H.323 settings

- 1. Select > VoIP ALG
- 2. Select > H.323
- 3. Select > WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode
- 4. Enter data > WAN/Provider-side GK address = 10.10.30.50
- 5. Enable H.460.18 Support
- 6. Keep-alive time = 45 seconds (default)
- 7. All other parameters are default settings
- 8. Click > submit

Specify the **Gatekeeper mode** by selecting the desired mode. If "None" is selected, H.323 processing will be disabled. "WAN/**Provider**-side gatekeeper" mode will cause the system to forward all client RAS messages on port 1719 and 1720 to the gatekeeper.

**H.460.18 Support** allows the system to do H.460.18 NAT traversal for endpoints that support it. Remote endpoints need to have H.460.18 enabled as well for NAT traversal to work.

**Keep-alive time** is the time given to the endpoint, CMA desktop clients and other compatible H.460 endpoint's will use this interval for sending keep-alive packets. These packets keep the NAT/Firewall port bindings open and allows NAT traversal to work. A lower time will increase bandwidth usage but the time must be lower than the NAT/Firewalls port binding expiration time.

**Stale Time** settings allows for automatic deletion of stale endpoints if the **Delete stale clients** checkbox is enabled. An endpoint is considered stale if more than **Stale time** minutes have passed since the last registration from that client this will assist when using the CMA desktop in a mobile environment, i.e. moving from a home office to the corporate data network – the registration from one location needs to time out and be removed from the system in order for the same client to register in from a different location. The automatic deletion can be prevented by locking the client in the client list.

H.323 Settings	Help
H.323 protocol settings.	
Gatekeeper mode The gatekeeper mode configuration syshould work in WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper Proxy mode, or embedded gatekeeper None (H.323 is disabled) WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode Peering-Proxy mode (configure pref	ekeeper mode, Peering- mode. de
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WAN/Provider-side GK address:	10.10.30.50
Modify Time-To-Live:	TO.10.50.50
New Time-To-Live (s):	300
Gatekeeper reachability:	Reachable
If no Q.931 port is specified, the defa Q.931 Port:	oult port of 1720 is used.
Stale Time The system can automatically delete sent any registration requests for a g Delete stale clients:	
Stale time (m):	60
Multicast Messages Some RAS messages can be multicast detect gatekeepers. Listen to multicast messages:	t in order to automatically
H.460.18 Support H.460.18 allows the system to do NA clients behind NAT and/or firewall dev	
© Enabled	
Keep-alive time (s):	45
Alias Restrictions The maximum number of aliases to be	e allowed to register

Max Aliases:

Reset

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#### Access Proxy Certificates

<u>Help</u>

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Certificate						
Select: All None Action: Delete						
	Certificate	Private Key	Password			
	ssl_cert.pem					
	ssl_key.pem					
	vbpcrt.pem	vbpkey.pem				
Add a certificate						
Act	Action: Add new certificate					
Certificate: Browse						
Private Key: Br		owse				
Password:						
Со	Commit Reset					

# Configure the VBP-ST Access Proxy protocols

- 1. Select > System
- 2. Select > Access Proxy
- 3. Configure your proxy ports as shown below
  - a. 443
  - b. 389
  - c. 5222
- 4. Enable Access Proxy > click Commit

In the below example the same certificate was used "vbpcert.pem" you could use a different certificate for each entry if desired.

#### Optional settings

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Select **Debug Log Level** to change the level of output needed for diagnosing connection issues e.g. INFO provides transaction messages or DEBUG which provides a complete output including authentication messages.

Note: If you have changed certificates on the CMA server and pushed the new certificate to the VBP you must define the new CMA certificate when configuring the Access Proxies e.g cma.cert.pem

Name	Туре	Subscriber Port	Subscriber Certificate	CMA Address	CMA Port	CMA Certificate
HTTPS	HTTPS	443	vbpcrt.pem	10.10.30.50	443	cma.cert.pem
LDAP	LDAP	389	vbpcrt.pem	10.10.30.50	389	cma.cert.pem
XMPP	XMPP	5222	vbpcrt.pem	10.10.30.50	5222	cma.cert.pem

#### Access Proxy

An access proxy can provide a secure connection between Subscriber clients and CMA servers.

Settings	
Enable Access Proxy:	V
Logging	
Enable Access Proxy syslog:	✓
Enable Access Proxy debug:	
Debug LogLevel:	INFO 🔻
Commit Reset	

	Access Proxy							
Sele	Select: All None Action: Delete							
	Name	Туре	Subscriber Port	Subscriber Certificate	CMA Address	CMA Port	CMA Certificate	
	https	HTTPS	443	vbpcrt.pem	10.10.30.50	443	vbpcrt.pem	
	LADP	LDAP	389	vbpcrt.pem	10.10.30.50	389	vbpcrt.pem	
	XMPP	XMPP	5222	vbpcrt.pem	10.10.30.50	5222	vbpcrt.pem	

Add an access proxy	
Action:	Add new access proxy 🔻
Name:	
Type:	Select type ▼
Subscriber Port:	
Subscriber Certificate:	Select certificate
CMA Address:	
CMA Port:	
CMA Certificate:	Select certificate
Commit Reset	

# Configuring the VBP-E for Access Proxy

#### Configure the VBP-E network parameters

- 1. Select > Network
- 2. Configure the Network parameters Note: on the 5300LF chassis "Provider Ethernet port is Port 2 and the Subscriber is Port 1 on the front panel" See the hardware guides to reference which interface port is used for the VBP platform you are using.
- 3. Select > Submit

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Network					
Networking config	uration information f	or the public and private networks.			
LAN Interface Se	ttings:				
IP Address:		192.168.1.1			
Subnet Mask:		255.255.255.0			
IPv6 Address/Prefi	x:	/			
Enable VLAN supp	ort				
Default VLAN ID:		1			
WAN Interface II	Pv6 Settings:				
	IPv6 WAN Interface	to use:			
Disabled					
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O DHCP					
⊙ Static IP					
O VLAN					
© EVDO					
○ <u>T1/E1</u>					
IP Address:	12.48.203.260				
Subnet Mask:	255.255.255.0				
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Network Settings					
Default Gateway:	12.48.203.1				
DNS servers:					
		address will override the DNS server address namic links is obtained from the server, if left			
Primary DNS Serve	r:	4.2.2.2			
Secondary DNS Se	rver:	4.2.2.1			
-	dundancy Settings:				
Enable Ping based	status detection:				
Ping Host:					
Note: If the Ping host	is left blank, the default o	pateway for the interface will be pinged.			
To configure Secon	ndary Interface click	<u>here</u>			
Submit Reset					

<u>Help</u>

### Configure the VBP-E VoIP ALG H.323 settings

- Select > VolP ALG
- Select > H.323
- 3. Select > WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode
- 4. Enter data > WAN/Provider-side GK address = 66.134.240.260
- 5. All other parameters are default settings
- 6. Click > submit

Specify the **Gatekeeper mode** by selecting the desired mode. If "None" is selected, H.323 processing will be disabled. "WAN/**Provider**-side gatekeeper" mode will cause the system to forward all client RAS messages on port 1719 and 1720 to the gatekeeper.

**Stale Time** (Optional) settings allows for automatic deletion of stale endpoints if the **Delete stale clients** checkbox is enabled. An endpoint is considered stale if more than **Stale time** minutes have passed since the last registration from that client this will assist when using the CMA desktop in a mobile environment, i.e. moving from a home office to the corporate data network – the registration from one location needs to time out and be removed from the system in order for the same client to register in from a different location. The automatic deletion can be prevented by locking the client in the client list.

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H.323 protocol settings.

#### Gatekeeper mode

The gatekeeper mode configuration specifies whether the system should work in WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode, Peering-Proxy mode, or embedded gatekeeper mode.

- O None (H.323 is disabled)
- WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode
- O LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper mode
- © Peering-Proxy mode (configure prefixes)
- © Embedded gatekeeper mode

#### WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode settings

The H.323 gatekeeper that all client traffic shall be forwarded to.

WAN/Provider-side GK address:

Modify Time-To-Live:

New Time-To-Live (s):

Gatekeeper reachability:

Reachable

#### LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper mode settings

The H.323 gatekeeper that all incoming calls should be forwarded to. It is possible to have a LAN side gatekeeper configured for peering-proxy mode as well.

LAN/Subscriber-side GK address:

By allowing public IP addresses to be returned in an LCF, the gatekeeper may be able to do more complex policy decisions. This field should usually not be enabled.

Allow public IP in LCF:

#### Embedded gatekeeper mode settings

These settings control the embedded gatekeeper behavior.

Time-To-Live (s):

GK routed mode:

Prevent calls from unregistered endpoints:

#### **Custom Q.931 Port**

Set the port returned in Admission Confirm (ACF) messages. If no Custom Q.931 port is set, the default port of 1720 is used. The system will continue to listen for incoming Q.931 connections on the default port 1720 even if a Custom Q.931 Port is set.

Custom Q.931 Port:

1720

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Add a certificate				
Action:	Add new certificate 🔻			
Certificate:		Browse	]	
Private Key:		Browse	]	
Password:				
Commit Res	et			

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#### Access Proxy

Commit

Reset

This page supports only IPv4 addressing.

An access proxy can provide a secure connection between LAN clients and VBP ST servers.

HTTPS Provisioning for VBP is enabled on port= 445.

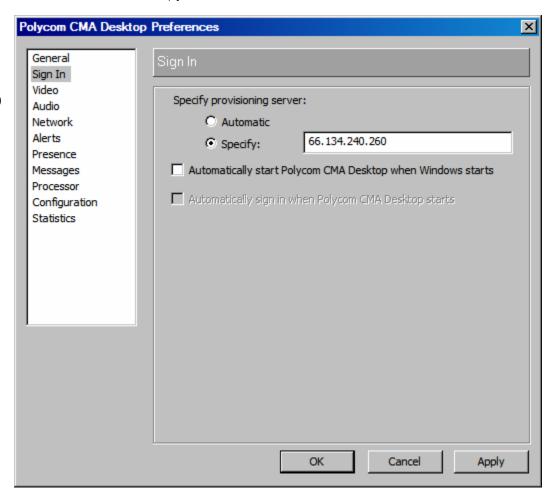
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	HTTPS	HTTPS	443	vbpcrt.pem	66.134.240.260	443	vbpcrt.pem	
	LDAP	LDAP	389	vbpcrt.pem	66.134.240.260	389	vbpcrt.pem	
	XMPP	XMPP	5222	vbpcrt.pem	66.134.240.260	5222	vbpcrt.pem	
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LA	LAN Certificate:			Select certificate ▼				
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VB	P ST Por	t:						
VBP ST Certificate: Select certificate								

# CMA Desktop Configuration for VBP-ST Access Proxy access

You will need to define the "Provisioning Server" (VBP-ST Subscriber IPv4 address) you want to connect to.

#### Open the CMA desktop application

- 1. Select > Menu
- 2. Select > Preferences
- 3. Click on the "Sign In" tab
- 4. Specify provisioning server > 66.134.240.260
- 5. Select > Apply then Ok

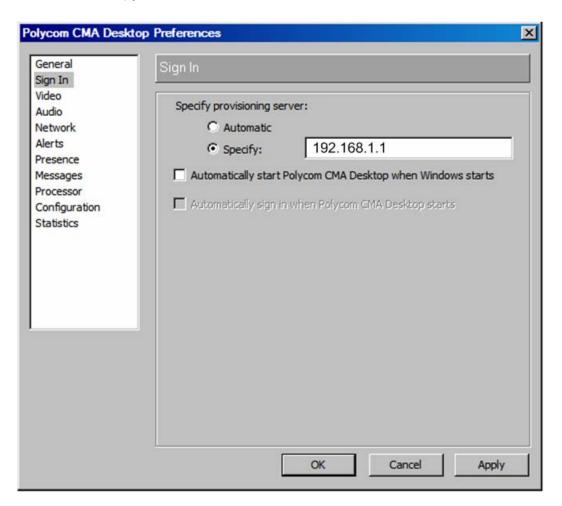


# CMA Desktop Configuration for VBP-E Access Proxy access

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- 5. Select > Apply then Ok



### Sign into the CMA server

- 1. Polycom CMA Desktop User Name > local\jsmith
- 2. Password > the password you created for this user on the CMA "User" setup
- 3. Click > Sign in

The CMA desktop client will now create and HTTPS, LDAP, XMPP and H.323/H.460 connections to the Access Proxy for CMA access.



### HDX Configuration for VBP-ST Access Proxy access

For systems prior to having 2.5.0.5 firmware installed it may be necessary to factory restore the system before configuring the system for dynamic mode services. The dynamic mode configuration parameters automatically configure certain system parameters i.e. H.323, LDAP settings, when this automated configuration happens as part of the new Access Proxy installation you can no longer change these parameters on the GUI. Changes to these fields will be controlled from the CMA interface.

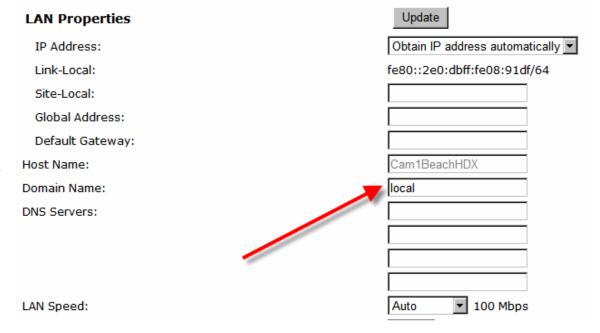
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Below are the minimal settings for configuring a HDX for dynamic mode using the HDX GUI

#### **Configure the LAN Properties**

- Click -- > Admin Settings (you will be re-directed to the HTTPS interface and if security is enabled, the system will prompt you for a "Login and Password"
- 2. Click -- > LAN Properties
- 3. Enter a "Domain Name" this parameter needs to be set, in the below screen shot the CMA's "local" domain was defined, however you could enter "example.com". For future reasons this should be set to a valid DNS resolvable domain.
- 4. Click -- > Update (the system will now restart)



#### **Configure the Provisioning Service**

- 1. Click -- > Admin Settings (you will be re-directed to the HTTPS interface and if security is enabled, the system will prompt you for a Login and Password
- 2. Click -- > Global Services
- 3. Click -- > Provisioning Service
- 4. Domain Name: Enter the CMA domain in the screen shot local was the default CMA domain when the CMA was configured.
- 5. User Name: Enter the CMA configured user jsmith
- 6. Change Password: Select this to show the password options and enter the password for user jsmith note: after the system configures this user it will NOT show any password characters when re-visiting this page.
- 7. Server Address: Enter the VBP-ST Subscriber IPv4 address or DNS name
- 8. Click -- > Update

Note: Adding or changing a DNS A record on the public Internet DNS server's can take 24 hours to propagate, try pinging the DNS name from a PC using the same DNS server IP's before entering the DNS name in the HDX.

Provisioning Service	Update
Domain:	local
User Name:	jsmith
Change Password	☑
New Password:	•••••
Confirm Password:	•••••
Server Address:	vbpap.abc.com

# HDX Configuration for VBP-E Access Proxy access

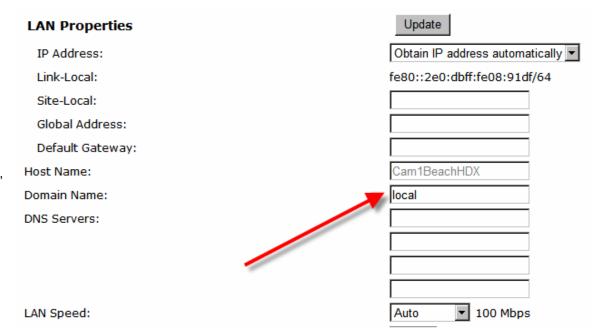
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- 8. Click -- > Update

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Provisioning Service	Update
Domain:	local
User Name:	jsmith
Change Password	▼
New Password:	•••••
Confirm Password:	•••••
Server Address:	192.168.1.1

#### **Troubleshooting Access Proxy**

Using the VBP-ST for connection related troubleshooting will be the method discussed. The CMA server can give you some immediate information using the logs; however, if there is no connection to the CMA server, the VBP's CLI interface will be the best place to start when diagnosing a connection related issue.

The best method to connect to the VBP for troubleshooting is the CLI interface. The VBP supports SSH and telnet to give you CLI access; SSH is the recommended method to connect to the CLI.

When troubleshooting you will need the CLI login/password, this login/password is not documented for security reason's, please call Polycom Support 800.POLYCOM – 800.765.9266

If you are not familiar with SSH, you can do an Internet search for putty and download this freeware client. Putty is a secure shell client and encrypts the session to ensure no-one listening on port 22 can intercept your session and see clear text commands.

- 1. Check to see if the Access Proxy service is bound to the ports you've defined.
  - a. Login with SSH
  - b. Type > netstat -ap

Example IP's only, the IP's were changed to protect the innocent

#### # netstat -ap Active Internet connections (servers and established) Proto Recv-Q Send-Q Local Address Foreign Address State PID/Program name \*:\* tcp 0 0 10.10.30.90:5060 LISTEN 30356/mand 0 0 12.48.203.90:5060 \*:\* LISTEN 30356/mand tcp \*:\* 0 0 66.134.240.260:389 LISTEN 11134/accessproxyd tcp 0 0 66.134.240.260:5222 \*:\* LISTEN 11134/accessproxyd tcp 0 0 \*:80 \*:\* 605/boa tcp LISTEN 0 0 \*:21 \*:\* LISTEN 602/inetd tcp 0 0 \*:22 \*:\* LISTEN 620/sshd tcp 0 \*:23 \*:\* LISTEN 602/inetd 0 tcp \*:\* tcp 0 0 10.10.30.90:1720 LISTEN 30356/mand tcp 0 0 66.134.240.260:1720 \*:\* LISTEN 30356/mand \*:\* tcp 0 0 66.134.240.260:443 LISTEN 11134/accessproxyd 0 300 66.134.240.260:22 198.144.260.20:2245 ESTABLISHED 24321/sshd: root@tt tcp 0 \*:514 udp 0 \* • \* 625/syslogd 0 0 66.134.240.260:161 \*:\* 30145/snmpd udp 0 10.10.30.90:161 \*:\* 30145/snmpd udp 0 0 0 10.10.30.90:1719 \*:\* 30356/mand udp 0 0 66.134.240.260:1719 30356/mand udp \*:\* udp 0 0 \*:69 \*:\* 602/inetd 0 \*:255 \*:\* 0 7 30356/mand raw Active UNIX domain sockets (servers and established) Proto RefCnt Flags Type State I-Node PID/Program name Path /tmp/.mandctl socket unix 2 DGRAM 883383 30356/mand [ ] unix 2 STREAM 883419 30380/asterisk /var/run/asterisk.ctl [ ACC ] LISTENING unix 2 DGRAM 883385 30356/mand /tmp/.mandctl dbg socket Γ 1 unix 5 DGRAM 625/syslogd [ ] 2452 /var/tmp/log unix 2 DGRAM 2103293 605/boa [ ] unix 2 883391 30356/mand [ ] DGRAM 606/cron unix 2 [ ] **DGRAM** 2488

You will see the "accessproxyd" process bound to port 443, 389 and 5222, this verifies the access proxy is running and listening to the correct ports.

You can also run a "ps" and see all processes running, however, if you run a "ps | grep access" you will get a more specific output that shows only the access proxy processes.

#ps   g	rep access			
11134	root	11556	S	/usr/local/bin/accessproxyd
11140	root	11556	S	/usr/local/bin/accessproxyd
11141	root	11556	s	/usr/local/bin/accessproxyd
11143	root	11556	S	/usr/local/bin/accessproxyd
11146	root	11556	S	/usr/local/bin/accessproxyd

Since we are in this section to verify the access proxy process, if your CMAD client cannot initialize the media service you want to look at the "mand" process, as shown in the output of netstat –ap; you'll see mand listening on port 1720 and 1719. Port 1719 is listening on both the Subscriber and Provider IP's for RAS registration messages, port 1720 is also listening on both interface's for call setup.

The output of "ps | grep mand" should show multiple instances of mand, note the "state" column, "S" is what you should expect, if you see a "Z" for either the accessproxy or mand process, this mean's the process is in a "zombie" state, meaning a portion of the process is dead, but still existing. If you find this, collect the following and contact Polycom support with the output.

Note: collect the data required, if this was a previously working solution and you are troubleshooting a connection related problem and you find a zombie, entering "reboot" on the CLI may temporarily get you back and running, however collecting the data and getting to the root cause will solve the issue permanently, please collect the data below before rebooting and then contact Polycom Support.

- cat /var/log/messages
- cat /var/log/messages.old
- mandctl dbg replay
- cat /var/replay.cfg
- cat /var/mand/tinfo
- ns
- vmstat 3 (leave this run for a few lines, then crtl c to stop)

The above will give the development team some historical date of the system state when the zombie accrued and possibly why it happened – Note: it is likely that more debug will be requested by support if the above is inconclusive.

2. Check that your Access Proxy port connections are being received and forwarded.

For this process support will need traces, to setup a trace follow the below instructions. The VBP uses a linux kernel and supports the "tcpdump" command, this command tells the sub-system to capture a full decode of the packets that are coming in on the wire on the interface defined. This capture is then FTP-ed off the VBP system to a FTP server and then opened with the "WireShark" application to assist in troubleshooting many issues associated with connection problems.

For the first step we need to create a temporary space on the VBP's flash drive to capture these packets – note: this temporary space will not survive a reboot and should be un-mounted after the traces are taken, as this space is taking available memory the system "could" need at a later date, so its very important to un-mount the space.

On the CLI type

Type - > mount -t tmpfs tmpfs /etc/images -o size=8m

Note: you can cut&paste the above command, however the "-t" maybe converted to ".t" make sure you correct the syntax if it does not paste correctly.

Now type "df" and you will see file system /etc/images/ mounted with 8megs of space

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	tmpfs	8192	0	8192	0%	/etc/images

You are now ready to start the trace. The most common method support uses is to trace on the "any" interface, this allows for a single trace to capture both the provider and subscriber related traffic

tcpdump -s 0 -ni any not port 22 -w /etc/images/ANYap.pcap

The filename "ANYap.pcap" can be anything, if your troubleshooting a H.323 related connection issue, its handy to have different names for your traces (i.e. ANYh323.pcap etc.)

What is also handy is to filter out unwanted traffic. Above the "not port 22" qualifier filters out the SSH session traffic. Remember, there is only 8 megs of space to work with, and if there is RTP video traversing the VBP at the same time, the temporary space can fill up very fast, perhaps in a matter of seconds.

If the temporary disk fills up to fast, your trace will be useless because you may have missed the packets your trying to capture verses the normal working traffic, this really depends on what your troubleshooting, let me give you an example.

If support was trying to figure out why "Remote location A" couldn't connect to the access proxy, support would filter on that locations source IP

```
tcpdump -s 0 -ni any host 12.48.202.260 or host 10.10.30.50 -w /etc/images/ANYremoteA.pcap
```

This allows the trace to only capture packets to/from 12.48.202.260 and packets going to to/from the CMA. Unfortunately as all connection request packets go through the access proxy, they will all be destine for 10.10.30.50; however it will limit the Subscriber traffic quite a bit and allow support to look through the trace and find the packets going out the to the CMA more easily. This will limit the size of the trace and allow you more time to capture data before the temporary /etc/images 8MB space fills up – this is our mission, capture the relevant data while the problem is happening, and have that data be as specific as we can.

Other filters can make capturing the data more specific, if you're already comfortable with the tcpdump command you can set the filter as needed for what your trying to capture.

If you an Internet search for tcpdump, there are many filters, however the above should get support what they need for problem isolation.

To stop the trace enter "crtl c" that's hold the "ctrl" key on your keyboard and depress the letter "c"

Now that you have created the trace, you need to upload this to a FTP server, or if you are familiar with the SCP (secure copy) application you can attach directly to the VBP and copy the file to your hard drive. Note: SCP also uses SSH methods to connect to the VBP, so the session is secure/encrypted. WinSCP is also a free ware application that can be downloaded.

To FTP the file to a FTP server:

```
cd /etc/images
```

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type "pwd" print working directory – this will show you where you are on the system type "Is" this stand for "list the files" similar to a windows "dir"

```
# cd /etc/images
# pwd
/etc/images
# 1s
ANYremoteA.pcap
#
Below is a sample FTP connection, the commands in blue is what was typed.
# ftp 204.202.2.260
Connected to 204.202.2.260.
```

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220-Welcome to ABC Networks FTP server!
220-
220-Please send any questions or reports about this server to
220-support@abc.com
220 204.202.2.260 FTP server ready
Name (204.202.2.260:root): jsmith
331 Password required for jsmith.
Password: *****
230 User jsmith logged in.
Remote system type is UNIX.
Using binary mode to transfer files.
ftp> lcd /etc/images
Local directory now /etc/images
ftp> put *.pcap
local: ANYremoteA.pcap remote: ANYremoteA.pcap
200 PORT command successful
150 Opening BINARY mode data connection for ANYremoteA.pcap
226 Transfer complete.
ftp> bye
221 Goodbye.
```

You can now login to the FTP server you put the file on and retrieve it to view the packets in WireShark. Note: this is also a free ware application that can be downloaded.

Always remember to "rm" remove and unwanted traces and remove traces between captures to ensure you get the full use of the 8MB temporary disk space.

Note: Make sure you have FTP-ed the traces you want off the system before removing them, once removed you cannot recover the file.

```
# pwd
/etc/images
# 1s
ANYh323.pcap ANYremoteA.pcap
# rm *.pcap
# 1s
#
```

When you are done capturing its very important to "umount" /etc/images Note: You cannot umount /etc/images/ if you in this directory.

After the umount command type "df" and you should not see /etc/images mounted.

Type - > umount /etc/images

See below example

```
# umount /etc/images
umount: /etc/images: Device or resource busy
# pwd
/etc/images
# cd /
# pwd
# umount /etc/images
# df
Filesystem
                    1k-blocks
                                   Used Available Use% Mounted on
rootfs
                        23208
                                  23208
                                               0 100% /
/dev/ram0
                        23208
                                  23208
                                               0 100% /
                                            4599 2% /etc/config
/dev/hdc5
                         4939
                                     85
/dev/ram1
                        15856
                                   1640
                                            14216 10% /var
tmpfs
                       128000
                                      0
                                           128000 0% /var/spool/asterisk/voicemail/default
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#### Data collection

Now that we've covered some troubleshooting techniques for the VBP-ST running the Access Proxy, the more data you can capture previous to contacting support the greater chance support has of solving the issue quickly.

If, with the above steps, you cannot uncover the issue, then capture the data discussed and contact Polycom support, and we can assist you in isolating the issue.

- Tcpdump of the problem happening
- cat /var/log/messages
- cat /var/log/messages.old
- mandctl dbg replay
- cat /var/replay.cfg
- ps
- netstat –ap
- vmstat 3

# VVX 1500 D Configuration for Premise SIP Voice and H.323 Video

The goal of this guide is to configure the Polycom<sup>®</sup> Video Border Proxy (VBP<sup>™</sup>) to support SIP voice and H.323 video with the Polycom<sup>®</sup> VVX<sup>®</sup> 1500 D business media phone. This guide does not cover the VBP supporting SIP video.

#### **Prerequisites**

VBP-E configured with a WAN and LAN IP address on the network. In the diagram below, it is assumed the VBP will be the DHCP server for the network and will be the default gateway for all outbound data requests. Your computer should obtain a DHCP IP address from the VBP and should be able to reach Internet web sites. Your computer should be able to ping the VBP-ST Subscriber interface IP "12.48.260.1".

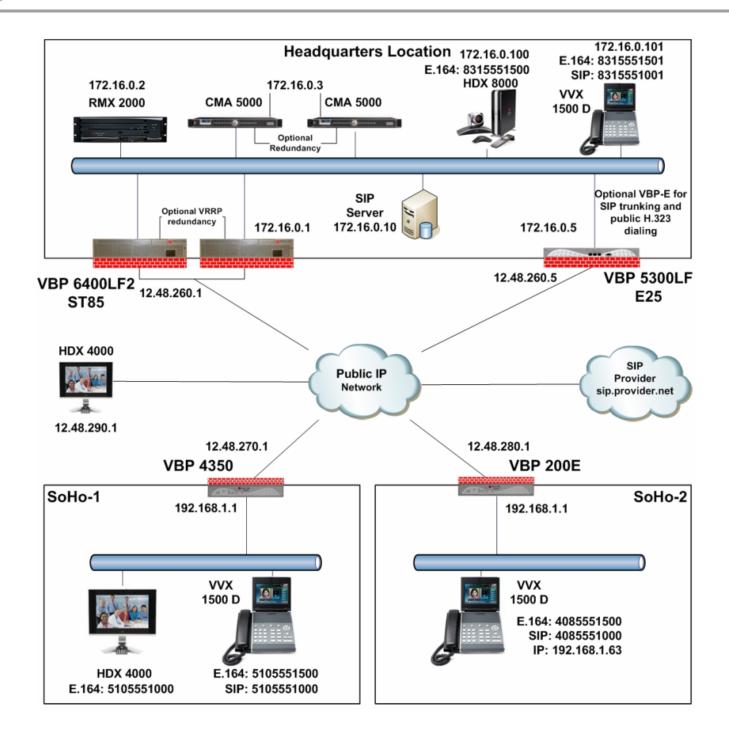
When configuring the VBP-E "Network" parameters, you must configure DNS servers that are able to resolve your domain queries when making Internet WWW requests. If you are setting the VBP-E to a "Static IP Address," your Internet provider should provide you with DNS server IP information. If you have a dynamic WAN type, the VBP-E will be given the DNS server information when it obtains its IP address from your Internet provider.

VBP-ST configured with a Subscriber and Provider IP address on the network and able to ping public IP addresses and the remote SoHo location's IP addresses. The system should be able to ping the SIP server and CMA server IP address on the LAN network.

- VBP-E and ST installed with 9.1.5.2 firmware.
- VVX 1500 D installed with 3.2.2 firmware. To verify the correct firmware is installed:
  - 1. Tap the "Menu" button. (1)
  - 2. Tap (2) Status -> (1) Platform -> (2) Application -> (1) Main, and then confirm that the version is 3.2.2.



#### **Diagram**



#### Configuring the VBP-ST Headquarters H.323 Video Settings

On the LAN-side computer, open a web browser and enter <a href="http://172.16.0.1">http://172.16.0.1</a> to reach the VBP-ST Provider IP address. (Note: The system by default is 192.168.1.1. This IP address implies the Provider IP address as shown on the diagram.) Use the following login information: Login: root / Password: default

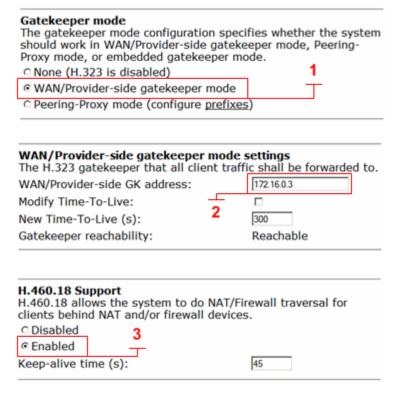
#### Select "VoIP ALG" -> H.323

- 1. Enable "WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode." (1)
- 2. Enter the "WAN/Provider-side GK address." This will be the IP address of the CMA server. (2)
- 3. Select "Submit" to save changes.

(Optional) (3) If you are supporting remote endpoints behind SoHo NAT devices that will be registering into the Headquarters CMA server, set the H.460.18 support to "Enabled." The default "Keep-alive time" of 45 seconds should be sufficient. This keep-alive timer controls the H.323 registration frequency; this allows the traversal server to send call control information to the remote client based on the registration port information received from the last registration request. This is needed when "calling" a H.460 endpoint install behind a remote NAT device.

This parameter is not needed when the remote locations have a VBP-E installed.

All other parameters on this page can be left at default settings.



#### Configuring the VBP-ST Headquarters SIP Voice Settings

Select "VoIP ALG" -> SIP

- 1. Enter the "SIP Server Address." This will be the IP address of the internal SIP server. (1)
- 2. Enter the "SIP Server Port." SIP will use UDP 5060 by default. (2)
- 3. Select "Submit" to save changes.

All other parameters on this page can be left at default settings.

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#### Configuring the VBP SoHo-2 H.323 Video Settings

On the LAN-side computer, open a web browser and enter <a href="http://192.168.1.1">http://192.168.1.1</a>. (Note: The system by default is 192.168.1.1. This IP address implies the Provider IP address as shown on the diagram.) Use the following login information: Login: root / Password: default

Select "VoIP ALG" -> H.323

- 1. Enable "WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode." (1)
- 2. Enter the "WAN/Provider-side GK address." This will be the IP address of the VBP-ST Subscriber interface. (2)
- 3. Select "Submit" to save changes.

Gatekeeper mode The gatekeeper mode configuration spe should work in WAN/Provider-side gatek Proxy mode, or embedded gatekeeper n	keeper mode, Peering-				
O None (H.323 is disabled)	1				
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WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode The H.323 gatekeeper that all client tra					
WAN/Provider-side GK address:	12.48.260.1				
Modify Time-To-Live:					
New Time-To-Live (s):	300				
Gatekeeper reachability:	N/A (Not in WAN				

H.323 protocol settings.

#### Configuring the VBP SoHo-2 SIP Voice Settings

Select "VoIP ALG" -> SIP

- 1. Enter your "SIP Server Address." This will be the IP address of the VBP-ST Subscriber interface. (1)
- 2. Select "Submit" to save changes.

It is important to note that the VBP-E has 2 proxy modes: regular proxy mode and transparent proxy mode.

In regular proxy mode, you will configure the VVX 1500 D SIP Server 1 address to the LAN IP address of the VBP-E. The VBP-E will take all SIP messages and forward them to the configured SIP server. Using this example, all SIP messages will be forwarded to the VBP-ST Subscriber IP address.

The SIP Server settings specify the address and client traffic shall be forwarded to.	port that all
SIP Server Address:	12.48.260.1
SIP Server Port:	5060
Use Custom Domain:	
SIP Server Domain:	
List of SIP Servers:	Create
Enable Multi-homed Outbound Proxy Mode:	
Enable Transparent Proxy Mode:	□ 2
Limit Outbound to listed Proxies / SIP Servers:	E _
Limit Inbound to listed Proxies / SIP Servers:	

In transparent proxy mode, you will configure the VVX 1500 D SIP Server 1 address directly to the VBP-ST Subscriber IP address. The VBP-E SIP Server Address will be the VBP-ST Subscriber IP address and Transparent Proxy Mode will be enabled. When you have other SIP devices on the network that are configured to use alternate SIP server addresses and "Limit Outbound to Listed Proxies/SIP Servers" is enabled, you will need to create a "List of SIP Servers" to define the alternate SIP server IP address or these alternate SIP requests will be dropped by the system as rogue requests. There is no feature gain or loss by using either method. The method you use is based on the deployment requirements.

The value of transparent proxy mode is the ability to have a soft phone installed on your computer for mobility reasons. If you have a soft phone configured to use a different SIP provider's services, then your soft phone is configured to go directly to that SIP provider's IP address or DNS name. If your soft phone is configured to use another provider's service, you will need to list that provider's IP address or uncheck "Limit Outbound to listed Proxies/SIP Servers."

For this configuration, the VVX 1500 D will use regular proxy mode.

For transparent proxy mode, adjust the following settings:

(2) Enable Transparent Proxy Mode – allows the system to intercept SIP messages from a LAN-side phone regardless of the Outbound Proxy and SIP Proxy values configured in the phone.

Limit Outbound to listed Proxies / SIP Servers (Default setting is enabled.) The default behavior in Transparent Proxy Mode is to Limit Outbound to listed Proxies / SIP Servers. This means that the System will only process outbound messages intended for a pre-configured list of proxies and SIP servers. Turning off this setting will allow the System to process all outbound messages for any SIP proxy/server.

(Optional) (2) Limit Inbound to listed Proxies / SIP Servers – This option, if enabled, means that the System will only process inbound messages from a pre-configured list of proxies and SIP servers. Disabling this setting will allow the System to process all inbound messages from any SIP proxy/server.

# Configuring the VVX 1500 D for H.323 Video and SIP Voice Services

Obtain the IP address of your VVX 1500 D

- 1. Tap the "Menu" button. (1)
- 2. Tap (2) Status -> (2) Network -> (1) TCP/IP Parameters, and then confirm the IP address is 192.168.1.63 (IP address obtained from DHCP).

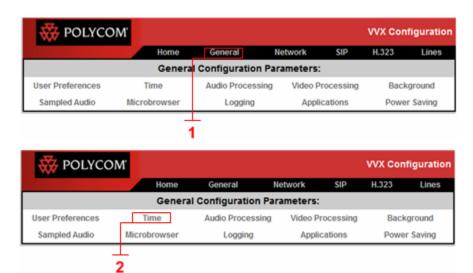
On the LAN-side computer, open a web browser and enter <a href="http://192.168.1.63">http://192.168.1.63</a> (this IP implies the IP address shown in the diagram for SoHo-2 VVX 1500 D). Use the following login information: Login: Polycom / Password: 456

There are many methods to configure a VVX 1500 D on the network. One method is to have the phone's configuration files stored on an FTP server. If you're using the GUI to configure the system, these settings will override the configuration files obtained from the configuration files stored on your FTP server. You may need to upgrade your VVX 1500 D firmware and bootROM to a version that supports H.323. The instructions can be found on the Polycom Support site for the VVX 1500 D.

For this configuration, we will use the GUI to configure all options. There are many options to consider. However, only the options required for basic SIP and H.323 will be discussed.

Set the correct time and offset for the phone

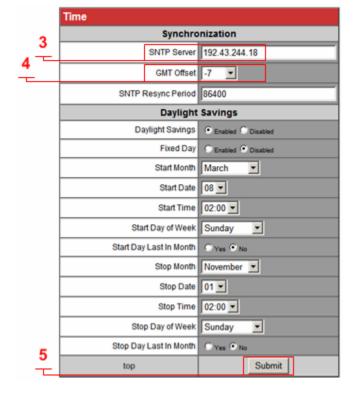
- 1. Select the "General" tab (1).
- 2. Under General Configuration Parameters, select "Time." (2)





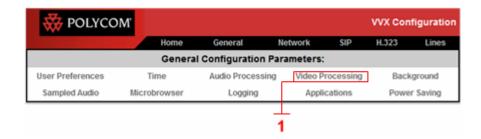
- 3. From the "Time" screen, do the following:
  - Set the "SNTP Server" to a known good time source. In this configuration, "time.nist.gov" or IP 192.43.244.18 is used. (3)
  - Set the "GMT Offset" for your location. (4)
  - Select "Submit" to save changes. (5)

The phone reboots.



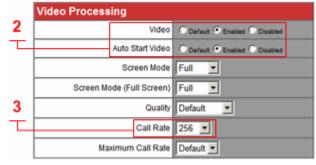
After the system restarts, set the "Video Processing" settings.

- 1. Select the "General" tab.
- 2. Under General Configuration Parameters, select "Video Processing." (1)



- 3. From the Video Processing screen, set the following settings to suit your personal preferences (e.g., setting your default call rate or enabling the system to auto answer incoming video calls):
  - Set "Video" to Enabled. (2)
  - Set "Auto Start Video" to Enabled. (2)
  - Set your default "Call Rate." (3)
  - Select "Submit" to save changes.

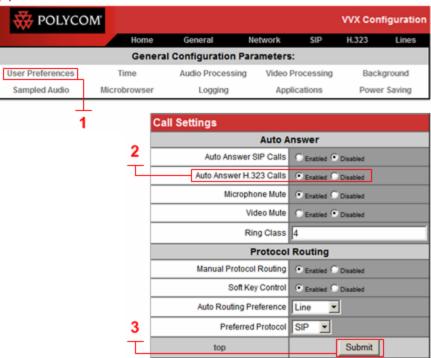
The phone reboots.



After the system restarts, you can choose to allow the system to "Auto answer" video calls.

- 1. Select the "General" tab.
- 2. Under General Configuration Parameters, select "User Preferences." (1)
- 3. Under Call Settings, set "Auto Answer H.323 Calls" to Enabled. (2)
- 4. Select "Submit" to save changes. (3)

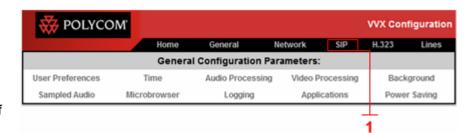
The phone reboots.

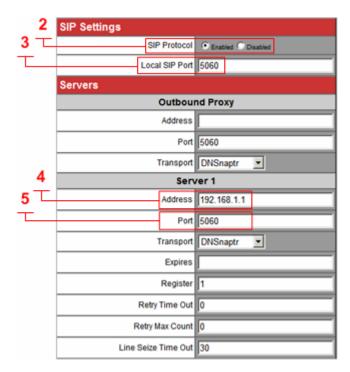


After the system restarts, set the SIP proxy to use.

- 1. Select the "SIP" tab. (1)
- 2. Under SIP Settings:
  - Set the "SIP Protocol" to Enabled. (2)
  - Set the "Local SIP Port" to 5060. (3)
- 3. Under Servers:
  - Set the "Server 1 Address" to the LAN IP address of the VBP-E. (4)
  - Set the "Server 1 Port" to 5060. (5)
- 4. Select "Submit" to save changes.

The phone reboots.





After the system restarts, set the H.323 preferences.

- 1. Select the "H.323" tab. (1)
- 2. Under H.323 Settings:
  - Set the "H.323 Protocol" to Enabled. (2)
  - Set the "Local H.323 Port" to 1720. (3)
- 3. Select "Submit" to save changes.

The phone reboots.

User Preferences Time Audio Processing Video Processing Background Sampled Audio Microbrowser Applications Power Saving Logging H.323 Settings H.323 Protocol © Enabled © Disabled Local H.323 Port 1720 Auto Gatekeeper Discovery Enabled Disabled DTMF Signaling Channel **DTMF Signaling Channel** Alphanumeric Mode DTMF Signaling Channel Signal Enabled Disabled Servers Server 1 Address Port Expires Submit top

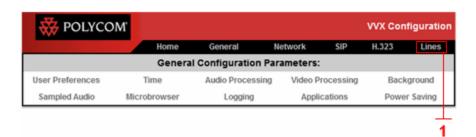
**General Configuration Parameters:** 

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The lines on your phone display from top to bottom. During the configuration and usage of the device, it is helpful to know that SIP lines always display before H.323 lines. It should also be noted that you can configure two lines with the same user information. This will allow you to have two SIP voice lines as your extensions to set up a conference. In the following example, only line 1 is configured for a SIP user.

After the system restarts, configure the SIP line.

1. Select the "Lines" tab. (1)

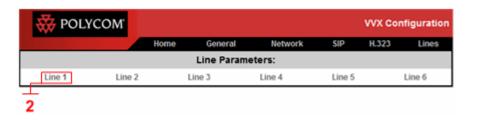


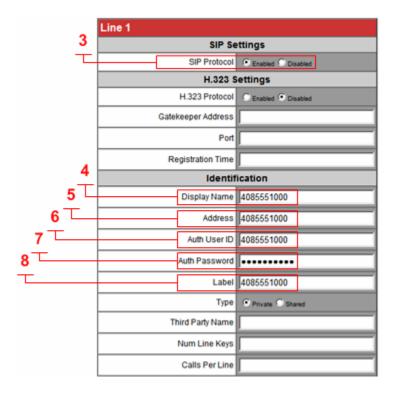
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- 2. Under Line Parameters, select "Line 1." (2)
- 3. Under SIP Settings, set the "SIP Protocol" for this line to Enabled. (3)
- 4. Under Identification:
  - Enter the "Display name." This field sets the "From" user name in the SIP header. You can use the DID or your name (e.g., John Smith).
  - Enter the SIP user "Address." This is typically the DID. (5)
  - Enter the SIP "Auth User ID." This information will be provided by the administrator of the Headquarters internal SIP server. (6)
  - Enter the SIP "Auth Password." This information will be provided by the administrator of the Headquarters internal SIP server. (7)
  - Enter the "Label." Typically, the DID or shortened DID 1000 is used to label the button. (8)
- 5. Select "Submit" to save changes.

The phone reboots.





After the system restarts, configure the H.323 line.

- 1. Select the "Lines" tab. (1)
- 2. Under Line parameters, select "Line 2." (2)
- 3. Under SIP Settings, set "SIP Protocol" to Disabled. (3)
- 4. Under H.323 Settings:
  - Set "H.323 Protocol" to Enabled. (4)
  - Set the "Gatekeeper Address" to the LAN IP address of the VBP-E. (5)
  - Set the gatekeeper registration "Port" to 1719. (6)
- 5. Under Identification:
  - Enter the "Display Name." This will set the H.323-ID as VVX 1500 in the registration request. As a deployment recommendation, you can set this to your name for using ANNEX O user@host dialing (e.g., john.smith.home). (7)
  - Enter the "Address." This will set the E.164 as 4085551500 in the registration request. (8)
  - For the "Label" field, enter H323\_1500. This will set the button label on the touch panel indicating the second line is H323\_1500. (9)
- 6. Select "Submit" to save changes.

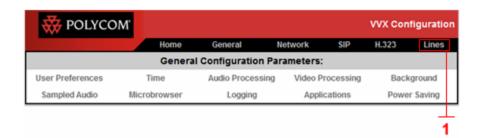
The phone reboots.

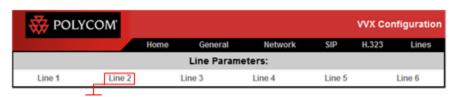
After the system restarts, the phone displays a check mark next to your SIP and H.323 lines to indicate that they are registered. If the line or lines display an X, the registration process was not successful. Follow the troubleshooting steps to diagnose the registration failure. Also, re-check your configuration to verify your VBP-E H.323 settings are correct for your installation.

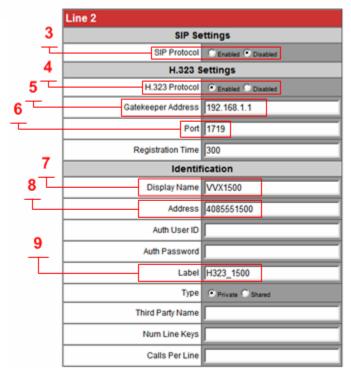
When you place a call by lifting the handset or pressing the Speakerphone key, your phone automatically uses your SIP line. By default, the SIP line is the first line that displays on your phone.

To place H.323 calls, tap the icon for line 2. When you hear the dial tone, you can dial the E.164 number of devices registered to the same gatekeeper. Or, you can tap the URL soft key on the touch screen to dial a destination IP address of ANNEX O user@host address.

To dial an IP address, tap the icon for line 2, and then tap the URL soft key. You can now use the dial pad to enter the IP address. To enter "dots," press the \* key. After





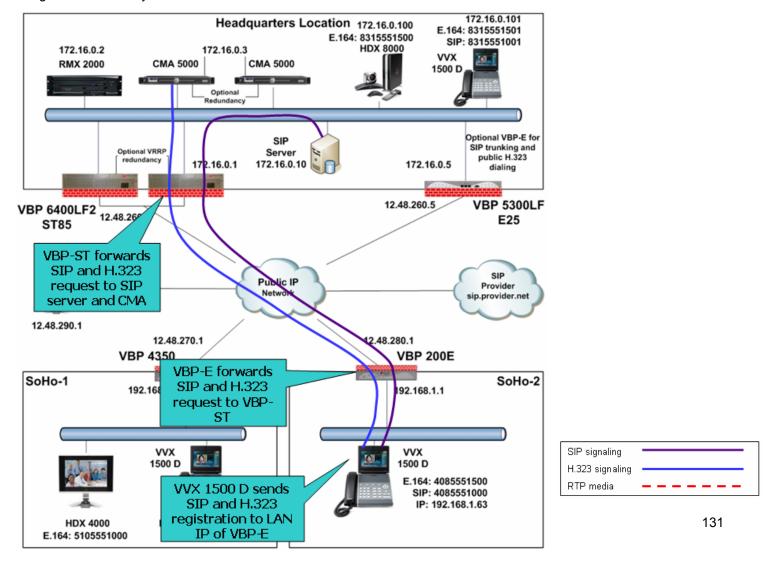


you finish entering the IP address, tap the Send soft key to send the call.

Note: If you set the "Display Name" to your email address on your VVX 1500 D device, and you also have an H.323 device in the Headquarters location, make sure these aliases are different (e.g., john.smith.home and, for the office, john.smith.office). If these aliases are the same, the gatekeeper will reject the registrations as "duplicate aliases."

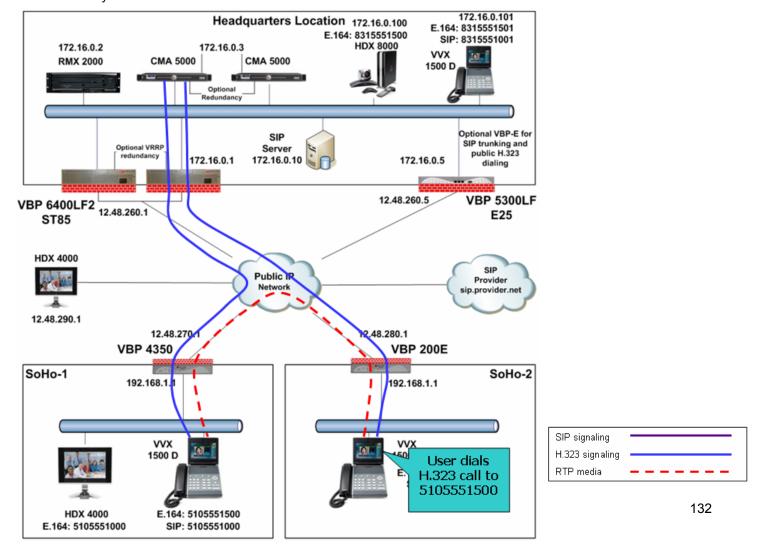
#### Sample SIP Voice and H.323 Video Signaling Flows

In the diagram below, the SoHo-2 user's VVX 1500 D sends both SIP and H.323 registration requests to the LAN IP address of the VBP-E. VBP-E will forward these SIP and H.323 requests to the VBP-ST at the headquarters location. VBP-ST will then forward these SIP and H.323 requests to either the configured SIP server (for SIP requests) or the CMA server (for H.323 requests). This is known as a "proxy" model. The VBP's will securely proxy on behalf of the real SIP and H.323 server. Each VBP along the path will modify the Layer 3,4,5 information and create a "Clients List" entry for response messages to be correctly delivered back to each client.



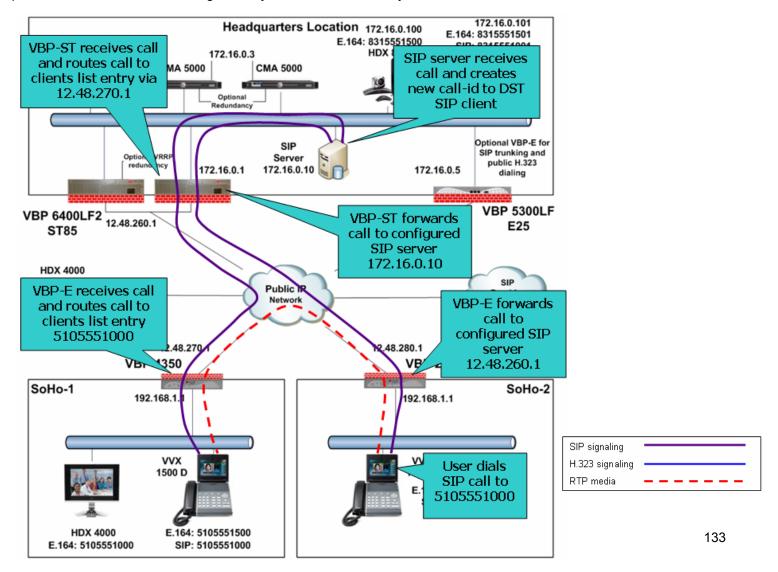
#### Sample H.323 Video Call and RTP Flows

In the diagram below, the SoHo-2 user dials the remote SoHo-1 user by E.164. In the Premise-based H.323 configuration, both SoHo-1 and SoHo-2 users are registered to the CMA server at headquarters. This solution securely extends the reach of the CMA gatekeeper service beyond the Headquarters network. Since both remote locations are registered to the same H.323 gatekeeper, they will only need to dial the E.164 or H.323-ID of the remote user. As discussed previously, you can choose to use your email name as the H.323-ID (e.g., john.smith.home). RTP media will go directly between the VBP-E systems in the SoHo locations.



#### Sample SIP Voice Call and RTP Flows

In the diagram below, the SoHo-2 user dials the remote SoHo-1 user using its registered SIP extension. In the Premise-based SIP configuration, both SoHo-1 and SoHo-2 users are registered to the internal SIP server at headquarters. This solution securely extends the reach of the SIP service beyond the headquarters network. RTP media will go directly between the VBP-E systems in the SoHo locations.



### Optional VBP-E at the Headquarters Location

As shown in the diagram above, you can choose to install a VBP-E to allow your enterprise users to call or be called by any "publicly" reachable H.323 system. This VBP-E system can also be secured to allow only certain endpoints to call your enterprise by deploying a "whitelist/blacklist" (see the VBP configuration guide on the Polycom Support web site for details).

This VBP-E can also provide a secure SIP trunking service from your SIP provider for local and long distance calling. Some Internal SIP servers or IP-PBX systems installed on the enterprise LAN can accept direct ISDN or POTS service for offnet dialing, or you can use a separate ISDN gateway for local and long distance calling. For this example, the internal SIP server uses a SIP trunking service for local and long distance calling.

#### Configuring the VBP H.323 Video Settings

On the LAN-side computer, open a web browser and enter <a href="http://172.16.0.5">http://172.16.0.5</a> (this IP address implies the IP address shown in the diagram for the optional VBP-E LAN IP address). Use the following login information: Login: root / Password: default

Select "VoIP ALG" -> H.323

- 1. Enable "LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper mode." (1)
- 2. Enter the "LAN/Subscriber-side GK address." This will be the IP address of the CMA server. (2)
- 3. Select "Submit" to save changes.

(Optional) (3) Set the "Default alias" to be a single endpoint or an IVR entry queue on the RMX. This feature allows a public IP endpoint to dial the IP address of the VBP-E (e.g., 12.48.260.5). When the call is received, the system will forward the call to this alias. The RMX IVR method is used by enterprise networks that do not allow direct dialing to users. This is called a "Meet in the Bridge" method.

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#### Configuring the VBP SIP Voice Settings

Select "VoIP ALG" -> SIP

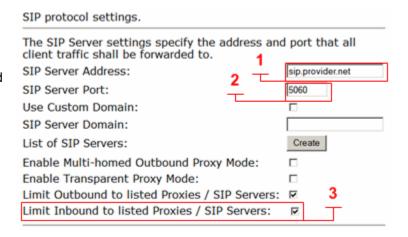
- 1. Set the "SIP Server Address" to your SIP provider's IP address or FQDN. (1)
- 2. Enter the "SIP Server Port." The default port is UDP 5060. (2)
- 3. (Recommended setting) Select the "Limit Inbound to listed Proxies / SIP Servers" setting. By limiting inbound SIP requests from the defined SIP server, you limit your chances of rogue users trying to send INVITES to your SIP server to make international long distance calls on your system. (3)
- 4. Select "Submit" to save changes.

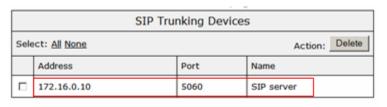
The above settings are for outbound SIP requests. You will need to configure your internal SIP server with a SIP trunk to the LAN-side IP address of the VBP-E (e.g., 172.16.0.5). The VBP-E will then proxy SIP requests from your internal SIP server to your provider.

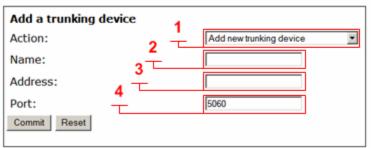
Select "VoIP ALG" -> SIP -> Trunking Device

- 1. From the "Action" list, select Add new trunking device. (1)
- 2. Enter the SIP device "Name." This setting can be anything you want to call it. When you configure the SIP dial rules, you will apply the rules you want to the trunking device name. You can have more than one trunking device for routing different dial patterns. (2)
- 3. Enter the IP "Address" for this trunking device. This will be the IP address of the internal SIP server (e.g., 172.16.0.10). (3)
- 4. Enter the SIP signaling "Port." By default, most SIP servers will use UDP 5060. (4)
- 5. Select "Commit" to save changes.

The above Trunking settings are for inbound SIP requests. When an inbound SIP message is received by the system and it matches the "Dial Rules" for this device, the SIP message will be forwarded to the defined IP address.





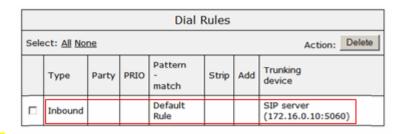


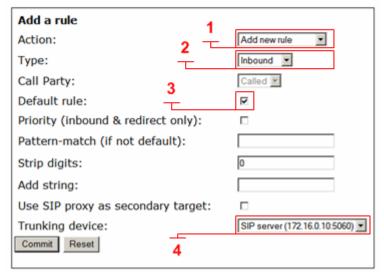
Select "VoIP ALG" -> SIP -> Trunking Dial Rule

- 1. From the "Action" list, select Add new rule. (1)
- 2. From the "Type" list, select Inbound. (2)
- 3. Select the "Default rule" setting. By selecting the default rule, all calls will be forwarded to the defined trunking device. (3)
- 4. From the "Trunking device" list, select the defined SIP server entry (e.g., SIP server 172.16.0.10:5060). (4)
- 5. Select "Commit" to save changes.

Note: By default, you should select the default rule unless you want to limit the inbound "TO URI's" that are able to reach your internal SIP server.

TO URI manipulation can also be performed in these rules. These rules are not only for inbound messages. You can also manipulate outbound and/or redirect SIP messages. It's possible to have a different SIP provider handling your E911 service (e.g., you can add a trunking device and a dial rule for 911).



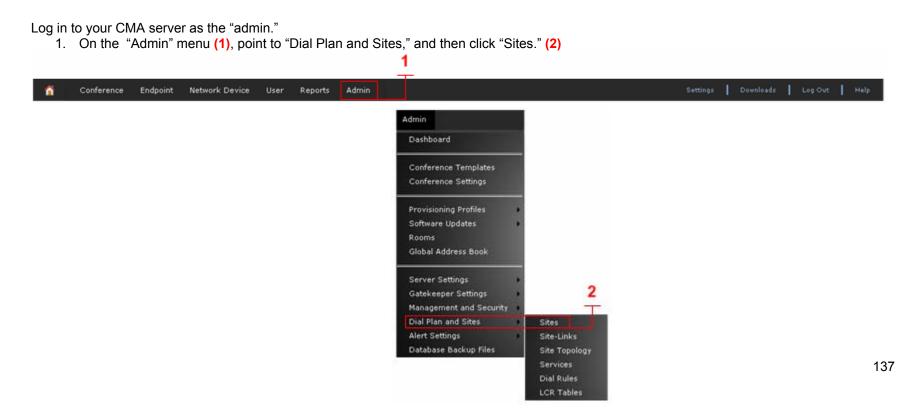


## Optional VBP-E at the Headquarters Location - CMA Settings

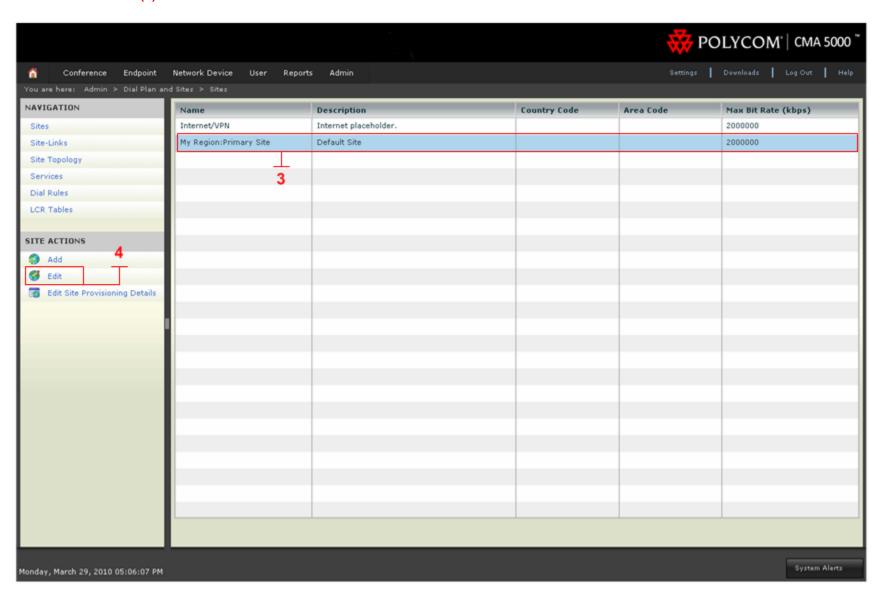
The optional VBP-E configuration requires a CMA task to be completed for internal users to call from the Headquarters location to any publicly reachable H.323 endpoint. When installing the CMA server onto the network, you may have configured more than one site or you may only have one site for your network. CMA site features can be used to manage your network's bandwidth usage which controls the amount of traffic allowed to and from each site location. The sites feature also allows you to configure a default location to send H.323 calls when the destination the user dialed is not on the network. Sites are controlled by source subnets. To define which endpoint belongs to which site, you can create a site that has a single subnet, or you can add multiple subnets to the site.

When installing a VBP-E to provide "offnet" dialing, the CMA needs to have the LAN IP address of the VBP-E configured to send offnet calls to. When configuring your CMA server for sites, you can define one VBP-E per site as the video gateway. This feature allows the admin to control which subnets use a VBP-E to send offnet calls to.

In the following example, one flat subnet (e.g., 172.16.0.0/24) will be used. The following configuration will explain how to define the VBP-E in the CMA server's configuration to provide users with offnet dialing.



- Select "My Region:Primary Site." (3)
   Select "Edit." (4)



- 4. Select "Subnets." (5)
- 5. Enter the "Subnet IP Address/Mask" (e.g., 172.16.0.0/255.255.255.0), and then click "Add." (6)
- 6. Select "Routing/Bandwidth." (7)
- 7. Enable the "Allowed via H.323 aware SBC or ALG" setting.
  (8)
- 8. Enter the "Call Signaling IPv4 Address." This is the LAN IP address of the VBP-E (e.g., 172.16.0.5 is used). (9)
- 9. Verify the "Port" is set to 1720.
- 10. Select "Ok" to save changes.

You are now ready to start making offnet H.323 calls. There are many management and control features supported by the CMA system. However, this setup is the minimum requirement for configuring the CMA to use the VBP-E to dial public offnet IP endpoints.

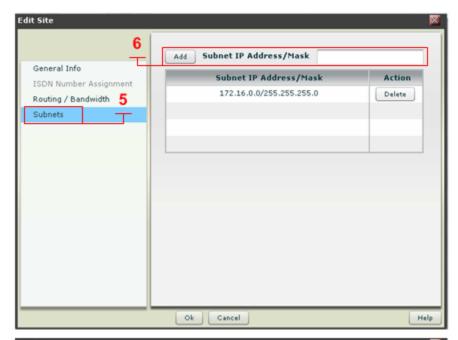
From a CMA registered endpoint, you can dial just the IP address of the public IP endpoint, or you can dial an ANNEX O address of another location which has a deployed VBP-E as the perimeter security device. This is known as "user@host or email address URI dialing."

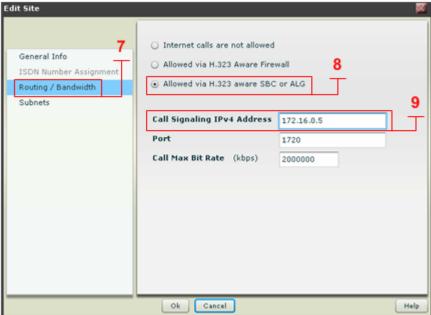
Using that example, a remote user that is not part of your enterprise who wishes to call the Headquarter's VVX 1500 D system would dial 8315551501@12.48.260.5

If you follow an email style H.323-ID (e.g., john.smith.work) for the VVX 1500 D system, the remote user would dial john.smith.work@12.48.260.5

A record IN video.yourvbpip.net 12.48.260.5

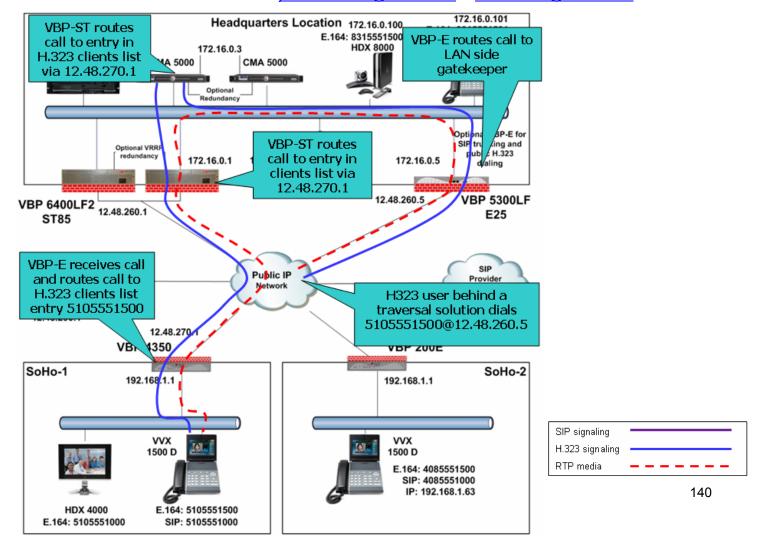
The remote user would dial <u>john.smith.work@video.yourvbpip.net</u> to reach the VVX 1500 D system.





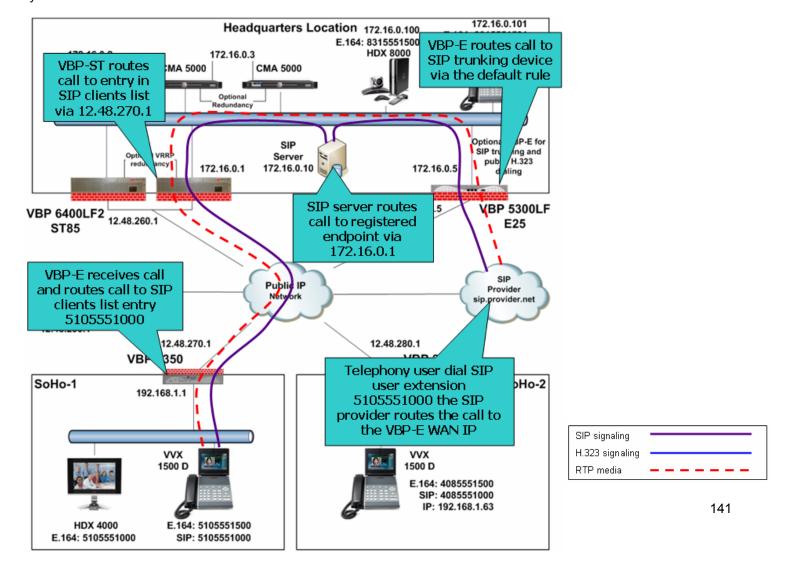
#### Sample H.323 Video Inbound Call and RTP Flows

In the diagram below, an offnet remote endpoint has been deployed behind a traversal solution and is dialing into the Headquarters VBP-E system with an ANNEX O dial method. The VBP-E receives the call and routes the call to the configured LAN-side gatekeeper. The CMA server receives the call and routes the call to its registered endpoint 172.16.0.1. VBP-ST receives and routes the call to the entry in the H.323 clients list 12.48.270.1. VBP-E receives and routes the call to the entry in the H.323 clients list to VVX 1500 D registered alias 5105551500. As noted previously, the VVX 1500 D endpoint can be configured with a H323-ID of john.smith.work to allow the VVX 1500 D 2 aliases to be reached. The remote user could have dialed either alias to reach the VVX 1500 D user john.smith.work@12.48.260.5 or 5105551500@12.48.260.5



#### Sample SIP Voice Inbound Call and RTP Flows

In the diagram below, an offnet telephony user is dialing 5105551500 from a standard PSTN connection. During the setup of your SIP trunk with the provider, your provider will assign DID's (direct inward dialing) extensions to assign to the internal users. The provider will create a route map to forward calls to your DID's in their SIP proxy to the IP address on your VBP-E. The VBP-E will securely proxy these calls to your internal SIP server. As discussed in the configuration, you should consider using "Limit Inbound to Listed Proxies/SIP Server" to reduce the chance of rogue SIP calls attempting to use your service for unauthorized calls.



### Troubleshooting the VBP and VVX 1500 D for SIP and H.323

The best method to connect to the VBP for troubleshooting is the CLI interface. The VBP supports SSH and telnet to give you CLI access. SSH is the recommended method to connect to the CLI.

To troubleshoot, you need the CLI login/password. This login/password is not documented for security reasons. Please call Polycom Support at 800.POLYCOM (800.765.9266).

If you are not familiar with SSH, you can do an Internet search for "putty" and download this freeware client. Putty is a "secure shell" client and encrypts the session to ensure no one listening on port 22 can intercept your session and see clear text commands.

For diagnosing SIP or H.323 issues, you will want to take a trace. Using the VBP to capture traces will tell you or Support what's happening with either protocol. The proof will be in the trace.

To set up a trace, follow the instructions below. The VBP uses a linux kernel and supports the "tcpdump" command. This command tells the subsystem to capture a full decode of the packets that are coming in on the wire on the interface defined. This capture is then FTP'ed off the VBP system to a FTP server and then opened with the "WireShark" application to assist in troubleshooting many issues associated with connection problems.

For the first step, create a temporary space on the VBP's flash drive to capture these packets. (Note: This temporary space will not survive a reboot and should be un-mounted after the traces are taken, as this space is taking available memory the system "could" need at a later date. Therefore, it is very important to un-mount the space.)

On the CLI, type:

Type - > mount -t tmpfs tmpfs /etc/images -o size=8m

Note: you can cut&paste the above command. However, the "-t" may be converted to ".t", so make sure you correct the syntax if it does not paste correctly.

Now, type "df" and you will see file system /etc/images/ mounted with 8MB of space:

# df					
Filesystem	1k-blocks	Used	Available	Use%	Mounted on
rootfs	23208	23208	0	100%	/
/dev/ram0	23208	23208	0	100%	/
/dev/hdc5	4939	85	4599	2%	/etc/config
/dev/ram1	15856	1636	14220	10%	/var
tmpfs	128000	0	128000	0%	/var/spool/asterisk/voicemail/default

tmpfs 8192 0 8192 0% /etc/images

You are now ready to start the trace. The most common method Support uses is to trace on the "any" interface. This allows for a single trace to capture both the provider and subscriber related traffic.

```
tcpdump -s 0 -ni any not port 22 -w /etc/images/ANYall.pcap
```

The filename "ANYap.pcap" can be anything. If you're troubleshooting an H.323-related connection issue, it's handy to have different names for your traces (e.g., ANYh323.pcap).

What is also handy is to filter out unwanted traffic. In the above example, "not port 22" qualifier filters out the SSH management session traffic. Remember, there is only 8MB of space to work with, and if there is RTP video traversing the VBP at the same time, the temporary space can fill up very fast, perhaps in a matter of seconds.

If the temporary disk fills up too fast, your trace will be ineffective because you may have missed the packets you're trying to capture versus the normal working traffic. This really depends on what you're troubleshooting. Here is an example:

If Support was trying to figure out why "SoHo-1" couldn't connect to "SoHo-2," Support could filter on that location's source IP address.

```
tcpdump -s 0 -ni any host 12.48.270.1 -w /etc/images/ANYsoholCALL.pcap
```

This allows the trace to only capture packets to/from 12.48.270.1. This will limit the size of the trace and allow you more time to capture data before the temporary /etc/images 8MB space fills up. Our mission is to capture the relevant data while the problem is happening, and have that data be as specific as we can.

For SIP, you can use the following filter:

```
tcpdump -s 0 -ni any port 5060 -w /etc/images/ANYsoholCALLsip.pcap
```

If Support was trying to trace on the headquarters VBP-ST for H.323 and did not want to see RTP, the filter would look like this:

```
tcpdump -s 0 -ni any tcp or port 1719 and not port 22 -w /etc/images/ANYvbpstCALLsip.
```

When troubleshooting H.323 or SIP issues on the premise solution, it's important to capture traces simultaneously on the VBP-E and VBP-ST systems on "any" interface. This allows Support to see packets received and forwarded on each point in the network that we can easily take traces from.

```
VBP-ST-tcpdump -s 0 -ni any tcp or port 1719 and not port 22 -w /etc/images/ANYvbpstCALLsip.pcap VBP-E-tcpdump -s 0 -ni any tcp or port 1719 and not port 22 -w /etc/images/ANYvbpeCALLsip.pcap
```

Other filters can make capturing the data more specific. If you're already comfortable with the tcpdump command, you can set the filter as needed for what you're trying to capture.

If you do an Internet search for topdump, there are many filters. However, the above should give Support what they need for problem isolation.

To stop the trace, press CRTL+C (press the "Ctrl" key on your keyboard and press the "C" key).

Now that you have created the trace, upload it to an FTP server, or if you are familiar with the SCP (secure copy) application, you can attach it directly to the VBP and copy the file to your hard drive. Note: SCP also uses SSH methods to connect to the VBP, so the session is secure/encrypted. WinSCP is also a freeware application that you can download.

```
cd /etc/images
```

type "pwd" print working directory – this will show you where you are on the system type "Is" – this will list the files (similar to a windows "dir")

To FTP the file to a FTP server:

```
# cd /etc/images
# pwd
/etc/images
# 1s
ANYremoteA.pcap
#
```

The following is a sample FTP connection. The commands in blue indicate what was typed.

```
# ftp 204.202.2.260
Connected to 204.202.2.260.
220-
220-Welcome to Example Networks FTP server!
220-
220-Please send any questions or reports about this server to
220-support@example.com
220 204.202.2.260 FTP server ready
Name (204.202.2.260:root): jsmith
331 Password required for jsmith.
Password: ******
230 User jsmith logged in.
Remote system type is UNIX.
Using binary mode to transfer files.
ftp> lcd /etc/images
Local directory now /etc/images
ftp> put *.pcap
local: ANYsoholCALL.pcap remote: ANYsoholCALL.pcap
```

```
200 PORT command successful
150 Opening BINARY mode data connection for ANYsoholCALL.pcap
226 Transfer complete.
ftp> bye
221 Goodbye.
```

You can now log in to the FTP server you put the file on and retrieve it to view the packets in WireShark. Note: this is also a freeware application that you can download. Always remember to "rm" remove any unwanted traces and remove traces between captures to ensure you get the full use of the 8MB temporary disk space.

Note: Make sure you have FTP'ed the traces you want off the system before removing them. Once you remove them, you cannot recover the file.

```
# pwd
/etc/images
# ls
ANYsoho1CALL.pcap ANYsoho1CALLsip.pcap
# rm *.pcap
# ls
#
```

When you are done capturing, it's very important to "umount" /etc/images. Note: You cannot umount /etc/images/ if you are in this directory.

After the umount command, type "df" and you should not see /etc/images mounted.

Type - > umount /etc/images

See the example below:

```
# umount /etc/images
umount: /etc/images: Device or resource busy
# pwd
/etc/images
# cd /
# pwd
# umount /etc/images
# df
Filesystem
                    1k-blocks
                                   Used Available Use% Mounted on
rootfs
                        23208
                                  23208
                                                0 100% /
                        23208
                                  23208
                                                0 100% /
/dev/ram0
                        4939
                                     85
                                           4599 2% /etc/config
/dev/hdc5
/dev/ram1
                        15856
                                            14216 10% /var
                                   1640
```

tmpfs 128000 0 128000 0% /var/spool/asterisk/voicemail/default

#### Data collection

Now that we've covered some troubleshooting techniques for the VBP running SIP voice and H.323 video, the more data you can capture before contacting Support, the greater the chance Support will solve the issue quickly.

If, with the above steps, you cannot uncover the issue, then capture the data discussed and contact Polycom Support, and we can assist you in isolating the issue.

- Tcpdump of the problem happening
- cat /var/log/messages
- cat /var/log/messages.old
- mandctl dbg replay
- cat /var/replay.cfg
- ps
- netstat –ap
- vmstat 3

## TLS VoIP Traversal Overview and Configuration

This document describes new features developed for the Polycom Video Border Proxy (VBP) VoIP Operating System (VOS). VBP TLS VoIP Traversal will provide a new method enabling existing or new enterprise customers to choose which VBP installation meets their security needs. There are currently two leading traversal design concepts for enterprise deployments. The first provides a method to traverse the existing security device and the second is the H.323 security device. These industry deployed solutions both have specific positive and negative aspects. Both have provided the building blocks to understand the changing security, deployment and easy of use challenges for the changing Unified Communications (UC) market.

VBP TLS Traversal adds flexibility for customers to choose which deployment strategy is best for their individual requirements. And it provides a higher connectivity success rate for UC mobility with added end-to-end security using TLSv1.0 cryptography to protect user's application identity and video data.

VBP TLS Traversal is a feature addition to the VBP family

- VBP existing customers can upgrade through the normal Polycom Global Support upgrade process and use remote TLS Traversal methods to increase the success rate for UC Mobility.
- New customers have a core design choice. Either to deploy the VBP as it has been or to choose the new TLS Traversal model to meet the enterprise security policies.
- Existing VBP customers or new TLS Traversal installations can use TLS for remote client connections that have some inherent advantages in firewall and NAT traversal. While making it easier to administer large remote access UC network populations.
- Supported TLS Traversal platforms;
  - Remote Client mode only
    - **200**
    - **4555**
  - o Internal client, external server or remote client modes:
    - 5300LF2
    - 6400LF2

### Why use VBP TLS Traversal?

VBP TLS Traversal provides protocol flexibility and security to the UC solution; it removes security concerns about protecting the user's identity and data with wide acceptance in security communities. TLS can be a portable module that integrates into UC devices of any size to encapsulate the media and management protocols. The Polycom VBP TLS solution provides a secure method to ensure successful customer deployments and to reduce dependency on subject matter experts.

VBP TLS Traversal is deployed with the UDP protocol, which encapsulates the existing standard H.323 TCP and UDP protocols. The value of using the UDP versus TCP is to minimize inherent retransmissions in non-ideal network environments such as the Internet. Security protocols using TCP encapsulated transport can degrade UC video quality because of retransmission of lost packets at the network layer. The VBP TLS feature set allows virtually any existing legacy H.323 or new UC device to be integrated into the network as a traversal method and managed transport solution.

VBP TLS Traversal combined with standard VBP features uses flexible application routing to support the requirements for today's solution and provides a modular architecture to support future UC mobility devices using security community accepted TLS encapsulation.

### What is VBP TLS Traversal

Polycom VBP TLS Traversal has three main components as the core architecture:

- Internal TLS Traversal client
- External TLS Traversal server
  - VBP-ST application features
  - VBP-E application features
- Remote TLS Traversal client
  - VBP-E hardware providing a TLS client for legacy and larger enterprise locations to support protocol independence connectivity

VoIP Traversal using TLS provides three new features for deploying the Polycom UC solution:

- Application Traversal with identify and data security through the enterprise security boundary (figure 1)
- Application Traversal with identify and data security from the remote UC location to the External TLS server (figure 2)
- Existing VBP deployments can now support remote VBP TLS Traversal clients (figure 3)

Figure 1

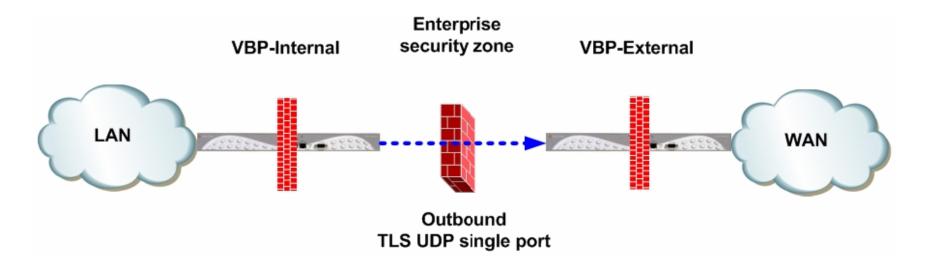
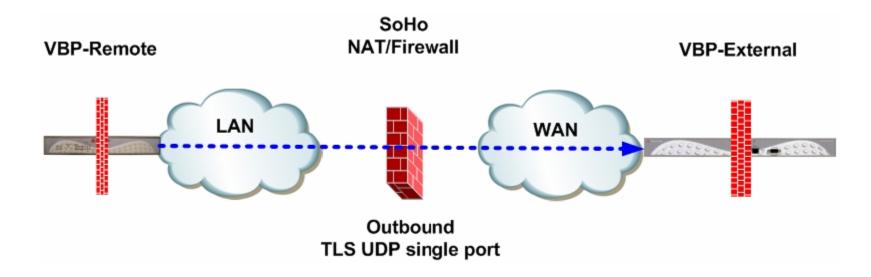
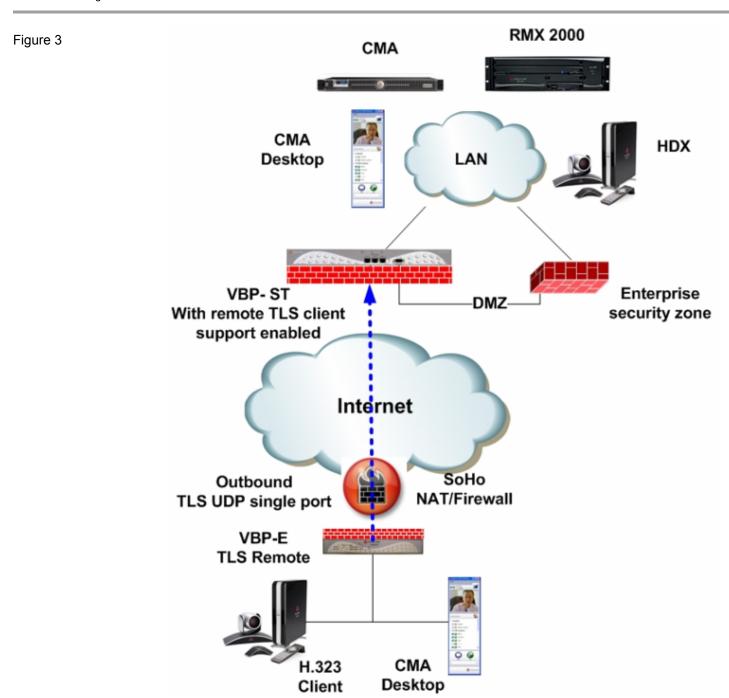


Figure 2





### **VBP TLS Traversal Prerequisites**

The following configuration example assumes a single IP subnet at the Headquarters location. You must configure correct routing entries on the VBP-E TLS Internal system and on the VBP-E and VBP-ST TLS External systems. This will be explained later in this document.

VBP TLS Traversal feature requires a routed subnet to be used by the system for the Traversal Network, as shown in the diagram below. The example subnet is 172.30.0.0/16. The system will create virtual interfaces (VI) and assign specific IP's from this subnet when configuring the system. The Traversal Network 172.30.0.0/16 will need internal core routing entries with a gateway of the LAN IP of the VBP-E TLS Traversal internal client system e.g. 172.30.0.0 netmask 255.255.0.0 gateway 10.10.30.83

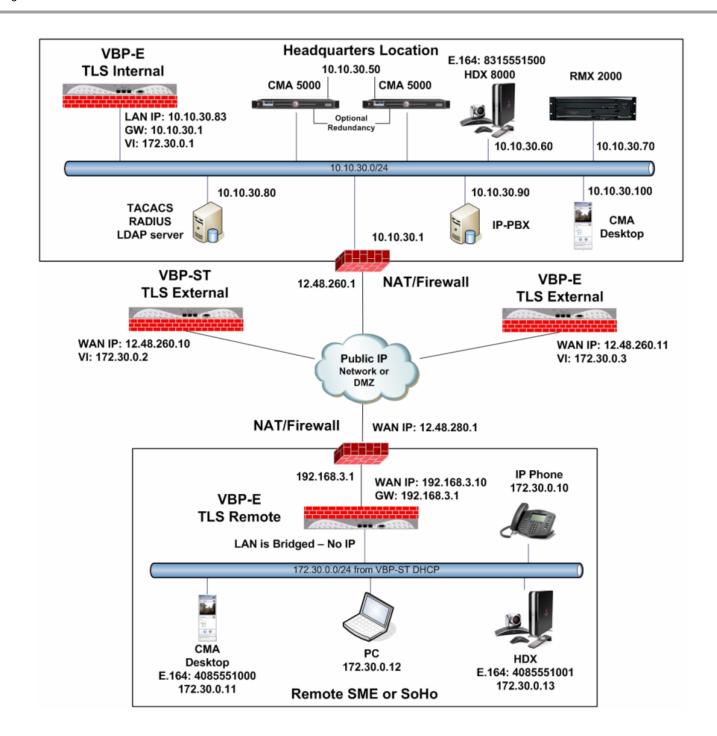
For business-to-business (B2B) communications using only the VBP-E external server and the VBP-E internal client, a 29-bit traversal network is the minimum requirement. When deploying the full TLS Traversal solution with a VBP-ST external server used to connect remote office locations, a larger traversal subnet should be allocated to the system for assigning addresses to the remote video systems.

Note: Any subnets in the enterprise network with video devices that will connect to the VBP's for video communication will need routing statements for the Traversal network e.g. 172.30.0.0 netmask 255.255.0.0 gateway 10.10.30.83

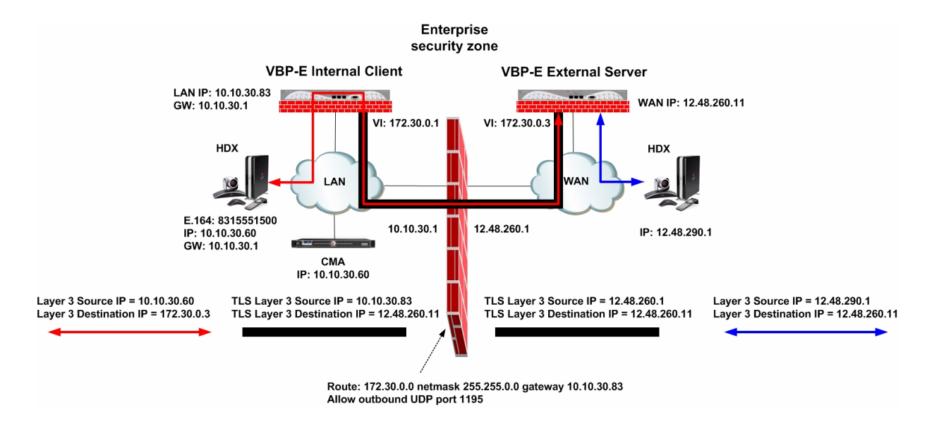
Prior to installing the system a configuration choice will need to be made regarding the certificates used by VoIP Traversal. The system is preinstalled with default certificates and can be used for the initial configuration on the network. These certificates should be replaced before the system is placed into its final production environment.

- Certificate authentication between the VBP-E Remote Clients and VBP-ST External Servers is supported. New certificates are generated from the Certificate Store available from the Security Configuration menu. New certificates are needed for a secure trust environment.
- Certificate authentication cannot be disabled. If new certificates are not installed, default certificates are used, making the TLS Tunnel
  access less secure.
- VBP TLS Traversal feature requires three types of certificates to function:
  - CA certificate
  - External Server certificate
  - Remote Client certificate
- CA Certificate and Server Certificates are installed on the VBP-ST external server.
- CA Certificate and Client Certificates are installed on the VBP-E remote clients.
- A valid CA certificate issued by a certificate authority can be uploaded and self-signed CA certificates can be generated from the VBP-ST
  external server certificate store. Server certificates and client certificates will be generated from the CA certificate.
- Static keys will be used for authorization from the VBP-E internal client to the VBP-ST and VBP-E external servers.
- Certificate and user name/password authentication is required by remote VBP-E TLS Traversal clients. The VBP-ST External system supports a local user list, TACACS, RADIUS, and LDAP (non NTLM). This document will use the systems local user list as the example.
- System time must be correct for certificate authorization. Verify all systems can reach the configured NTP server under System > System
   Time.
- For single Ethernet connected VoIP Traversal Server installations, gigabit Ethernet is recommended e.g. 5300LF2 and 6400LF2

### Diagram



## VBP-E TLS Traversal B2B Configuration



### Configuring the VBP-E External TLS Traversal Server

Connect a computer configured with an IP address of 192.168.1.2 and subnet mask of 255.255.255.0 to Port 1 with either an Ethernet switch or an Ethernet cable wired directly to the computer.

Launch a Web browser on the computer and enter <a href="http://192.168.1.1">http://192.168.1.1</a>. The main configuration menu appears - enter the user name root and the password default.

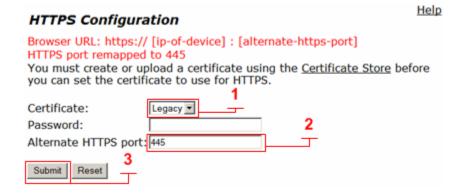
The EULA license agreement will now be displayed. After reading the license agreement, click "I agree" at the bottom to continue configuring the system. The EULA will only be displayed for the first time login and, once accepted, the EULA will not appear again.

Configuration tip – If the solution will include a VBP-ST system that is configured for HTTPS management on port 445, configuring the VBP-E external server for the same port may be useful in remembering to use port 445. All VBP systems come with a self-signed certificate call Legacy in the **HTTPS Configuration** page. You can create a new self-signed certificate or upload a signed certificate using the **Certificate Store** page.

### Configure the VBP-E Security HTTPS parameters

Select - > Security - > HTTPS Configuration

- Certificate (1) Select the certificate to use for HTTPS
  management of the system, Legacy is the default option, or
  select the certificate that was created or uploaded from the
  Certificate Store.
- Password Enter the password the private key file was secured with during the certificate generation (optional.)
- 3. Alternate HTTPS Port (2) Enter the alternate port the system will respond to HTTPS request for management.
- 4. Select Submit to commit the change. (3)



### Configure the VBP-E TLS Traversal Server Security parameters

By default, the VBP-E Firewall disables all management protocols on the WAN interface. Management protocols are allowed by default on the LAN interface. When deselecting a management protocol, the system will deny access from the WAN interface only. Configuring the VBP-E as an external TLS Traversal server only requires the WAN interface to be configured and connected. The LAN interface will not be configured or connected to the network. For configuring the next steps and installing the system on the WAN network, HTTP and/or HTTPS, SSH must be enabled on the WAN interface. After testing has been completed, HTTP and SSH can be disabled.

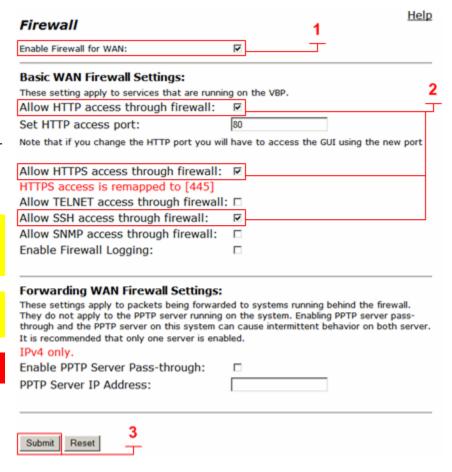
### Select - > Security

- 1. **Enable Firewall for WAN (1)** By default, this will be enabled on the system. Disabling the firewall is not recommended and is required to be enabled for Access Proxy support.
- 2. Allow HTTP access through firewall (2) Enabled by default. HTTP can be disabled after testing HTTPS connectivity to the system.
- 3. Allow HTTPS access through firewall (2) Enable to manage the system with HTTPS.
- Allow SSH access through firewall (2) Enabled by default for advanced troubleshooting and access to the CLI interface. SSH can be disabled after the system is configured and tested.
- 5. Select **Submit** to commit the change (3)

Note: These protocols are used for management to the system. The VBP-E system does provide a data NAT feature and will be automatically disabled when the TLS VoIP Traversal feature is enabled.

Dynamic NAT and the DHCP server will be disabled when the VoIP Traversal Internal client configuration changes are applied to the system.

Note: You must allow management access before continuing to the next step.

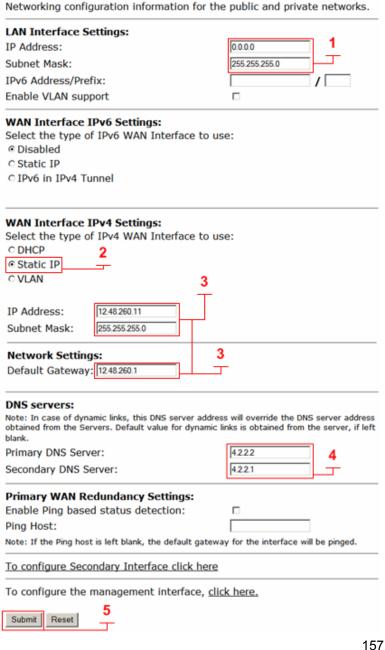


### Configure the VBP-E TLS Traversal Server Network **Parameters**

Select - > Network

- 1. LAN Interface Settings Configure an IP address of 0.0.0.0 or leave the field blank. (1)
- 2. Subnet Mask Enter a value in the field or leave the field blank (1)
- 3. WAN Interface IPv4 Settings Select Static IP (2). Enter the Public IPv4 address for the system. (3) Note: On the VBP-E 5300LF and 5300LF2 chassis WAN Ethernet port is Port 2
- 4. Subnet Mask Enter the subnet mask for the WAN interface network
- 5. **Default Gateway –** Enter the IPv4 address of the WAN network default router. (3)
- 6. **DNS servers –** Enter valid DNS server IPv4 addresses for the Primary and Secondary DNS server fields. (4)
- 7. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (5)

The system will now apply the IPv4 address configured on the WAN interface. Install the VBP-E system onto the network by connecting Port 2 to the network switch. Open a new Web browser and enter http://12.48.260.11 or https://12.48.260.11:445 to complete the installation tasks.



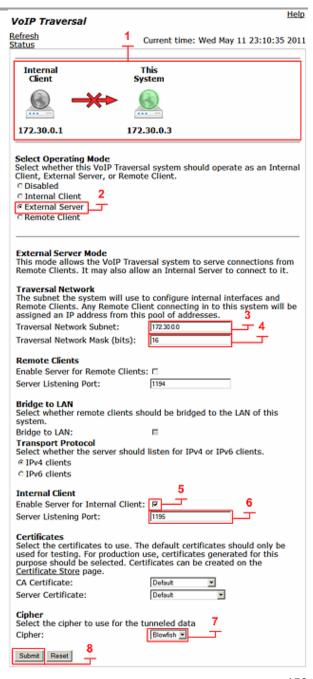
Network

## Configure the VBP-E TLS VoIP Traversal External Server parameters

Select - > VoIP Traversal

- 1. **VoIP Traversal Status (1)** Displays the status of the connections
- 2. Select Operation Mode (2) Select External Server
- 3. Traversal Network Subnet (3) Enter the traversal network subnet. This subnet will be used to address the system's virtual interfaces and to route traffic to and from the corporate network, and to and from the ALG. The system will automatically assign IPs from this subnet to create the internal routing interfaces. VBP-E will have one virtual interface. The internal client and the ALG will use 172.16.0.3 to forward traffic in the tunnel. Enabling the ALG on the virtual interface will be discussed at the end of this task.
- Traversal Network Mask (bits) (4) Enter the bit mask. The system will automatically assign the third IP address in the subnet to the virtual interface regardless of the bit mask.
- Enable Server for Remote Clients This feature will remain unselected. Note: The VBP-E external server does not support VBP-E remote client connections. VBP-E remote clients are only supported on the VBP-ST external server.
- 6. **Internal Client (5)** Enables the system to accept internal client connections.
- 7. **Server Listening Port (6)** Default port 1195 (UDP). This system will listen for incoming UDP TLS connections from the internal client.
- 8. **CA Certificate** The use of certificates in these fields are for the VBP-ST and VBP-E remote clients. The VBP-E external server system will use a Static Key to authorize the VBP-E internal client connection.
- 9. **Server Certificate** The use of certificates in these fields are for the VBP-ST and VBP-E remote clients. The VBP-E external server system will use a Static Key to authorize the VBP-E internal client connection.
- 10. **Cipher (7)** Set the cipher used for tunnel encryption. The system supports Blowfish and AES-256 encryption. The same cipher must be configured on the internal client.
  - a. Blowfish is a keyed symmetric-block cipher and offers acceptable security with no known cryptanalysis with lower system resources.
  - b. AES-256 is symmetric-key encryption offering higher security which requires higher system resources.
- 11. Select Submit to commit the changes. (8)

Note: The system will now warn you that it will disable services that are not VoIP Traversal supported, i.e. NAT and DHCP. The system will also warn you to create a Static Key. This will be covered in the next section.



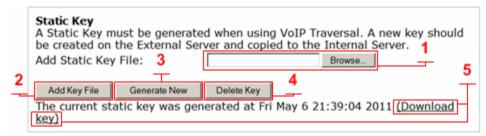
### Configure the VBP-E TLS Traversal Static Key Parameter

VoIP Traversal uses a static key generated by the external server and uploads the static key on the internal client to secure the tunnel data. This configuration will use the VBP-E to generate the static key. The VBP-ST will also be configured as an external server and can be used to generate the static key. VBP-ST, VBP-E external server, and VBP-E internal client must use the same key. If you are not installing a VBP-ST on the network, follow these steps to generate the Static Key. If you have already generated a Static Key on the VBP-ST, follow these steps to add the key to the system.

When the key is generated, download and save the key to your computer for installation on the remaining systems.

Select - > VoIP Traversal

- 1. **Browse** (1) Select browse to search your computer's hard drive and select the static key that was previously generated by the External Server.
- 2. Add Key File (2) After selecting the static key (1), select Add Key File to save the changes.
- Generate New (3) Select to generate a new key file.
   When the system generates the key, the option to download the key will appear. (5)



- 4. **Download Key (5)** Select the **Download** key link to save the static key to your computer.
- 5. **Delete Key (4)** Select to delete the current static key.

Note: when changing the key file you can overwrite the current key by selecting and adding the new key file.

Note: To follow good security practices, an IT security policy may periodically require a new static key to be generated and installed on the external VBP TLS Traversal servers and internal VBP TLS Traversal client systems.

Note: VBP-E external server VoIP Traversal firewall will not be used to filter traffic through the tunnel from the ALG. In the next configuration step, the VBP-E internal client's VoIP Traversal firewall can be used to filter traffic in the tunnel from the VBP-E and/or the VBP-ST eternal servers.

Note: Configuring the H.323 Whitelist/Blacklist feature can enhance security by allowing only trusted public locations to call into the system.

### Configure the VBP-E TLS Traversal Routes

VoIP Traversal Routes allows the administrator to configure what destination networks the system sends traffic through the tunnel to the internal subnets. Configure all the internal sub-networks required for the system to route this traffic through the tunnel to the internal networks.

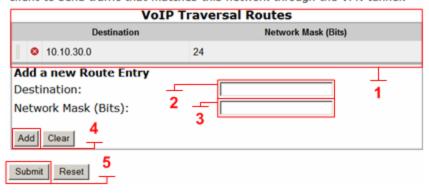
This configuration will have only one network to route traffic to, e.g. 10.10.30.0/24.

Select - > VoIP Traversal - > Routes

- 4. **VoIP Traversal Routes (1)** Displays the list of currently configured routes. Routes can be deleted by clicking the <sup>30</sup> icon. Then select **Submit** to commit the changes. (5).
- 5. **Destination (2)** Enter the IPv4 destination network.
- 6. **Network Mask (Bits) (3)** Enter the bit mask for the network.
- 7. Add (4) Select add to add the route to the list.
- 8. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (5)

### VoIP Traversal Routes

VoIP Traversal Routes defines networks the system will use to route traffic to the internal subnets. The system will also push these networks as routes to connecting VPN clients. Any route added here will cause the VPN client to send traffic that matches this network through the VPN tunnel.



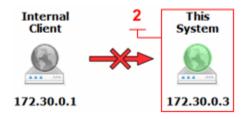
## Configure the VBP-E TLS Traversal Server with the ALG

The VoIP ALG page allows the system to assign the ALG to other configured interfaces on the system. VoIP Traversal will assign a virtual interface to the system used to route traffic through the tunnel. When deploying VoIP Traversal for business to business (B2B) calling the system will ALG this traffic as the specified LAN IP Address through the tunnel to the internal networks.

The LAN IP Address specified will be generated from the Traversal Network on the VoIP Traversal page. The VoIP ALG alias LAN interface must use the address assigned by the VoIP Traversal feature and labeled as **This System** from the Internal Client direction.

#### Select - > VoIP ALG

- Use ALG Alias IP Address (1) Select to enable ALG Alias IP Addresses.
- Select Submit to commit the changes. (4) You must click submit to edit the alias addresses.
- 3. **ALG LAN Interface IP Address (2)** Enter the LAN Interface IP Address the system will use e.g. 172.30.0.3 for the VoIP Traversal virtual interface.
- ALG WAN Interface IP Address (3) The WAN Interface IP address will be the same IP Address configured on the Network page.
- 5. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (4)



<b>VoIP ALG</b> ALG allows the system to recognize and register network devices.				
TFTP Server IP address:	0.0.0.0			
In some cases, the ALG addresses will not corre WAN ports. The addresses will be alias addresse general, the user should leave this feature disal Use ALG Alias IP Addresses:	es that have been configured on the ports. Ir			
ALG LAN Interface IP Address:	172.30.0.3			
ALG LAN Interface IPv6 Address:	3			
ALG WAN Interface IP Address:	12.48.260.11			
ALG WAN Interface IPv6 Address:				
Do strict RTP source check:				
Enable Client List lockdown:				
Allow Shared Usernames:				
Use Unique Ports for Shared users:				
Strip G.729 from calls:				
Allow clients on WAN:				
Bandwidth Settings for H.323 The maximum bandwidth to be used. The payload plus IP header overhead, aside for RTP streams. The per-call babandwidth only, i.e. the value used in of the call.	i.e. the actual link bandwidth set ndwidth is the RTP payload			
Maximum total bandwidth (kbps):	0			
Maximum per-call bandwidth (kbps):	0			
Default audio stream bandwidth (kbps	): 64			
Default video stream bandwidth (kbps	): 384			
Current payload bandwidth:	0			
Estimated current total bandwidth:	0			
The ALG feature is registered. View <u>lic</u>	ense key.			

### Configure the VBP-E TLS Traversal Server ALG H.323 Settings

When deploying VoIP Traversal for business to business (B2B) calling. In this example, the system will now be configured to forward H.323 traffic to the LAN/Subscriber gatekeeper for H.323 call control.

Select - > VoIP ALG - > H.323

- LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper mode (1) Select to enable LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper mode.
- 2. **LAN/Subscriber-side GK address (2)** Enter the IPv4 gatekeeper address the system will forward to.
- 3. Default Alias (3) Enabled by default for E.164 Enter the E.164 (4) the system will insert into the H.323 setup message if no destination was found, e.g. if the user dials 12.48.260.11. The system can forward the call to a RMX meeting room or any endpoint on the network. If the user dials 8315551500@12.48.260.11, the system will have a destination and will route the call to the HDX. In this case the default alias rules will not apply. Only one default alias may be entered.
- 4. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (5)

Default Alias A default alias can be added to incoming calls without a destination alia in the Q.931 Setup message. By adding this alias, the embedded gatekeeper, or a LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper can route the call to a default endpoint.			
Default alias: 3 © E.164 ————————————————————————————————————	RMX room E.164		
Stale Time The system can automatically delete registration requests for a given perior			
Delete stale clients:			
Stale time (m):	60		
Multicast Messages Some RAS messages can be multicast gatekeepers.	in order to automatically detect		
Listen to multicast messages:	П		
Alias Restrictions The maximum number of aliases to be	e allowed to register		
Max Aliases:	0		
Submit Reset 5			

Gatekeeper mode	
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WAN/Provider-side GK address:	
Modify Time-To-Live:	
New Time-To-Live (s):	300
Gatekeeper reachability:	N/A (Not in WAN GK mode)
LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper The H.323 gatekeeper that all inco	r mode settings ming calls should be forwarded to. It is eeper configured for peering-proxy mode
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H.323 Settings

### Configuring the VBP-E Internal TLS Traversal Client to VBP-E External TLS Traversal Server

Connect a computer configured with an IP address of 192.168.1.2 and subnet mask of 255.255.255.0 to Port 1 with either an Ethernet switch or an Ethernet cable wired directly to the computer.

Launch a Web browser on the computer and enter <a href="http://192.168.1.1">http://192.168.1.1</a> Press Return. The main configuration menu appears. Enter the user name root and the password default.

The EULA license agreement will now be displayed. After reading the license agreement, click "I agree" at the bottom to continue configuring the system. The EULA will only be displayed the first time you log in and, once accepted, the EULA will not appear again.

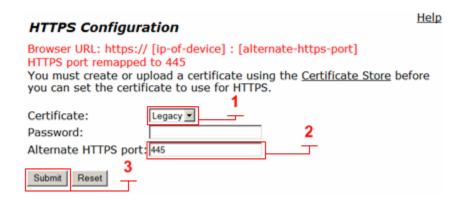
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Verify that internal networks with video clients installed have a routing entry for the Traversal network.

### **Configure the VBP-E Security HTTPS parameters**

Select - > Security - > HTTPS Configuration

- Certificate (1) Select the certificate to use for HTTPS
  management of the system. Legacy is the default option or
  select the certificate that was created or uploaded from the
  Certificate Store.
- 2. **Password** Enter the password the private key file was secured with during the certificate generation (optional.)
- 3. **Alternate HTTPS Port (2)** Enter the alternate port the system will respond to HTTPS requests for management.
- 4. Select Submit to commit the change (3)



## Configure the VBP-E Internal TLS Traversal Client Security Parameters

By default, the VBP-E Firewall disables all management protocols on the WAN interface. Management protocols are allowed by default on the LAN interface. By deselecting a management protocol the system will deny access from the WAN interface only. Configuring the VBP-E as an Internal TLS Traversal client only requires the LAN interface to be configured and connected to the network. The WAN interface will not be configured or connected to the network.

Note: The systems firewall must be enabled when using the VoIP Traversal firewall.

Select - > Security

- Enable Firewall for WAN (1) By default, this will be enabled on the system and is required to be enabled for TLS VoIP Traversal firewall support. Disabling the system firewall is not recommended
- 2. Allow HTTP access through firewall Disabled on the WAN and allowed on the LAN interface by default.
- 3. **Allow HTTPS access through firewall** Disabled on the WAN and allowed on the LAN interface by default.
- 4. **Allow SSH access through firewall** Disabled on the WAN and allowed on the LAN interface by default.
- 5. **Allow SNMP access through firewall** Disabled on the WAN and allowed on the LAN interface by default.
- 6. Select **Submit** to commit the change.

Note: These protocols are used for management to the system. The VBP-E system does provide a data NAT feature and will be automatically disabled when the TLS VoIP Traversal feature is enabled.

Dynamic NAT and the DHCP server will be disabled when the VoIP Traversal Internal client configuration changes are applied to the system.

Enable Firewall for WAN:	<u> </u>
Basic WAN Firewall Settings:	
These setting apply to services that are running	ng on the VBP.
Allow HTTP access through firewall:	
Set HTTP access port:	80
Note that if you change the HTTP port you wi	Il have to access the GUI using the new port
Allow HTTPS access through firewall:	
HTTPS access is remapped to [445]	
Allow TELNET access through firewall	: 🗆
Allow SSH access through firewall:	
Allow SNMP access through firewall:	
Enable Firewall Logging:	
Forwarding WAN Firewall Settings: These settings apply to packets being forward They do not apply to the PPTP server running through and the PPTP server on this system c. It is recommended that only one server is enal IPv4 only.	on the system. Enabling PPTP server pass- an cause intermittent behavior on both server
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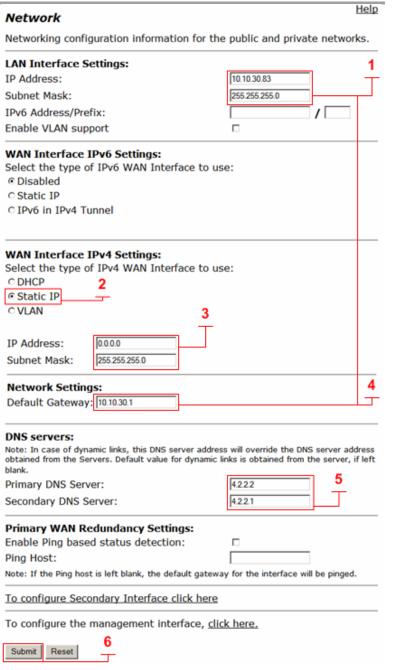
# Configure the VBP-E Internal TLS Traversal Client network parameters

Select - > Network

- LAN Interface Settings Enter the Public IPv4 or IPv6 address for the system. (1) Note: On the VBP-E 5300LF and 5300LF2 chassis the LAN Ethernet port is port 1.
- Subnet Mask Enter the subnet mask for the LAN interface network.
- 3. **WAN Interface IPv4 Settings –** Select **Static IP (2)** Configure an IP address of 0.0.0.0 or leave the field blank (3). This setting is needed to expose the **Default Gateway** in the GUI. (4)
- Subnet Mask (3) Enter a value in the field. Displayed is a class C mask.
- Default Gateway Enter the IPv4 address of the LAN network default router. (4)
- 6. **DNS servers –** Enter valid DNS server IPv4 addresses for the Primary and Secondary DNS server fields. (5)
- 7. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (6)

The system will now apply the IPv4 address configured on the LAN interface. Install the VBP-E system onto the network by connecting Port 1 to the LAN network switch. Open a new Web browser and enter <a href="http://10.10.30.83">https://10.10.30.83</a>:445 to complete the installation tasks.

Note: VBP-E TLS Traversal internal client will be configured on the LAN subnet and configured to route all traffic not destined for the configured network to this subnets default router. Therefore it is not necessary to configure system Routes for networks beyond this subnet.



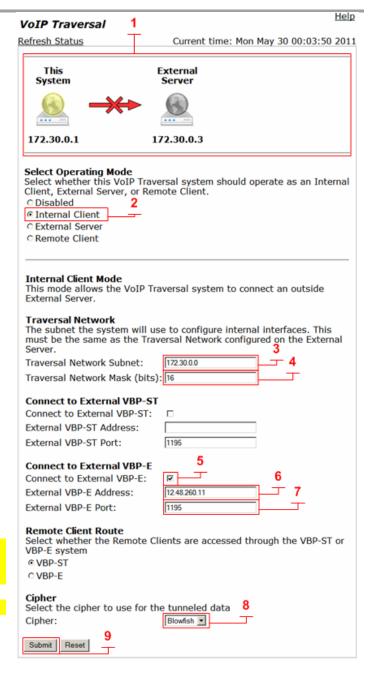
# Configure the VBP-E Internal TLS Traversal Client VoIP Traversal parameters

Select - > VoIP Traversal

- 1. **VoIP Traversal Status (1)** Displays the status of the connections
- 2. Select Operation Mode (2) Select Internal Client
- 3. Traversal Network Subnet (3) Enter the traversal network subnet. This subnet will be used to address the system's virtual interfaces and to route traffic between the corporate network, the remote clients, and the VBP-ST and VBP-E ALG interfaces. The system will automatically assign IPs from this subnet to create the internal routing interfaces. VBP-E internal client will have two virtual interfaces, one each for connections to the external VBP-ST and VBP-E to forward traffic in the tunnel to the LAN side devices.
- Traversal Network Mask (bits) (4) Enter the bit mask. The system will automatically assign the IP addresses in the subnet to the virtual interfaces regardless of the bit mask.
- Connect to External VBP-E (5) Select to enable the system to connect to the external VBP-ST VoIP Traversal server.
- External VBP-E Address (6) Enter the VBP-ST server address to connect to.
- 7. **External VBP-E Port (7)** Default port 1195 (UDP). This system will create UDP TLS connections to the VBP-ST external server.
- 8. **Cipher (8)** Set the cipher used for tunnel encryption. The system supports Blowfish and AES-256 encryption. The same cipher must be configured on the external servers.
  - c. Blowfish is a keyed symmetric-block cipher and offers acceptable security with no known cryptanalysis with lower system resources.
  - d. AES-256 is symmetric-key encryption offering higher security which requires higher system resources.
- 9. Select Submit to commit the changes. (9)

Note: The system will now disable services that are not VoIP Traversal supported, i.e. NAT and DHCP. The system will also warn you to create a Static Key. This will be covered in the next section.

Note: Remote Client Route will always be set to VBP-ST.

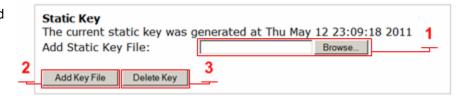


### Configure the VBP-E Internal TLS Traversal Client Static Key parameter

VoIP Traversal uses a static key generated by the external server and uploads the static key on the internal client to secure the tunnel. This configuration will use the VBP-E to generate the static key. The VBP-ST will also be configured as an external server and can be used to generate the static key. VBP-ST, VBP-E external server and VBP-E internal client must use the same key.

Select - > VoIP Traversal

- 1. **Browse (1)** Select **Browse** to search your computer's hard drive and select the static key that was previously generated by the External Server.
- 2. Add Key File (2) After selecting the static key (1), select Add Key File to save the changes.
- 3. **Delete Key (3)** Select to delete the current static key.



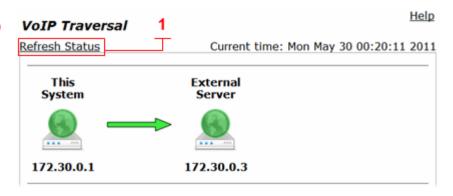
Note: If you are changing the key file, you can overwrite the current key by selecting and adding the new key file.

Note: To follow good security practices, an IT security policy may periodically require a new static key to be generated and installed on the external VBP VoIP Traversal servers and internal VBP VoIP Traversal client systems.

Note: The VBP-E external server VoIP Traversal firewall will not be used to filter traffic through the tunnel from the ALG. In the next configuration step, the VBP-E internal clients VoIP Traversal firewall can be used to filter traffic in the tunnel from the VBP-E and or the VBP-ST external servers.

After the Static Key has been applied to the internal client, the system will now make connections to the external VBP-E system. A refresh (1) may be required to view the connections as connected and green.

Troubleshooting connection issues will be discussed later in this document.



## Configure the VBP-E Internal TLS Traversal Client VoIP Traversal Firewall (Optional)

The VoIP Traversal Firewall allows you to create firewall rules affecting the tunneled data. By default, the VoIP Traversal Firewall is disabled and all traffic from remote clients is allowed to pass bi-directionally to the secure network. When the VoIP Traversal Firewall is enabled, all traffic will be dropped until rules are created to allow traffic through.

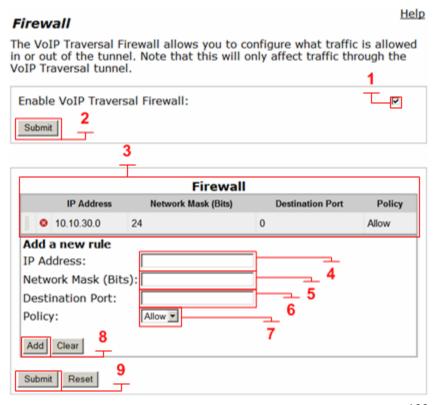
Installation tip: Configure the complete VBP TLS Traversal solution first and test the system with the VoIP Traversal Firewall disabled to verify connectivity. Then enable the firewall and create rules to secure the network.

Creating VoIP Traversal firewall rules on the internal client allows you to control which devices or subnets are allowed or denied through the tunnel to and from the VBP-E external TLS server. The rules created are source and destination rule sets. In this example, any device on the 10.10.30.0/24 subnet is allowed as a destination or a source through the firewall to and from the VBP-E external server's virtual interface. Host-based deny rules can also be created, for instance, if 10.10.30.100 is a secure server on the LAN in which no external traffic should have access to. You can create a **Deny** rule such as 10.10.30.100/32 and place the **Deny** rule above the **Allow** rule.

Select - > VoIP Traversal - > Firewall

- 1. **Enable VoIP Traversal Firewall (1)** Select to enable the firewall for tunneled data.
- 2. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (2)
- 3. Firewall (3) Displays the list of currently configured firewall rules. Rules can be deleted by clicking the <sup>3</sup> icon. Then select **Submit** to commit the changes. (9)
- 4. **IP Address (4)** Enter the IPv4 address or subnet the system will create the rule for.
- 5. **Network Mask (Bits) (5)** Enter the bit mask for the network.
- 6. **Destination Port (6)** Enter the destination port for the rule. If the field is left blank the system will apply all ports to the rule.
- 7. Policy (7) Select Allow or Deny for the rule.
- 8. Add (8) Select Add to add the route to the list.
- 9. Select Submit to commit the changes. (9)

Note: The system applies rules in the order displayed in the list. In this example, the VBP-E external server virtual interface ALG traffic will have access to the 10.10.30.0 subnet. Submitting the changes will only affect traffic to and from the rule being changed; all other sessions will not be interrupted.

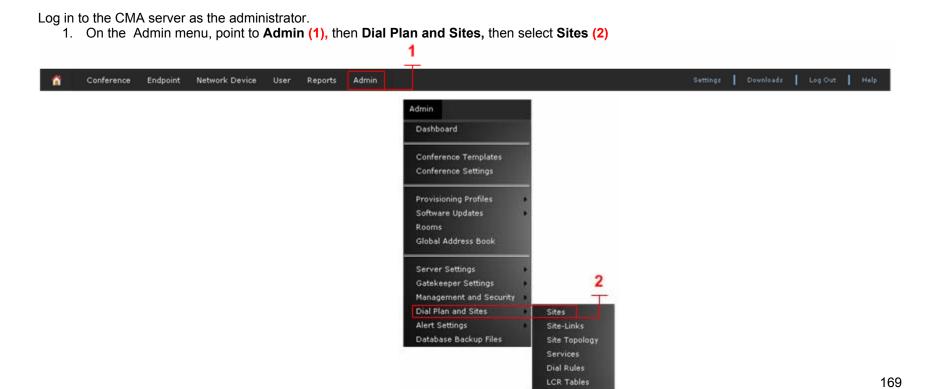


### Configuring the CMA Server to use the VBP-E External TLS Traversal Server for B2B Calling

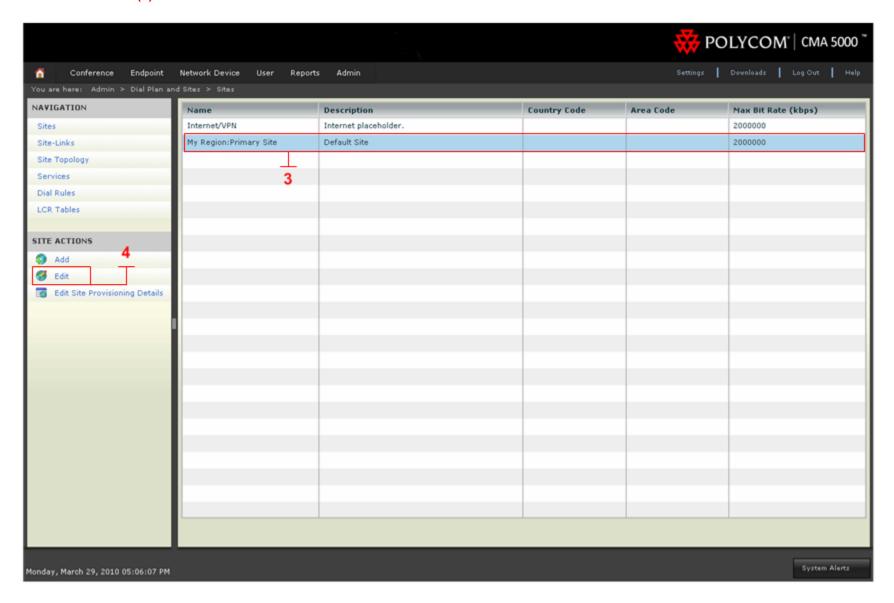
VBP-E TLS Traversal configuration requires a CMA task to be completed before internal users can place calls from the Headquarters location to any publicly reachable H.323 endpoint. When installing the CMA server onto the network, the administrator may have configured multiple sites or a single site for the network. CMA site features can be used to manage the network's bandwidth usage, which controls the amount of traffic allowed to and from each site location. The sites feature also allows the administrator to configure a default location to send H.323 calls when the destination the user dialed is not on the network. Sites are controlled by source subnets. To define which endpoint belongs to which site, you can create a site that has a single subnet or add multiple subnets to the site.

When installing a VBP-E to provide B2B dialing, the CMA server will be configured for the LAN IP address of the VBP-E VoIP Traversal virtual interface to route off network calls. When configuring the CMA server for sites, the administrator can define one VBP-E per site as the video gateway. This feature allows the CMA administrator to control which subnets use a specific VBP-E to route off network calls to.

In the following example, two subnets will be configured — e.g. 10.10.30.0/24 — and the VoIP Traversal network — e.g. 172.30.0.0/16. The following example will explain how to define the VBP-E external TLS Traversal server in the CMA server's configuration to provide users with business to business (B2B) calling.

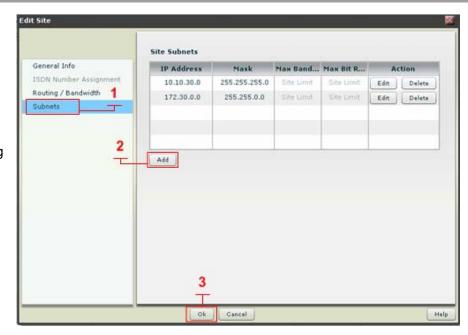


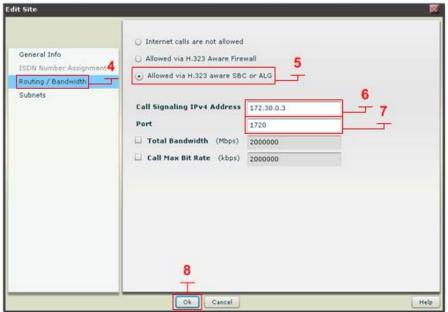
- 2. Select My Region:Primary Site (3)
- 3. Select Edit (4)



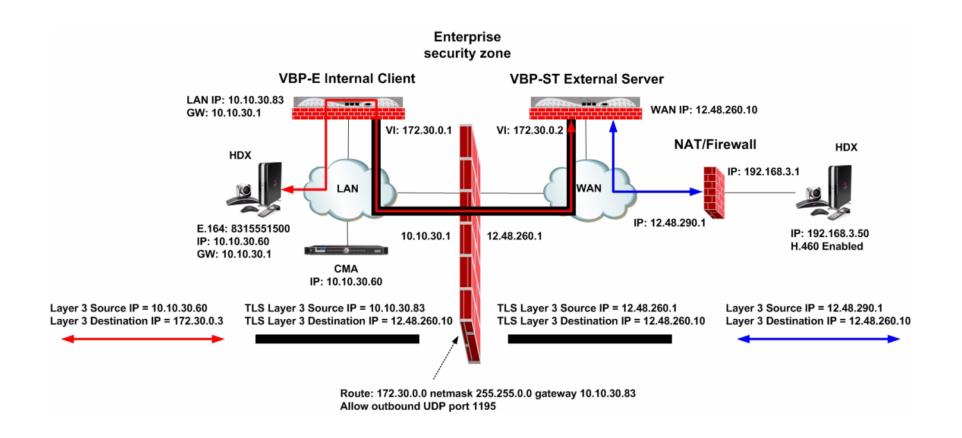
- 4. Select Subnets (1)
- 5. Select **Add (2)** and enter the Subnet IP Address/Mask e.g., 172.30.0.0/255.255.0.0 and then click **Ok**. Enter the next subnet e.g. 10.10.30.0/255.255.255.0 and then click **Ok**. (3)
- 6. Select Routing/Bandwidth (4)
- 7. Enable Allowed via H.323 aware SBC or ALG. (5)
- 8. **Call Signaling IPv4 Address (6)** Enter the Call Signaling IPv4 Address. This is the external VBP-E virtual interface IP address, e.g. 172.30.0.3.
- 9. Port (7) Verify the Port is set to 1720.
- 10. Select Ok (8) to save changes.

When this step is completed, test inbound and outbound calls through the VBP-E B2B TLS solution. If the solution includes a VBP-ST, continue the configuration tasks for installing the VBP-ST external TLS Traversal server in the next section.





## **VBP-ST TLS Traversal Configuration**



### Configuring the VBP-ST External TLS Traversal Server

Connect a computer configured with an IP address of 192.168.1.2 and subnet mask of 255.255.255.0 to Port 1 with either an Ethernet switch or an Ethernet cable wired directly to the computer.

Launch a Web browser on the computer and enter <a href="http://192.168.1.1">http://192.168.1.1</a> Press **Return**. The main configuration menu appears. Enter the user name root and the password default.

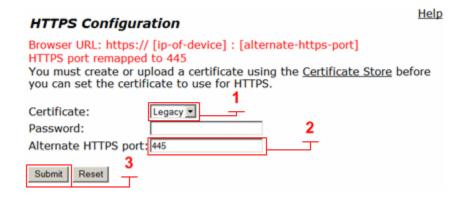
The EULA license agreement will now be displayed. After reading the license agreement, click "I agree" at the bottom to continue configuring the system. The EULA will only be displayed for the first time login and, once accepted, the EULA will not appear again.

Configuration tip – If the VBP-ST will be supporting the Access Proxy feature and you intend to manage the system using HTTPS you must change the HTTPS port used to manage the system before enabling the Access Proxy feature. All VBP systems come with a self-signed certificate call Legacy in the **HTTPS Configuration** page. You can create a new self-signed certificate or upload a signed certificate using the **Certificate Store** page. This configuration will not address configuring the Access Proxy with VoIP traversal. See the previous section for configuring the Access Proxy feature. This configuration will address setting the **Alternate HTTPS Port** for management of the system.

### Configure the VBP-ST Security HTTPS parameters

Select - > Security - > HTTPS Configuration

- Certificate (1) Select the certificate to use for HTTPS
  management of the system, Legacy is the default option or
  select the certificate that was created or uploaded from the
  Certificate Store.
- 2. **Password** Enter the password the private key file was secured with during the certificate generation (optional.)
- 3. Alternate HTTPS Port (2) Enter the alternate port the system will respond to HTTPS requests for management.
- 4. Select Submit to commit the change (3)



## Configure the VBP-ST External TLS Traversal Server Security Parameters

By default the VBP-ST Firewall enables HTTP and SSH. The VBP-ST firewall applies accept rules for both the Subscriber and Provider interfaces. When deselecting a management protocol, the system will deny access from both interfaces. Configuring the VBP-ST as a TLS Traversal external server only requires the Subscriber interface to be configured and connected. The Provider interface will not be configured or connected to the network. For configuring the next steps and installing the system on the network, HTTP and/or HTTPS and SSH must be enabled. After testing has been completed, HTTP and SSH can be disabled.

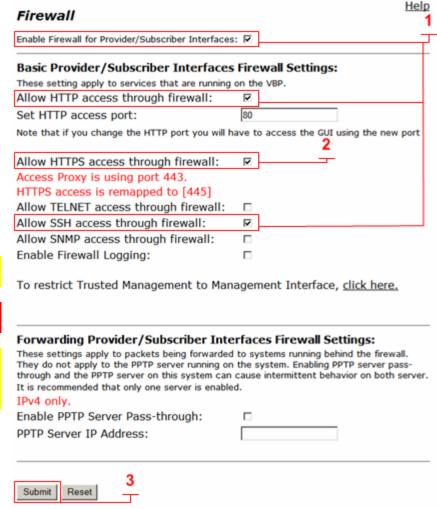
### Select - > Security

- Enable Firewall for Provider/Subscriber Interfaces By default this will be enabled on the system. Disabling the firewall is not recommended and is required to be enabled for Access Proxy and VoIP Traversal firewall support. (1)
- Allow HTTP access through firewall Enabled by default. HTTP can be disabled after testing HTTPS connectivity to the system. (1)
- 3. Allow HTTPS access through firewall Enable to manage the system with HTTPS. (2)
- Allow SSH access through firewall Enabled by default for advanced troubleshooting and access to the CLI interface. SSH can be disabled after the system is configured and tested.
- 5. Select **Submit** to commit the change (3)

Note: These protocols are used for management to the system. The VBP-ST system does not provide a data NAT feature.

Note: You must allow management access before continuing to the next step.

Note: You must allow either HTTPS or HTTP to continue to manage the system after testing has performed. SSH will only be required during the initial configuration or for accessing the system to debug an issue.



# Configure the VBP-ST External TLS Traversal Server Network parameters

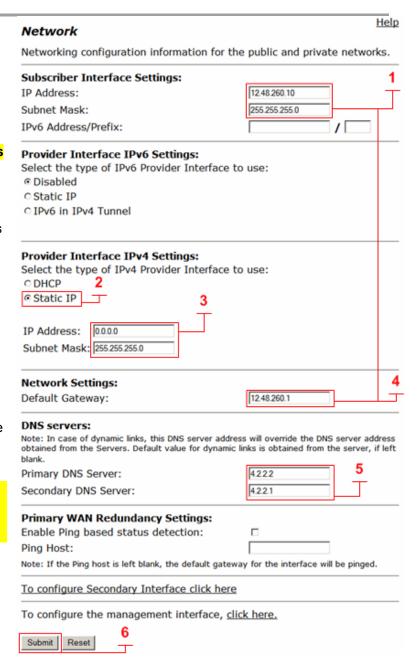
#### Select - > Network

- 1. Subscriber Interface Settings Enter the Public IPv4 or IPv6 address for the system. (1) Note: On the VBP-ST 5300LF and 5300LF2 chassis the Subscriber is Port 1 on the front panel.
- Subnet Mask Enter the subnet mask for the Subscriber interface network. (1)
- 3. Provider Interface IPv4 Settings Select -- > (2) Static IP (3)
  Configure an IP address of 0.0.0.0 or leave the field blank. This setting is needed to expose the Default Gateway in the GUI. (4) Note: On the VBP-ST 5300LF and 5300LF2 chassis the Provider Ethernet port is Port 2 on the front panel.
- Subnet Mask Enter a value in the field, displayed is a class C mask.
- 5. **Default Gateway –** Enter the IPv4 address of the Subscriber network default router. **(4)**
- 6. **DNS servers** Enter valid DNS server IPv4 addresses for the Primary and Secondary DNS server fields. (5)
- 7. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (6)

The system will now apply the IPv4 address configured on the Subscriber interface. Install the VBP-ST system onto the network by connecting Port 1 to the WAN network switch. Open a new Web browser and enter <a href="http://12.48.260.10">https://12.48.260.10</a> to complete the installation tasks.

Note: Terminology clarification – the VBP-ST uses the terms Subscriber and Provider. The VBP-E uses the terms WAN/LAN. This is why both terms are in the GUI. When configuring with the VBP-ST the Subscriber interface = WAN and Provider = LAN.

- Subscriber-side interface is installed on the WAN/Internet
- Provider-side interface is installed on the LAN



### Configure the VBP-ST External TLS Traversal Server Security TLS Certificates (Optional)

VBP-ST TLS Traversal is preinstalled with a default certificate for remote VBP-E VoIP Traversal connections. This certificate should be replaced by creating a new certificate using the VBP's **Certificate Store** or uploading a signed certificate. The Certificate Store will allow you to create a CA to sign the server and client certificates with or send a certificate signing request to obtain a signed certificate. This configuration will use a certificate created from the Certificate Store feature.

For this configuration, the system will require three certificates. Displayed below are examples or these three certificates (1)

- CA certificate The certificate authority used to sign the server and client certificate.
- 2. **Server certificate** Used by the VBP-ST VoIP Traversal server to authorize remote VBP-E VoIP Traversal client connections.
- 3. **Client certificate** Used by the remote VBP-E VoIP Traversal client for authorization to the VBP-ST VoIP Traversal server.

- Certificates (1) System created certificates or certificates uploaded from the Add Certificate function will be displayed here. Certificates can be deleted by clicking the icon. Then select Submit to commit the changes.(2) Note: The default certificates are only displayed on the VoIP Traversal page as "default".
- 2. **Certificate Name (3)** Enter the name of the certificate the system will create. For visual reference, in the certificate store, create a name that applies to the type of certificate you are creating. Use alpha-numeric fields only, not special characters.
- Certificate Type (4) Select the certificate type the system will create.
  - a. HTTPS
  - b. CA Certificate
  - c. VoIP Traversal Server
  - d. VoIP Traversal Client
- 4. **Key Size (5)** Selectable for HTTPS certificates only. Disabled for other certificate types.
  - a. 1024
  - b. 2048
- 5. **Certificate Authority (6)** This field will have multiple selections depending on the type of certificate you are creating.



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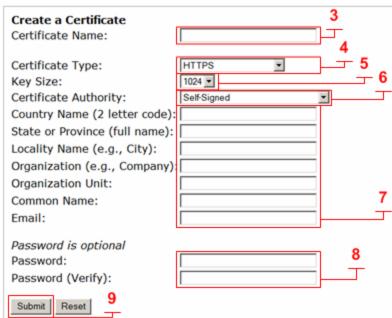
#### a. HTTPS

- i. Self Signed
- ii. Certificate Signing Request
- iii. If you have created a CA certificate, you will choose it to sign the other certificates with it. Such as server certificates and client certificates.
- b. CA Certificate Disabled
- c. VolP Traversal Server.
  - i. Self Signed
  - ii. Certificate Signing Request
  - iii. If you have created a CA certificate, you will choose it to sign the sever certificate, and client certificate.

#### d. VolP Traversal Client

- i. Self Signed
- ii. Certificate Signing Request
- iii. If you have created a CA certificate, you will choose it to sign the server certificate and client certificate.
- 6. **Certificate Form data (7)** Enter the Certificate data.
  - Certificate Name A name for the certificate. This name is only used to manage the certificate and is shown in the certificate list.
  - b. Country Name A two-letter code of the country that the certificate is going to be used in.
  - c. State or Province name The full name of the state or province.
  - d. Locality Name For example, the name of the city.
  - e. Organization Name For example, the company name.
  - f. Organization Unit For example, the department.
  - g. Common Name The name of the certificate.
  - h. Email The email to contact regarding the certificate.
- 7. Password (8) Used for HTTPS certificates only. Optional, used to secure the key. If a password was used when generating the key, the same password must be specified in the HTTPS Configuration page when using this certificate.
- 8. Select **Submit (9)** to commit the changes.





## Procedure for Uploading Certificates to the Certificate Store

Certificate store management allows certificates to be installed on the system by using the **Add a Certificate** feature. Installing signed certificates or self-signed certificates on the VBP-ST external server or remote VBP-E TLS Traversal client must contain two files, the actual certificate and the corresponding key file. The exception to this is CA certificates. These may be added without a corresponding key file. However, in that case, they cannot be used to sign other certificates.

The certificate must be given a name. This name is used for certificate management only and is displayed in the certificate list. Finally, a certificate type must be specified.

- Certificates (1) System created certificates or certificates uploaded from the Add Certificate function will be displayed here. Certificates can be deleted by clicking the <sup>3</sup> icon. Then select Submit to commit the changes.
- Certificate Name (2) Enter the name of the certificate. For visual reference, in the certificate store, create a name that applies to the type of certificate you are installing. Use alpha-numeric fields only, not special characters.
- 3. **Certificate Type (3)** Select the certificate type.
  - a. HTTPS
  - b. CA Certificate
  - c. VoIP Traversal Server
  - d. VoIP Traversal Client
- 4. **Select Certificate File (4)** Browse and select the corresponding certificate file for the certificate type from your computer.
- 5. **Select Key File (5)** Browse and select the corresponding key file for the certificate type from your computer.
- 6. **Password (6)** For HTTPS only Enter the password the HTTPS key file was encrypted with.
- 7. Select **Submit (7)** to commit the changes.



## Creating the TLS Traversal CA Certificate

VBP TLS Traversal feature requires three types of certificates to function. The following sections will guide you through creating the certificates the system will use.

CA certificate

- 1. **Certificates (1)** After creating the CA certificate, the system will list all certificates. Certificates can be deleted by clicking the <sup>3</sup> icon. Then select **Submit** to commit the changes. (2)
- 2. **Certificate Name (3)** Enter the name of the certificate the system will create. For visual reference, in the certificate store, create a name that applies to the type of certificate you are creating. Use alpha-numeric fields only, not special characters.
- 3. **Certificate Type (4)** Select the certificate type the system will create.
  - e. CA Certificate
- 4. Certificate Form data (5) Enter the Certificate data.
  - f. Certificate Name A name for the certificate. This name is only used to manage the certificate and is shown in the certificate list.
  - g. Country Name A two letter code of the country that the certificate is going to be used in.
  - h. State or Province name The full name of the state or province.
  - i. Locality Name For example, the name of the city.
  - j. Organization Name For example, the company name.
  - k. Organization Unit For example, the department.
  - Common Name The name of the certificate.
  - m. Email The email to contact regarding the certificate.
- 5. Select **Submit (6)** to commit the changes.



## Creating the TLS Traversal Server Certificate

VBP TLS Traversal feature requires three types of certificates to function. The following sections will guide you through creating the certificates the system will use.

External Server certificate

- 1. **Certificates (1)** After creating the Server certificate, the system will list all certificates. Certificates can be deleted by clicking the <sup>3</sup> icon. Then select **Submit** to commit the changes. (2)
- 2. **Certificate Name (3)** Enter the name of the certificate the system will create. For visual reference, in the certificate store, create a name that applies to the type of certificate you are creating. Use alpha-numeric fields only, not special characters.
- 3. **Certificate Type (4)** Select the certificate type the system will create.
  - a. VoIP Traversal Server
- 4. **Certificate Authority (5)** This field will have multiple selections depending on the type of certificate you are creating. Select the CA to sign the server certificate with.
  - a. VoIP traversal CA
- 5. Certificate Form data (6) Enter the Certificate data.
  - Certificate Name A name for the certificate. This name is only used to manage the certificate and is shown in the certificate list.
  - b. Country Name A two-letter code of the country that the certificate is going to be used in.
  - c. State or Province name The full name of the state or province.
  - d. Locality Name For example, the name of the city.
  - e. Organization Name For example, the company name.
  - f. Organization Unit For example, the department.
  - g. Common Name The name of the certificate.
  - h. Email The email to contact regarding the certificate.
- 6. Select **Submit (7)** to commit the changes.



### Creating the TLS Traversal Client Certificate

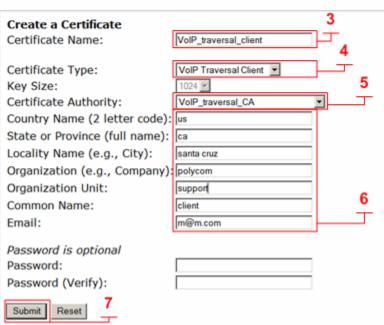
VBP TLS Traversal feature requires three types of certificates to function. The following sections will guide you through creating the certificates the system will use.

Remote Client certificate.

Select - > Security - > Certificate Store

- 1. **Certificates (1)** After creating the Client certificate, the system will list all certificates. Certificates can be deleted by clicking the <sup>3</sup> icon. Then select **Submit** to commit the changes. (2)
- 2. **Certificate Name (3)** Enter the name of the certificate the system will create. For visual reference, in the certificate store, create a name that applies to the type of certificate you are creating. Use alpha-numeric fields only, not special characters.
- 3. **Certificate Type (4)** Select the certificate type the system will create.
  - b. VoIP Traversal Client
- Certificate Authority (5) This field will have multiple selections depending on the type of certificate you are creating. Select the CA to sign the client certificate with.
  - a. VoIP traversal CA
- 5. Certificate Form data (6) Enter the Certificate data.
  - Certificate Name A name for the certificate. This name is only used to manage the certificate and is shown in the certificate list.
  - b. Country Name A two-letter code of the country that the certificate is going to be used in.
  - c. State or Province name The full name of the state or province.
  - d. Locality Name For example, the name of the city.
  - e. Organization Name For example, the company name.
  - f. Organization Unit For example, the department.
  - g. Common Name The name of the certificate.
  - h. Email The email to contact regarding the certificate.
- 6. Select **Submit (7)** to commit the changes.
- 7. After creating all certificates, use the Download function (1) to save the CA and Client certificate and key for installation on the VBP-E Remote VoIP Traversal client.

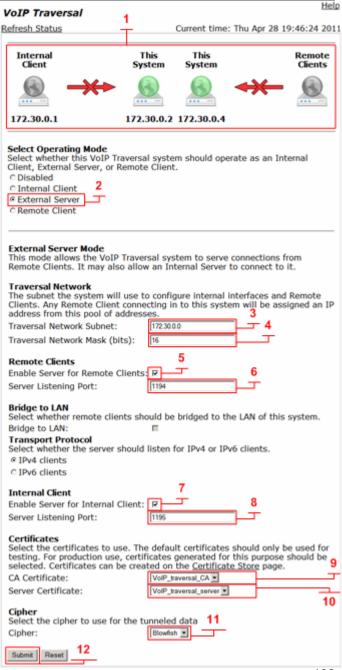




## Configure the VBP-ST External TLS VoIP Traversal Server Parameters

Select - > VoIP Traversal

- 2. **VoIP Traversal Status (1)** Displays the status of the connections
- 3. Select Operation Mode (2) Select External Server
- 4. Traversal Network Subnet (3) Enter the traversal network subnet. This subnet will be used to address the systems virtual interfaces, to route traffic to and from the corporate network, and to and from the remote clients. The system will automatically assign IPs from this subnet to create the internal routing interfaces. VBP-ST will have two virtual interfaces, the internal client and the ALG. If enabled, these will use 172.16.0.2 and remote clients will use 172.16.0.4 to forward traffic in the tunnel. Enabling the ALG on the virtual interface will be discussed as an optional setting at the end of this task.
- 5. **Traversal Network Mask (bits) (4)** Enter the bit mask. The system will automatically assign IP addresses to the virtual interface regardless of the bit mask.
- Enable Server for Remote Clients (5) Enables the system to accept remote client connections.
- 7. **Server Listening Port (6)** Default port 1194 (UDP). This system will listen for incoming UDP TLS connections from remote clients.
- 8. Internal Client (7) Enables the system to accept internal client connections.
- 9. **Server Listening Port (8)** Default port 1195 (UDP). This system will listen for incoming UDP TLS connections from the internal client.
- 10. **CA Certificate** (9) If you have created a CA Certificate, use the drop-down menu to select it. The default can be used for testing the remote client connections before enabling the custom CA.
- 11. **Server Certificate (10)** If you have created a Server Certificate, use the drop-down menu to select it. The default can be used for testing the remote client connections before enabling the custom server certificate.
- 12. **Cipher (11)** Set the cipher used for tunnel encryption. The system supports Blowfish and AES-256 encryption. The same cipher must be configured on the internal client.
  - a. Blowfish is a keyed symmetric-block cipher and offers acceptable security with no known cryptanalysis with lower system resources.
  - b. AES-256 is symmetric-key encryption offering higher security which requires higher system resources.
- 13. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (12)



Note: The system will now warn you that enabling remote client support requires authentication to be enabled. The system will disable services that are not VoIP Traversal supported, i.e. NAT and DHCP. The system will warn you to create a Static Key. This will be covered in the next section.

### Configure the VBP-ST External TLS Traversal Server Authentication Parameters

Remote client connections will require correct certificate and user name/password authentication. The VBP-ST external server can be configured for a local user list or with a remote LDAP, TACACS or RADIUS server. This configuration example will use the 'Locally configured User List'.

Select - > VoIP Traversal - > Authentication

- Locally Configured User List (1) Select to enable the system to use local authentication.
- 2. **User List (2)** Displays the configured users. Users can be deleted by clicking the <sup>SO</sup> icon. Then select **Submit** to commit the changes. (6)
- User Name (3) Enter an alpha-numeric user name, not special characters.
- 4. Password (4) Enter an alpha-numeric or special characters password.
- 5. Add (5) Select Add to add the user to the list. Add additional users or submit the changes.
- 6. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (6)

Select - > VoIP Traversal - > Authentication

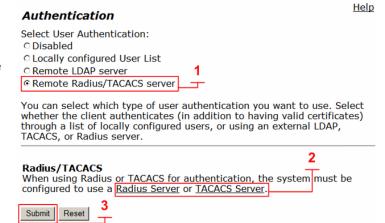
- 1. **Remote LDAP server (1)** Select to enable the system to use remote LDAP authentication.
- 2. **LDAP Search Base String (2)** Enter the LDAP search string. The search-base string will be prepended to the user name when making the query.
- LDAP Server IP Address (3) Enter the IPv4 address of the LDAP server.
- 4. **LDAP Server Port (4)** Enter the LDAP protocol port you wish to use. The system is defaulted to port 0. The standard LDAP port is 389.
- 5. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (5)

<u>Help</u> **Authentication** Select User Authentication: Disabled Locally configured User List © Remote LDAP server © Remote Radius/TACACS server You can select which type of user authentication you want to use. Select whether the client authenticates (in addition to having valid certificates) through a list of locally configured users, or using an external LDAP, TACACS, or Radius server. User List The User List allows you to manually configure what users are allowed to connect to the External VoIP Traversal Server. Users (Changes have not been saved) User ♦ VBPremoteTLS200 1H@rDp\*\*swo0rd! Add a new User User Name: Password: Clear Submit Reset Help Authentication Select User Authentication: Disabled C Locally configured User List Remote LDAP server © Remote Radius/TACACS server You can select which type of user authentication you want to use. Select whether the client authenticates (in addition to having valid certificates) through a list of locally configured users, or using an external LDAP, TACACS, or Radius server. Configure the LDAP server and search base string to use for authentication of users. LDAP Search Base String: LDAP Server IP Address: LDAP Server Port:

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Select - > VoIP Traversal - > Authentication

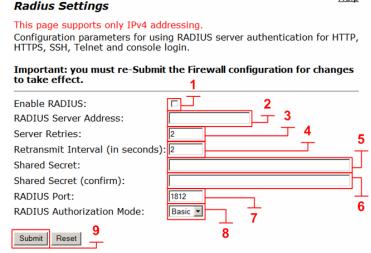
- Remote Radius/TACACS server (1) Select to enable the system to use remote Radius or TACACS authentication.
- 2. Radius/TACACS (2) When Remote Radius or TACACS is selected, the system will query the configured Radius or TACACS server to authenticate any connecting clients. The Radius or TACACS server must be configured on the Radius or TACACS page respectively. By clicking on the Radius or TACACS links, you will be re-directed to the system's Radius or TACACS setting pages. Enabling the system's RADIUS or TACACS feature will enable remote authentication for VoIP traversal and Management access to the system, e.g. HTTP, HTTPS, SSH, Telnet.
- 3. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (3)



Note: If the RADIUS or TACACS server is unavailable for authentication, the system will default to local accounts for system management. The systems management password for HTTP and CLI access should be changed from the default to follow good security practices for securing the system in the event the RADIUS or TACACS server becomes unreachable.

Select - > System - > Radius Server

- Enable RADIUS (1) Select to enable the system to use remote RADIUS authentication.
- 2. **RADIUS Server Address (2)** Enter the IPv4 address the system will use to create connections to the TACACS server for authentication.
- 3. **Server Retries (3)** Enter a numeric value. The system should retry the connection to the RADIUS server before the server is deemed unavailable.
- 4. Retransmit Interval (in seconds) (4) Enter the delay in seconds for server connection reties. The default value is two seconds between reties.
- 5. **Shared Secret (5)** Enter the shared secret. The systems client and RADIUS server must have the same shared secret.
- 6. **Shared Secret (confirm) (6)** Enter the shared secret again.
- RADIUS Port (7) Enter the destination port the system will use to create connection to the RADIUS. Default is 1812
- 8. **RADIUS Authorization Mode (8)** The system supports the following authentication modes.
  - a. **Basic:** Basic mode confirms the shared secret with the server.
  - b. **Challenge Handshake Authentication Protocol (CHAP):** The password is used to calculate the response to a random challenge. Both the challenge and response are sent as part of the RADIUS request message.
- 9. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (9)



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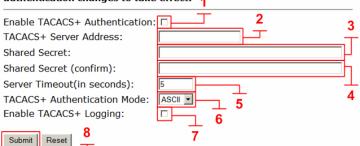
Select - > System - > TACACS Settings

- 1. **Enable TACACS+ Authentication (1)** Select to enable the system to use remote TACACS authentication.
- 2. **TACACS+ Server Address (2)** Enter the IPv4 address the system use to create connections to the TACACS server for authentication.
- 3. **Shared Secret (3)** Enter the shared secret. The systems client and TACACS server must have the same shared secret.
- 4. Shared Secret (confirm) (4) Enter the shared secret again.
- 5. **Server Timeout (in seconds) (5)** Enter the time in seconds the system should wait for a reply from the TACACS server before the server is deemed unavailable. The valid range is 1 100 and the default is 5.
- TACACS+ Authentication Mode (6) The system supports the following authentication modes;
  - a. **ASCII:** The user name is sent as part of the TACACS client request and the password is sent as part of the continue message.
  - b. **Password Authentication Protocol (PAP):** Both user name and password are sent as part of the request message.
  - c. **Challenge Handshake Authentication Protocol (CHAP):** The password is used to calculate the response to a random challenge. Both the challenge and response are sent as part of the TACACS+ request message.
- 7. **Enable TACACS+ Logging (7) –** If enabled, all configuration changes made to the system over HTTP, HTTPS, SSH, Telnet, and the serial console are logged.
- 8. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (8)

#### TACACS+ Settings

Configuration parameters for using TACACS+ server authentication and logging for HTTP, HTTPS, SSH, Telnet and console login.

## Important: you must relaunch your browser window for authentication changes to take effect.



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### Configure the VBP-ST External TLS Traversal Server Static Key parameter

TLS VoIP Traversal uses a static key generated by the external server and uploaded on the internal client to secure the tunnel data. This configuration will use the VBP-ST to generate the static key. The VBP-E will also be configured as an external server and can be used to generate the static key. VBP-ST, VBP-E external server and VBP-E internal client must use the same key. When the key is generated, download and save the key to your computer for installation on the remaining systems.

Static Key

Add Static Key File:

Generate New

Add Key File

Select - > VoIP Traversal

- 1. **Browse (1)** Select browse to search your computer's hard drive and select the static key that was previously generated by the External Server.
- 2. Add Key File (2) After selecting the static key (1) select Add Key File to save the changes.
- Generate New (3) Select to generate a new key file.
   When the system generates the key, the option to download the key will appear. (5)
- 4. **Download Key (5)** Select the **Download key** link to save the key to your computer.
- 5. **Delete Key (4)** Select to delete the current static key.

Note: if you are changing the key file you can overwrite the current key by selecting and adding the new key file.

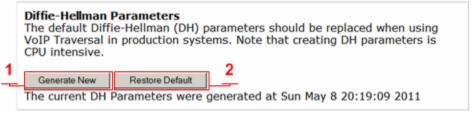
Note: To follow good security practices, an IT security policy may periodically require a new static key to be generated and installed on the external VBP VoIP Traversal servers and internal VBP VoIP Traversal client systems.

### Configure the VBP-ST VoIP Traversal Diffie-Hellman Parameter

Symmetric keys are used to encrypt and decrypt traffic; keys are derived from keying material known as Diffie-Hellman. VoIP Traversal uses Diffie-Hellman between the external server and remote clients to secure the tunnels. Diffie-Hellman will only need to be generated on the external servers and once created do not require regeneration.

Select - > VoIP Traversal

- Generate New (1) Select to generate new DH parameters.
- Restore Default (2) Select to restore the default DH parameters.



A Static Key must be generated when using VoIP Traversal. A new key should

Browse.

be created on the External Server and copied to the Internal Server.

Delete Key

The current static key was generated at Fri May 6 21:39:04 2011 (Download

Note: To follow good security practices an IT security policy may periodically require Diffie-Hellman parameters to be generated on the external server that services the VBP-E remote clients.

### Configure the VBP-ST External TLS Traversal Server Routes

VoIP Traversal Routes allows the administrator to configure what routes are being sent to connecting remote clients and how the system routes this traffic to the internal subnets. Configure all the internal sub networks required for the system to route this traffic from the remote client to the internal networks.

Any remote VBP-E TLS Traversal clients connecting to the VBP-ST server will have both the default route set to the VBP-ST VoIP Traversal server's virtual interface, e.g. 172.30.0.4, as well as the more specific routes listed here. The specific routes being sent are set through DHCP options 121 (Classless Static Route) and 249 (Microsoft Classless Static Route). If the client does not understand options 121 or 249, it will use the default route. If the client installs the default route with a lower metric than an already installed default route, then the options 121 or 249 will allow the client to still route data to the VoIP Traversal protected network.

This configuration will have only one network to route traffic to e.g. 10.10.30.0/24

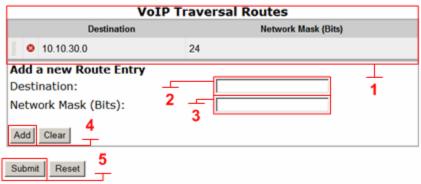
Select - > VoIP Traversal - > Routes

- VoIP Traversal Routes (1) Displays the list of currently configured routes. Routes can be deleted by clicking the icon. Then select Submit to commit the changes. (5)
- 2. **Destination** (2) Enter the IPv4 destination network.
- 3. Network Mask (Bits) (3) Enter the bit mask for the network.
- 4. Add (4) Select Add to add the route to the list.
- 5. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (5)

#### VoIP Traversal Routes

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VoIP Traversal Routes defines networks the system will use to route traffic to the internal subnets. The system will also push these networks as routes to connecting VPN clients. Any route added here will cause the VPN client to send traffic that matches this network through the VPN tunnel.



### Configure the VBP-ST External TLS Traversal Server Firewall (Optional)

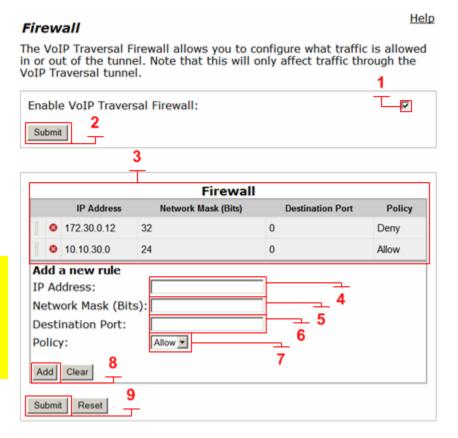
The VBP-ST VoIP Traversal Firewall allows you to create firewall rules affecting the tunneled data. By default, the VoIP Traversal Firewall is disabled and all traffic from remote clients is allowed to pass bi-directionally to the secure network. When the VoIP Traversal Firewall is enabled, all traffic will be dropped until rules are created to allow traffic through.

Installation tip: Configure the complete VBP TLS Traversal solution first and test with the VoIP Traversal Firewall disabled to verify connectivity from remote VBP-E TLS Traversal locations. Then enable the firewall and create rules to secure the network. VBP-ST VoIP Traversal firewall feature does not apply rules to the H.323 ALG traffic coming from remote H.323 or H.460 endpoints, e.g. Remote CMA Desktops registering to the VBP-ST for Access Proxy and H.460 services. This traffic can be filtered on the internal VBP-E VoIP traversal clients firewall rules and will be discussed later in this document.

Select - > VoIP Traversal - > Firewall

- Enable VoIP Traversal Firewall (1) Select to enable the firewall for tunneled data.
- 2. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (2)
- 3. Firewall (3) Displays the list of currently configured firewall rules. Rules can be deleted by clicking the <sup>3</sup> icon. Then select **Submit** to commit the changes. (9)
- 4. **IP Address (4)** Enter the IPv4 address or subnet the system will create the rule for.
- 5. **Network Mask (Bits) (5)** Enter the bit mask for the network.
- 6. **Destination Port (6)** Enter the destination port for the rule. If the field is left blank, the system will apply all ports to the rule.
- 7. **Policy** (7) Select **Allow** or **Deny** for the rule.
- 8. Add (8) Select Add to add the rule to the list.
- 9. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (9)

Note: The system applies rules in the order displayed in the list. In this example, all remote VBP-E TLS Traversal clients will have access to the 10.10.30.0 subnet except for the PC user. Traffic from this device will be dropped by the Deny rule in the VBP-ST firewall. Rules can be moved up or down in the list by dragging the handle on the left side and submitting the changes. Submitting the changes will only affect traffic to and from the rule being changed; all other session will not be affected.

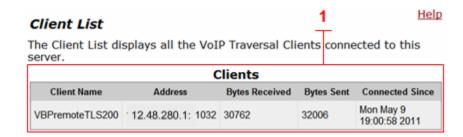


## Viewing the Active VBP-ST External TLS Traversal Server Clients

The VBP-ST external server VoIP Traversal clients list displays the currently connected remote VBP-E TLS Traversal connected systems.

Select - > VoIP Traversal - > Clients

1. **Clients (1)** – Displays the currently connected remote VBP-E TLS Traversal systems.

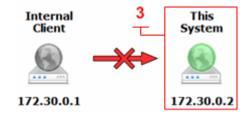


### Configure the VBP-ST External TLS Traversal Server with the ALG

The VoIP ALG page allows the system to assign the ALG to other configured interfaces on the system. VoIP Traversal will assign a virtual interface to the system used to route traffic through the tunnel. When deploying TLS Traversal with legacy remote Access Proxy, H.460 or VBP-E system in WAN Side gatekeeper mode, the system will ALG this traffic as the specified Provider IP Address. The Provider IP Address specified will be generated from the Traversal Network on the VoIP Traversal page. The VoIP ALG Provider interface must use the IP address assigned by the VoIP Traversal feature and labeled as **This System** from the Internal Client direction.

#### Select - > VoIP ALG

- Use ALG Alias IP Address (1) Select to enable ALG Alias IP Addresses
- 2. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. **(4)** You must submit to edit the alias addresses.
- 3. ALG Subscriber Interface IP Address (2) The Subscriber Interface IP address will be the same IP Address as configured on the Network page.
- 4. **ALG Provider Interface IP Address (3)** Enter the Provider Interface IP Address the system will use, e.g. 172.30.0.2, for the VoIP Traversal virtual interface.
- 5. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (4)



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## Configure the VBP-ST External TLS Traversal Server ALG H.323 Settings

When deploying TLS Traversal with legacy remote Access Proxy, H.460 or VBP-E system in WAN Side gatekeeper mode, the system must be configured to forward the H.323 traffic to the WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper for H.323 call control.

Select - > VoIP ALG - > H.323

- 1. **WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode (1)** Select to enable WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode.
- 2. **WAN/Provider-side GK address (2)** Enter the IPv4 gatekeeper address the system will forward to.
- 3. **Delete stale clients (3)** Enable to delete clients that have not registered to the system in the time specified by the configured Stale time.
- Stale time (m) (4) Enter the value in minutes in which the system will delete inactive H.323/H.460 clients. Note: this feature should be enabled for mobile clients.
- 5. **H.460.18 Support (5)** Select to enable the system for H.460 traversal support.
- Keep-alive time (s) (6) Enter the time in seconds the system will
  configure the client for registration frequency. Most H.323/H.460
  clients will divide the value by half, e.g. if a value of 60 is entered,
  the client will send registration messages every 30 seconds.
- 7. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (7)

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### Configuring the VBP-E Internal TLS Traversal Client to VBP-ST External TLS Traversal Server

Connect a computer configured with an IP address of 192.168.1.2 and subnet mask of 255.255.255.0 to Port 1 with either an Ethernet switch or an Ethernet cable wired directly to the computer.

Launch a Web browser on the computer and enter <a href="http://192.168.1.1">http://192.168.1.1</a> Press Return. The main configuration menu appears. Enter the user name root and the password default.

The EULA license agreement will now be displayed. After reading the license agreement, click "I agree" at the bottom to continue configuring the system. The EULA will only be displayed for the first time login and, once accepted, the EULA will not appear again.

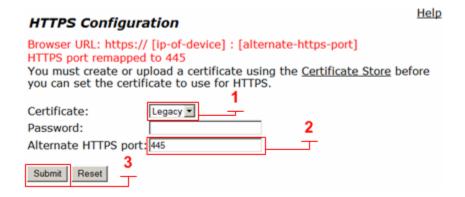
Configuration tip – If the VBP-E external server is configured for HTTPS management on port 445, configuring the VBP-E internal client for the same port may be useful in remembering to use port 445. All VBP systems come with a self-signed certificate call Legacy in the **HTTPS**Configuration page. You can create a new self-signed certificate or upload a signed certificate using the Certificate Store page.

Verify all internal networks that will have video clients installed have a routing entry for the Traversal network.

### Configure the VBP-E Security HTTPS parameters

Select - > Security - > HTTPS Configuration

- Certificate (1) Select the certificate to use for HTTPS
  management of the system. Legacy is the default option, or
  select the certificate that was created or uploaded from the
  Certificate Store.
- Password Enter the password the private key file was secured with during the certificate generation (optional.)
- 3. Alternate HTTPS Port (2) Enter the alternate port the system will respond to HTTPS requests for management.
- 4. Select **Submit** to commit the change (3)



### Configure the VBP-E Internal TLS Traversal Client Security Parameters

By default, the VBP-E Firewall disables all management protocols on the WAN interface. Management protocols are allowed by default on the LAN interface. By deselecting a management protocol, the system will deny access from the WAN interface only. Configuring the VBP-E as an Internal TLS Traversal client only requires the LAN interface to be configured and connected to the network. The WAN interface will not be configured or connected to the network.

Note: The systems firewall must be enabled when using the VoIP Traversal firewall.

Select - > Security

- Enable Firewall for WAN (1) By default this will be enabled on the system. Disabling the system firewall is not recommended and is required to be enabled for VoIP Traversal firewall support.
- 2. **Allow HTTP access through firewall** Disabled on the WAN and allowed on the LAN interface by default.
- 3. **Allow HTTPS access through firewall** Disabled on the WAN and allowed on the LAN interface by default.
- 4. **Allow SSH access through firewall** Disabled on the WAN and allowed on the LAN interface by default.
- 5. **Allow SNMP access through firewall** Disabled on the WAN and allowed on the LAN interface by default.
- 6. Select **Submit** to commit the change.

Note: These protocols are used for management to the system. The VBP-E system does provide a data NAT feature and will be automatically disabled when the TLS VoIP Traversal feature is enabled.

Dynamic NAT and the DHCP server will be disabled when the VoIP Traversal Internal client configuration changes are applied to the system.

Enable Firewall for WAN:	<u> </u>
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Allow SSH access through firewall:	
Allow SNMP access through firewall:	
Enable Firewall Logging:	
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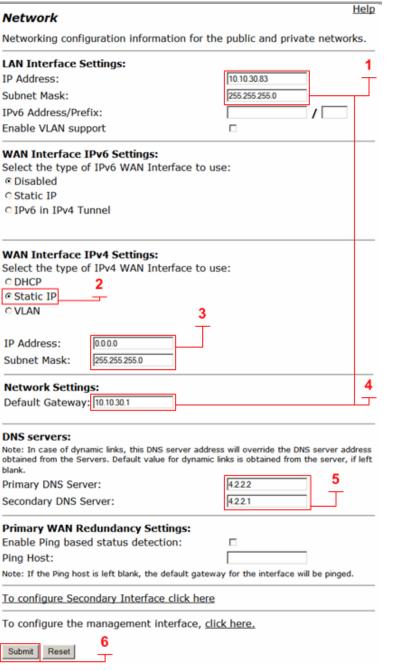
## Configure the VBP-E Internal TLS Traversal Client network Parameters

#### Select - > Network

- LAN Interface Settings Enter the Public IPv4 or IPv6 address for the system. (1) Note: On the VBP-E 5300LF and 5300LF2 chassis the LAN Ethernet port is port 1.
- Subnet Mask Enter the subnet mask for the LAN interface network.
- 3. **WAN Interface IPv4 Settings –** Select -- > **Static IP (2)** Configure an IP address of 0.0.0.0 or leave the field blank (3). This setting is needed to expose the Default Gateway in the GUI. (4)
- Subnet Mask (3) Enter a value in the field. Displayed is a class C mask.
- 5. **Default Gateway –** Enter the IPv4 address of the LAN network default router. (4)
- 6. **DNS servers –** Enter valid DNS server IPv4 addresses for the Primary and Secondary DNS server fields. **(5)**
- 7. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (6)

The system will now apply the IPv4 address configured on the LAN interface. Install the VBP-E system onto the network by connecting Port 1 to the LAN network switch. Open a new Web browser and enter <a href="http://10.10.30.83">https://10.10.30.83</a>:445 to complete the installation tasks.

Note: VBP-E TLS Traversal internal client will be configured on the LAN subnet and configured to route all traffic not destined for the configured network to this subnets default router. Therefore, it is not necessary to configure system Routes for networks beyond this subnet.



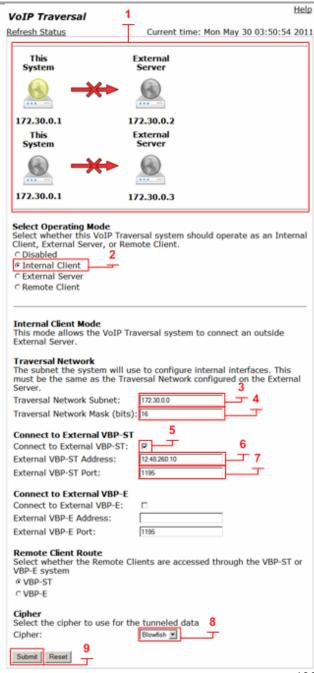
## Configure the VBP-E Internal TLS Traversal Client VoIP Traversal Parameters

Select - > VoIP Traversal

- 1. **VoIP Traversal Status (1)** Displays the status of the connections
- 2. Select Operation Mode (2) Select Internal Client
- 3. Traversal Network Subnet (3) Enter the traversal network subnet. This subnet will be used to address the system's virtual interfaces, to route traffic to and from the corporate network, to and from the remote clients, and to and from the VBP-ST and VBP-E ALG interfaces. The system will automatically assign IPs from this subnet to create the internal routing interfaces. VBP-E internal client will have two virtual interfaces, one each for connections to the external VBP-ST and another to the VBP-E to forward traffic in the tunnel to the LAN side devices.
- 4. **Traversal Network Mask (bits) (4)** Enter the bit mask. The system will automatically assign the IP addresses in the subnet to the virtual interfaces regardless of the bit mask.
- Connect to External VBP-ST (5) Select to enable the system to connect to the external VBP-ST VoIP Traversal server.
- 6. External VBP-ST Address (6) Enter the VBP-ST server address to connect to.
- 7. **External VBP-ST Port (7)** Default port 1195 (UDP). This system will create UDP TLS connections to the VBP-ST external server.
- 8. **Cipher (8)** Set the cipher used for tunnel encryption. The system supports Blowfish and AES-256 encryption. The same cipher must be configured on the external servers.
  - a. Blowfish is a keyed symmetric\_block cipher and offers acceptable security with no known cryptanalysis with lower system resources.
  - b. AES-256 is symmetric-key encryption offering higher security which requires higher system resources.
- 9. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (9)

Note: The system will now disable services that are not VoIP Traversal supported, i.e. NAT and DHCP. The system will also warn you to create a Static Key. This will be covered in the next section.

Note: Remote Client Route will always be set to VBP-ST

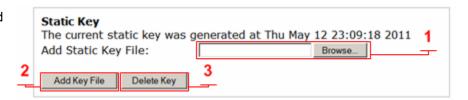


## Configure the VBP-E Internal TLS Traversal Client Static Key Parameter

VoIP Traversal uses a static key generated by the external server and uploaded on the internal client to secure the tunnel. This configuration will use the VBP-E to generate the static key. The VBP-ST will also be configured as an external server and can be used to generate the static key. VBP-ST, VBP-E external server and VBP-E internal client must use the same key.

Select - > VoIP Traversal

- 1. **Browse (1)** Select **Browse** to search your computer's hard drive and select the static key that was previously generated by the External Server.
- 2. Add Key File (2) After selecting the static key (1) select Add Key File to save the changes.
- 3. **Delete Key (3)** Select to delete the current static key.



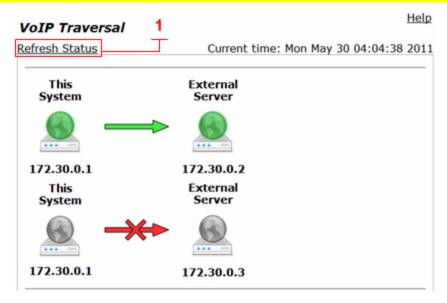
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Note: To follow good security practices, an IT security policy may periodically require a new static key to be generated and installed on the external VBP VoIP Traversal servers and internal VBP VoIP Traversal client systems.

Note: The VBP-E external server VoIP Traversal firewall will not be used to filter traffic through the tunnel from the ALG. In the next configuration step, the VBP-E internal client's VoIP Traversal firewall can be used to filter traffic in the tunnel from the VBP-E and or the VBP-ST external servers.

After the Static Key has been applied to the internal client' the system will now make connections to the external VBP-E system. A refresh (1) may be required to view the connections as connected and green.

Troubleshooting connection issues will be discussed later in this document.



### Configure the VBP-E Internal TLS Traversal Client VoIP Traversal Firewall (Optional)

The VoIP Traversal Firewall allows you to create firewall rules affecting the tunneled data. By default, the VoIP Traversal Firewall is disabled and all traffic from remote clients is allowed to pass bi-directionally to the secure network. When the VoIP Traversal Firewall is enabled, all traffic will be dropped until rules are created to allow traffic through.

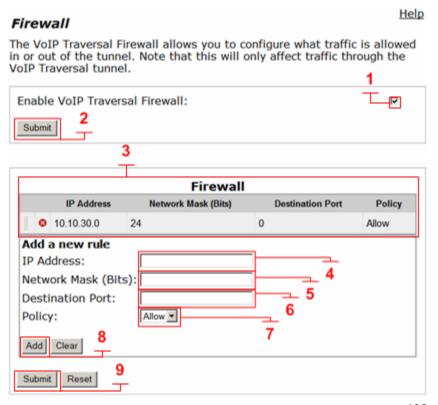
Installation tip: Configure the complete VBP TLS Traversal solution first and test the system with the VoIP Traversal Firewall disabled to verify connectivity. Then enable the firewall and create rules to secure the network.

Creating VoIP Traversal firewall rules on the internal client allows you to control which devices or subnets are allowed or denied through the tunnel to and from the VBP-E external TLS server. The rules created are source and destination rule sets. In this example, any device on the 10.10.30.0/24 subnet is allowed as a destination or a source through the firewall to and from the VBP-E external server's virtual interface. Host-based deny rules can also be created. For instance if 10.10.30.100 is a secure server on the LAN that no external traffic should have access to, you can create a **Deny** rule as 10.10.30.100/32 and place the **Deny** rule above the **Allow** rule.

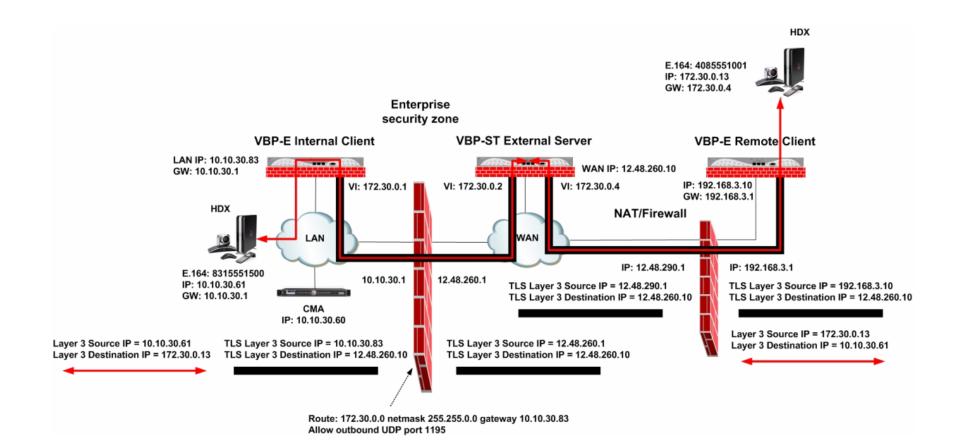
Select - > VoIP Traversal - > Firewall

- 1. **Enable VoIP Traversal Firewall (1)** Select to enable the firewall for tunneled data.
- 2. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (2)
- 3. Firewall (3) Displays the list of currently configured firewall rules. Rules can be deleted by clicking the <sup>3</sup> icon. Then select **Submit** to commit the changes. (9)
- 4. **IP Address (4)** Enter the IPv4 address or subnet the system will create the rule for.
- 5. **Network Mask (Bits) (5)** Enter the bit mask for the network.
- 6. **Destination Port (6)** Enter the destination port for the rule. If the field is left blank the system will apply all ports to the rule.
- 7. Policy (7) Select Allow or Deny for the rule.
- 8. Add (8) Select add to add the route to the list.
- 9. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (9)

Note: The system applies rules in the order displayed in the list. In this example, the VBP-E external server virtual interface ALG traffic will have access to the 10.10.30.0 subnet. Submitting the changes will only affect traffic to and from the rule being changed; all other session will not be interrupted.



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### Configuring the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal Client to VBP-ST External TLS Traversal Server

Connect a computer configured with an IP address of 192.168.1.2 and subnet mask of 255.255.255.0 to Port 1 with either an Ethernet switch or an Ethernet cable wired directly to the computer.

Launch a Web browser on the computer and enter <a href="http://192.168.1.1">http://192.168.1.1</a> Press Return. The main configuration menu appears. Enter the user name root and the password default.

The EULA license agreement will now be displayed. After reading the license agreement, click "I agree" at the bottom to continue configuring the system. The EULA will only be displayed for the first time login and, once accepted, the EULA will not appear again.

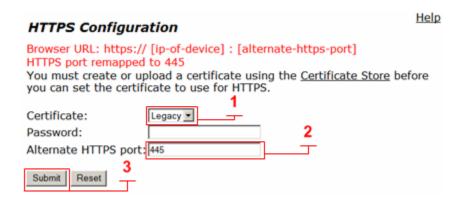
Configuration tip – If the VBP-ST and VBP-E systems have been configured for HTTPS management on port 445, configuring the VBP-E remote client for the same port may be useful in remembering to use port 445. All VBP systems come with a self-signed certificate call Legacy in the **HTTPS Configuration** page. You can create a new self-signed certificate or upload a signed certificate using the **Certificate Store** page.

Verify that all internal networks that will have video clients installed have a routing entry for the Traversal network.

### **Configure the VBP-E Security HTTPS parameters**

Select - > Security - > HTTPS Configuration

- Certificate (1) Select the certificate to use for HTTPS
  management of the system. Legacy is the default option, or
  select the certificate that was created or uploaded from the
  Certificate Store.
- 2. **Password** Enter the password the private key file was secured with during the certificate generation (optional.)
- 3. **Alternate HTTPS Port (2)** Enter the alternate port the system will respond to HTTPS requests for management.
- 4. Select **Submit** to commit the change (3)



### Configure the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal Client Security Parameters

By default, the VBP-E system firewall disables all management protocols on the WAN interface. Management protocols are allowed by default on the LAN interface. When deselecting a management protocol, the system will deny access from the WAN interface only.

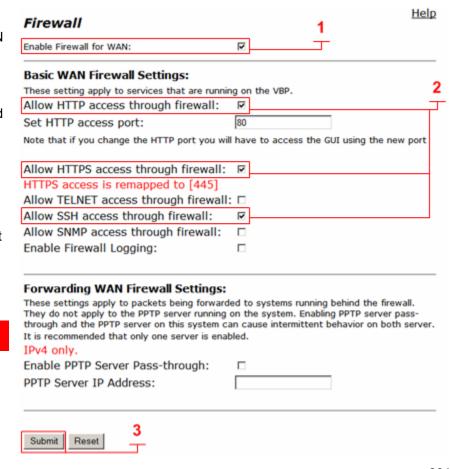
When configuring the remote VBP-E TLS Traversal client, you must allow management protocols on the WAN interface. The VBP-E remote client WAN interface will be installed on the LAN network and establish a TLS connection to the VBP-ST external server through the enterprise security device for NAT/Firewall traversal. The VBP-E remote client LAN interface can have devices connected directly to the system. Or, for large networks, a specific switch or VLAN can be set up to support multiple endpoints for secure TLS tunneling traversal. The VBP-E remote client LAN interface is a bridging interface to the authenticated tunneling interface established to the VBP-ST external server.

For configuring the next steps and installing the system on the network, HTTP and/or HTTPS, and SSH must be enabled on the WAN interface. After testing has been completed, HTTP and SSH can be disabled.

#### Select - > Security

- Enable Firewall for WAN (1) By default, this will be enabled on the system. Disabling the firewall is not recommended and is required to be enabled to manage the system.
- Allow HTTP access through firewall (2) Disabled by default. HTTP can be disabled after testing HTTPS connectivity to the system.
- 3. Allow HTTPS access through firewall (2) Disabled by default. Enable to manage the system with HTTPS.
- Allow SSH access through firewall (2) Disabled by default for advanced troubleshooting and access to the CLI interface. SSH can be disabled after the system is configured and tested.
- 5. Select **Submit** to commit the change (3)

Note: You must allow management access before continuing to the next step.



## Configure the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal Client Network Parameters

Installing the remote VBP-E TLS Traversal remote client requires the system's WAN interface to be configured on the LAN subnet for outbound traversal through the enterprise security device. The enterprise security device will NAT the outbound UDP port 1194 TLS connection like any packet leaving the network.

#### Select - > Network

- LAN Interface Settings (1) Configure an IP address of 0.0.0.0 or leave the field blank. (1) Note: On the VBP-E 5300LF and 5300LF2 chassis LAN Ethernet port is Port 1
- Subnet Mask (1) Enter a value in the field. Displayed is a class C mask.
- WAN Interface IPv4 Settings Select -- > Static IP (2) Enter the WAN IPv4 address for the system. (3) Note: On the VBP-E 5300LF and 5300LF2 chassis WAN Ethernet port is Port 2
- 4. Subnet Mask (3) Enter the subnet mask for the WAN interface network.
- Default Gateway (3) Enter the IPv4 address of the WAN network default router.
- 6. **DNS servers (4)** Enter valid DNS server IPv4 addresses for the Primary and Secondary DNS server fields.
- 7. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (5)

The system will now apply the IPv4 address configured on the WAN interface. Install the VBP-E remote client system onto the LAN network by connecting the WAN interface Port 2 to the LAN network switch.

Now move the management computer to the LAN network and open a new Web browser and enter <a href="http://192.168.3.10">https://192.168.3.10</a>:445 to complete the installation tasks.

Note: For management purposes, setting the VBP-E remote client to a static IP address on the WAN interface is not required; however, it will make remembering the management IP easier.

### Help Network Networking configuration information for the public and private networks. LAN Interface Settings: IP Address: 0.0.0.0 Subnet Mask: 255.255.255.0 IPv6 Address/Prefix: Enable VLAN support WAN Interface IPv6 Settings: Select the type of IPv6 WAN Interface to use: Disabled O Static IP O IPv6 in IPv4 Tunnel WAN Interface IPv4 Settings: Select the type of IPv4 WAN Interface to use: CDHCP Static IP CVLAN 3 IP Address: 192.168.3.10 Subnet Mask: 255.255.255.0 3 **Network Settings:** Default Gateway: 192.168.3.1 DNS servers: Note: In case of dynamic links, this DNS server address will override the DNS server address obtained from the Servers. Default value for dynamic links is obtained from the server, if left Primary DNS Server: 4.2.2.2 4.2.2.1 Secondary DNS Server: Primary WAN Redundancy Settings: Enable Ping based status detection: Ping Host: Note: If the Ping host is left blank, the default gateway for the interface will be pinged. To configure Secondary Interface click here To configure the management interface, click here.

Submit

Reset

### Installing the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal Client Certificates

The remote VBP-E TLS Traversal client requires two types of certificates for authorization to the external VBP-ST TLS Traversal server. The following sections will guide you through installing the certificates generated on the VBP-ST external server. If you have not downloaded these certificates and key files from the VBP-ST external server to your computer, do so now before continuing.

- CA Certificate
- VolP Traversal Client

Install the VBP-ST generated CA Certificate and Key file from your computer.

Select - > Security - > Certificate Store

- 1. Certificates (1) After installing the CA Certificate the system will list all certificates. Certificates can be deleted by clicking the <sup>3</sup> icon. Then select Submit to commit the changes. (7)
- 2. **Certificate Name (3)** Enter the name of the certificate the system will create. For visual reference, in the certificate store, create a name that applies to the type of certificate you are installing. Use alpha-numeric fields only, not special characters.
- 3. **Certificate Type (4)** Select the certificate type.
  - a. CA Certificate
- 4. **Select Certificate File (5)** Browse and select the corresponding certificate file for the certificate type from your computer.
- 5. **Select Key File (6)** Browse and select the corresponding key file for the certificate type from your computer.
- 6. Select **Submit** (7) to commit the changes.



Install the VBP-ST generated Client Certificate and Key file from your computer.

Select - > Security - > Certificate Store

- 1. **Certificates (1)** After installing the Client Certificate the system will list all certificates. Certificates can be deleted by clicking the <sup>3</sup> icon. Then select **Submit** to commit the changes. (2)
- Certificate Name (3) Enter the name of the certificate the system will
  create. For visual reference, in the certificate store, create a name that
  applies to the type of certificate you are installing. Use alpha-numeric
  fields only, not special characters.
- 3. **Certificate Type (4)** Select the certificate type.
  - a. VoIP Traversal Client
- 4. **Select Certificate File (5)** Browse and select the corresponding certificate file for the certificate type from your computer.
- 5. **Select Key File (6)** Browse and select the corresponding key file for the certificate type from your computer.
- 6. Select **Submit** (7) to commit the changes.



Password:

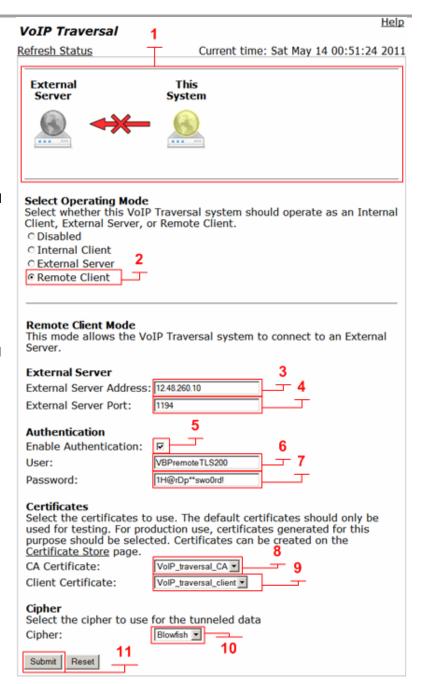
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## Configure the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal Client VolP Traversal Parameters

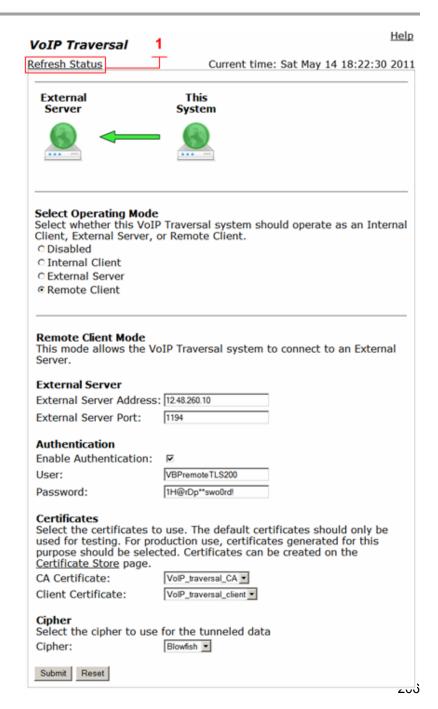
Select - > VoIP Traversal

- 1. **VoIP Traversal Status (1)** Displays the status of the connections
- 2. Select Operation Mode (2) Select Remote Client
- External Server Address (3) Enter the VBP-ST external server address.
- 4. **External Server port (4)** Default port 1194 (UDP). This system will create a UDP TLS connection to the VBP-ST external server.
- 5. **Enable Authentication (5)** Enables this system for authentication. You must enter a User and Password.
- User (6) Enter the user configured on the VBP-ST authentication parameters e.g. locally configured user list, TACACS, RADIUS or LDAP.
- Password (7) Enter the password configured on the VBP-ST authentication parameters e.g. locally configured user list, TACACS, RADIUS or LDAP.
- CA Certificate (8) If you have created a CA Certificate use the pull down to select it. The default can be used for testing the remote client connections before enabling the custom CA Certificate.
- 9. Client Certificate (9) If you have created a Client Certificate use the pull down to select it. The default can be used for testing the server connections before enabling the custom Client Certificate.
- 10. **Cipher (10)** Set the cipher used for tunnel encryption. The system supports Blowfish and AES-256 encryption. The same cipher must be configured on the external server.
  - a. Blowfish is a keyed symmetric block cipher and offers acceptable security with no known cryptanalysis with lower system resources.
  - b. AES-256 is symmetric-key encryption offering higher security which requires higher system resources.
- 11. Select Submit to commit the changes. (11)

Note: The system will now disable services that are not VoIP Traversal supported i.e. NAT and DHCP.



After submitting the changes to the remote VBP-E TLS VoIP Traversal Parameters page the system will now create and outbound UDP 1194 TLS connection to the VBP-ST external server. A refresh (1) maybe be required to view the connections as established and green.



## Troubleshooting VoIP Traversal

The best method to connect to the VBP for troubleshooting is the CLI interface. The VBP supports SSH and telnet to establish CLI access. SSH is the recommended method to connect to the CLI.

To troubleshoot, you will need the CLI login/password. This login/password is not documented for security reasons. Please call Polycom Support at 800.POLYCOM (800.765.9266).

If you are not familiar with SSH, you can do an Internet search for "putty" and download this freeware client. Putty is a "secure shell" client and encrypts the session to ensure no one listening on port 22 can intercept your session and see clear text commands.

VoIP Traversal servers deployed as a single Ethernet connected system will have both encrypted and H.323 traffic routing through the interface. For troubleshooting first time installations you will need CLI access to the system.

Verify the time is correct on all system. The system time must be correct for certificates to authenticate, the current system time can be found on the VoIP Traversal page.

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Refresh Status Current time: Sun May 15 22:44:23 2011

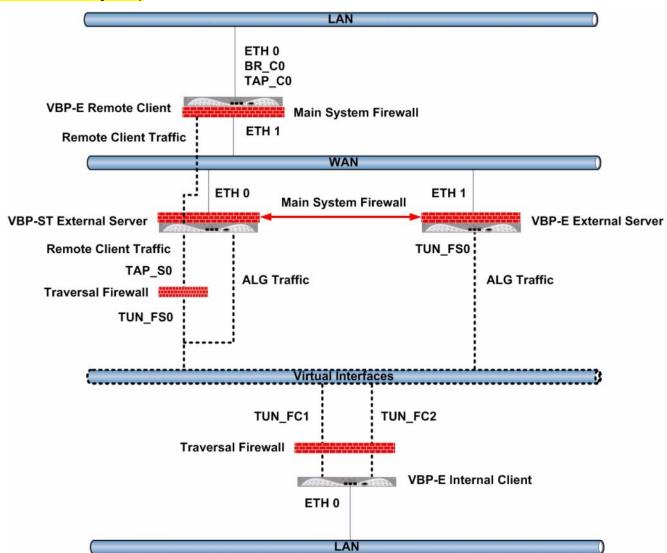
From the Internal client ping the external server IP, since you will most likely be connecting externally you will have to instruct the Installation team to connect to the internal client CLI or use the ping tools in the VBP GUI **System - > Network Test Tools**.

If you can ping from the internal client to the external VBP-E or VBP-ST servers public IP now perform a tcpdump on the external server.

### TLS Traversal Virtual Interface Diagram

VoIP traversal will create different tunneling interface names depending on which system you're connected to.

Reference the diagram below to define the correct interface to trace on (Note: the diagram uses capital letters for reference, all interfaces letters are lower case on the system)



Since we will be looking for a potential port blocking issue you will want to see traffic coming from the VBP-E internal client to the external VBP-E external server. Remember the enterprise firewall should NAT the request as its public IP so the packets will have the enterprise firewall/NAT IP address. A good trace should look like the following; these are TLS heartbeat packets sent every 10 seconds.

```
# tcpdump -s 0 -ni eth1 port 1195
tcpdump: listening on eth1
22:56:27.152231 12.48.260.1.55843 > 12.48.260.11.1195: udp 60 (DF)
22:56:27.152326 12.48.260.11.1195 > 12.48.260.1.55843: udp 60 (DF)
22:56:37.285663 12.48.260.1.55843 > 12.48.260.11.1195: udp 60 (DF)
22:56:37.285738 12.48.260.11.1195 > 12.48.260.1.55843: udp 60 (DF)
^C
4 packets received by filter
0 packets dropped by kernel
```

If you do not see packets coming into the external server on port 1195, re-verify the internal client and external server configuration are both using the same port. You can try to adjust the port if you believe the enterprise firewall is blocking the standard 1195 outbound connection.

Have the installation tech also run the same topdump command on the internal VBP-E to verify traffic is destine for the external server IP address.

```
# tcpdump -s 0 -ni eth0 host 12.48.260.11 and port 1195
tcpdump: listening on eth0
23:24:43.839461 10.10.30.83.47764 > 12.48.260.11.1195: udp 60 (DF)
23:24:43.840808 12.48.260.11.1195 > 10.10.30.83.47764: udp 60 (DF)
^C
2 packets received by filter
0 packets dropped by kernel
#
```

Don't rule out a layer 2 issue with the internal client, verify the packets are destine to the correct default gateway's MAC address e.g. 10.10.30.1 MAC address is 00:90:fb:1c:46:35 by using the <u>-nei</u> filter in tcpdump.

```
# tcpdump -s 0 -nei eth0 host 12.48.260.11 and port 1195
tcpdump: listening on eth0
23:30:26.283519 0:90:fb:2c:91:1b 0:90:fb:1c:46:35 0800 102: 10.10.30.83.47764 > 12.48.260.11.1195: udp 60 (DF)
23:30:26.284691 0:90:fb:1c:46:35 0:90:fb:2c:91:1b 0800 102: 12.48.260.11.1195 > 10.10.30.83.47764: udp 60 (DF)
^C
2 packets received by filter
0 packets dropped by kernel
#
# arp -a
? (10.10.30.1) at 00:90:fb:1c:46:35 [ether] on eth0
? (10.10.30.50) at 00:1e:c9:b1:d8:12 [ether] on eth0
```

VBP-E internal will be physically connected on the LAN eth0 interface and depending on the installation can have two virtual interfaces. The virtual interface used to route traffic to and from the external VBP-E will be tun\_fc2 and the virtual interface used to route traffic to and from the external VBP-ST will be tun\_fc1.

If the system is connected and displaying green indications from the VBP-E Internal client to the VBP-E external server and your issue is call failure related. Check your VoIP ALG alias IP settings and verify you have the correct virtual interface defined on the VBP-E external server e.g. 172.30.0.3 and the H.323 settings have the LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper enabled and configured correctly.

If these settings are correct verify your VoIP Traversal routes page. Routes for all video subnets must be configured here for the system to route this traffic in the tunnel.

Verify the VoIP Traversal firewall settings on the VBP-E internal client is allowing traffic to the destination network device or subnet.

Now verify connectivity inside the tunnel to LAN side devices, SSH to the VBP-E external server and ping the virtual interface on the VBP-E internal client e.g. 172.30.0.1

```
# ping 172.30.0.1
PING 172.30.0.1 (172.30.0.1): 56 data bytes
64 bytes from 172.30.0.1: icmp_seq=0 ttl=64 time=2.9 ms
64 bytes from 172.30.0.1: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=2.0 ms
64 bytes from 172.30.0.1: icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=2.1 ms
^C
--- 172.30.0.1 ping statistics ---
3 packets transmitted, 3 packets received, 0% packet loss
round-trip min/avg/max = 2.0/2.3/2.9 ms
```

Now ping the configured LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper IP and other device on the video network

```
# ping 10.10.30.50
PING 10.10.30.50 (10.10.30.50): 56 data bytes
64 bytes from 10.10.30.50: icmp_seq=0 ttl=125 time=2.7 ms
64 bytes from 10.10.30.50: icmp_seq=1 ttl=125 time=2.5 ms
64 bytes from 10.10.30.50: icmp_seq=2 ttl=125 time=3.4 ms
^C
--- 10.10.30.50 ping statistics ---
3 packets transmitted, 3 packets received, 0% packet loss
round-trip min/avg/max = 2.5/2.8/3.4 ms
```

If you can ping the VBP-E internal client's virtual interface you can SSH from the VBP-E external server to the VBP-E internal client and continue to troubleshoot by taking normal tcpdump traces of H.323 traffic, remember to trace on the internal client eth0 LAN interface and to filter out the port 1195 traffic or your trace will fill up to quickly to capture the H.323 traffic.

```
# ssh root@172.30.0.1
The authenticity of host '172.30.0.1 (172.30.0.1)' can't be established.
RSA key fingerprint is 28:e3:86:ad:0f:53:9e:da:d8:a6:a4:2d:bb:8b:21:e0.
Are you sure you want to continue connecting (yes/no)? yes
Failed to add the host to the list of known hosts (/.ssh/known_hosts).
root@172.30.0.1's password:
#
```

To perform a trace and capture the data you must mount a temporary file system and limit the size of the file system to prevent the trace from filling up the disk. The smaller platforms e.g. 200, 4350, 4555 should be limited to 20meg max, while the larger platforms e.g. 5300 or 6400 can have a size of 50m.

Type - > mount -t tmpfs tmpfs /etc/images -o size=8m

Note: you can cut&paste the above command. However, the "-t" may be converted to ".t", so make sure you correct the syntax if it does not paste correctly.

Now, type "df" and you will see file system /etc/images/ mounted with 8MB of space:

# df					
Filesystem	1k-blocks	Used	Available	Use%	Mounted on
rootfs	23208	23208	0	100%	/
/dev/ram0	23208	23208	0	100%	/
/dev/hdc5	4939	85	4599	<b>2</b> %	/etc/config
/dev/ram1	15856	1636	14220	10%	/var
tmpfs	128000	0	128000	0%	<pre>/var/spool/asterisk/voicemail/default</pre>

tmpfs 8192 0 8192 0% /etc/images

#tcpdump -s 0 -ni eth0 not port 1195 -w /etc/images/VTinternalCLIENTeth0.pcap

You can also take traces on the VBP-E external server virtual interface by doing to following;

```
#tcpdump -s 0 -ni tun fs0 -w /etc/images/VTexternalTUNfs0.pcap
```

To stop the trace, press CRTL+C (press the "Ctrl" key on your keyboard and press the "C" key).

Now that you have created the trace, upload it to an FTP server, or if you are familiar with the SCP (secure copy) application, you can attach it directly to the VBP and copy the file to your hard drive. Note: SCP also uses SSH methods to connect to the VBP, so the session is secure/encrypted. WinSCP is also a freeware application that you can download.

VBP-ST external will be physically connected on the Subscriber eth0 interface and the system will have 2 virtual interfaces depending on how its configured. If the VBP-ST is only supporting legacy Access Proxy, H.323 and H.460 clients the virtual interface will be tun\_fs0. If the VBP-ST is also supporting remote VBP-E TLS Traversal client connections the virtual interface will be tap s0

```
Link encap:Ethernet HWaddr 02:90:FB:2C:90:D3
inet addr:172.30.0.4 Bcast:172.30.255.255 Mask:255.255.0.0
inet6 addr: fe80::90:fbff:fe2c:90d3/64 Scope:Link
UP BROADCAST RUNNING PROMISC MULTICAST MTU:1500 Metric:1
RX packets:20661 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 frame:0
TX packets:124 errors:0 dropped:1 overruns:0 carrier:0
collisions:0 txqueuelen:100

tun_fs0 Link encap:UNSPEC HWaddr 00-00-00-00-00-00-00-00-00-00-00-00-00
inet addr:172.30.0.2 P-t-P:172.30.0.1 Mask:255.255.255
UP POINTOPOINT RUNNING NOARP MULTICAST MTU:1500 Metric:1
RX packets:16323 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 frame:0
TX packets:16827 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 carrier:0
collisions:0 txqueuelen:100
```

Packets from the remote VBP-E VoIP Traversal clients will arrive on tap\_s0 and forward to tun\_fs0. If the remote VBP-E VoIP traversal connected client is calling an Access Proxy or legacy H.323 using the ALG you will only be able to see traffic on the unencrypted tap\_s0 interface and the encrypted Subscriber eth0 interface, this traffic will going directly from tap\_s0 to the ALG.

Packets from the remote VBP-E TLS Traversal clients calling B2B through the external VBP-E VoIP Traversal server will route from tap\_s0 to tun\_fs0 to the internal VBP-E VoIP Traversal clients tun\_fc1 interface to tun\_fc2 to the external VBP-E ALG interface and out the WAN interface to the public IP destination.

When debugging TLS issues connect to the systems ovpnctl control interface to view and see active logs for TLS connections to the system.

```
# ovpnctl
Usage: ovpnctl <options>|<request>
The program must be given one or more option flags or a request command
string. If no daemon instance is specified, the program automatically
connects to the running daemon. If multiple daemons are running, the
instance is selected from an ordered list.
Option Flags:
                - Displays this help.
-h, --help
-d, --daemon
                - The daemon to connect to, can be 'clnt', 'srv', 'fsclnt 1',
                    'fsclnt 2', or 'fssrv'.
-q, --quiet - Supress any non-data output.
-v, --version - Displays the program version.
Requests:
daemons
               - Lists the currently running daemons.
i, interactive - Run in interactive mode.
log [n]
                  - Displays the 'n' last log lines, or all logs.
state [n]
                  - Displays the 'n' last state history lines, or all state
                    history.
                  - Displays the status.
status
# ovpnctl status
Opening connection to "/var/tmp/ovpn srv"...
>INFO:OpenVPN Management Interface Version 1 -- type 'help' for more info
OpenVPN CLIENT LIST
Updated, Mon May 16 00:54:33 2011
Common Name, Real Address, Bytes Received, Bytes Sent, Connected Since
VBPremoteTLS200,12.48.280.1:1233,11865,14430,Mon May 16 00:39:50 2011
ROUTING TABLE
Virtual Address, Common Name, Real Address, Last Ref
GLOBAL STATS
Max bcast/mcast queue length,1
END
```

Using ovpnctl to view active connections on any VoIP Traversal system can be useful to debug connections failures.

Use ovpnctl i to place the system in interactive mode, then type log all or log 50 to display the last 50 lines. You can change the output to be more verbose by using the verb command, the higher the verb level the more verbose to output, to see active messages type log on while in interactive mode example;

The remote VBP-E VoIP Traversal client has been set for an incorrect CA and client certificate.

```
# ovpnctl i
Opening connection to "/var/tmp/ovpn srv"...
>INFO:OpenVPN Management Interface Version 1 -- type 'help' for more info
SUCCESS: verb level changed
log on
SUCCESS: real-time log notification set to ON
1305508769,,12.48.280.1:1237 TLS: new session incoming connection from [AF INET]12.48.280.1:1237
1305508779,,12.48.280.1:1237 TLS: new session incoming connection from [AF INET]12.48.280.1:1237
1305508803,,MANAGEMENT: Client disconnected
1305508818, N, 12.48.280.1:1237 TLS Error: TLS key negotiation failed to occur within 60 seconds (check your
network connectivity)
1305508818,N,12.48.280.1:1237 TLS Error: TLS handshake failed
1305508818,,12.48.280.1:1237 SIGUSR1[soft,tls-error] received, client-instance restarting
1305508819,,MULTI: multi create instance called
1305508819,I,12.48.280.1:1237 Re-using SSL/TLS context
1305508819,,12.48.280.1:1237 Control Channel MTU parms [ L:1573 D:138 EF:38 EB:0 ET:0 EL:0 ]
1305508819,,12.48.280.1:1237 Data Channel MTU parms [ L:1573 D:1450 EF:41 EB:4 ET:32 EL:0 ]
1305508819,,12.48.280.1:1237 Local Options String: 'V4,dev-type tap,link-mtu 1573,tun-mtu 1532,proto
UDPv4, cipher BF-CBC, auth SHA1, keysize 128, key-method 2, tls-server'
1305508819,,12.48.280.1:1237 Expected Remote Options String: 'V4, dev-type tap, link-mtu 1573, tun-mtu
1532, proto UDPv4, cipher BF-CBC, auth SHA1, keysize 128, key-method 2, tls-client'
1305508819,,12.48.280.1:1237 Local Options hash (VER=V4): '0ddbb6e3'
1305508819,,12.48.280.1:1237 Expected Remote Options hash (VER=V4): '2c50bd2c'
1305508819,,12.48.280.1:1237 TLS: Initial packet from [AF INET]12.48.280.1:1237, sid=21eacc07 bebba39e
1305508830,,12.48.280.1:1237 TLS: new session incoming connection from [AF INET]12.48.280.1:1237
1305508840,,12.48.280.1:1237 TLS: new session incoming connection from [AF INET]12.48.280.1:1237
1305508842, MANAGEMENT: Client connected from /var/tmp/ovpn srv
```

Changing the verb level to verb 8 will probably output too much information to be useful however may be requested by Tier 4 for advanced troubleshooting. To exit ovpnctl press **Crtl+C** (press the "Ctrl" key on your keyboard and press the "C" key). If you want to stop logging you can type log off while in interactive mode to change the verb level.

```
# ovpnctl i
Opening connection to "/var/tmp/ovpn srv"...
>INFO:OpenVPN Management Interface Version 1 -- type 'help' for more info
verb 3
SUCCESS: verb level changed
SUCCESS: real-time log notification set to ON
log off
>LOG:1305510242,D,MANAGEMENT: CMD 'log off'
SUCCESS: real-time log notification set to OFF
verb 5
SUCCESS: verb level changed
log on
SUCCESS: real-time log notification set to ON
log off
>LOG:1305510254,D,MANAGEMENT: CMD 'log off'
SUCCESS: real-time log notification set to OFF
^C
```

When looking at the ovpnctl logging messages from clients will have the source IP address associated with the corresponding message, messages from your console session will be labeled MANAGEMENT.

# VBP-ST Enterprise Session Border Controller model for Remote TLS Traversal Clients

The following configuration example assumes a single IP subnet at the Headquarters location. You must configure correct routing entries on the VBP-ST. This will be explained later in this document.

VBP TLS Traversal feature requires a routed subnet to be used by the system for the Traversal Network, as shown in the diagram below. The example subnet is 172.30.0.0/16. The system will create virtual interfaces and assign specific IP's from this subnet when configuring the system. The Traversal Network 172.30.0.0/16 will need internal core routing entries with a gateway of the Provider/LAN IP of the VBP-ST system e.g. 172.30.0.0 netmask 255.255.0.0 gateway 10.10.30.83

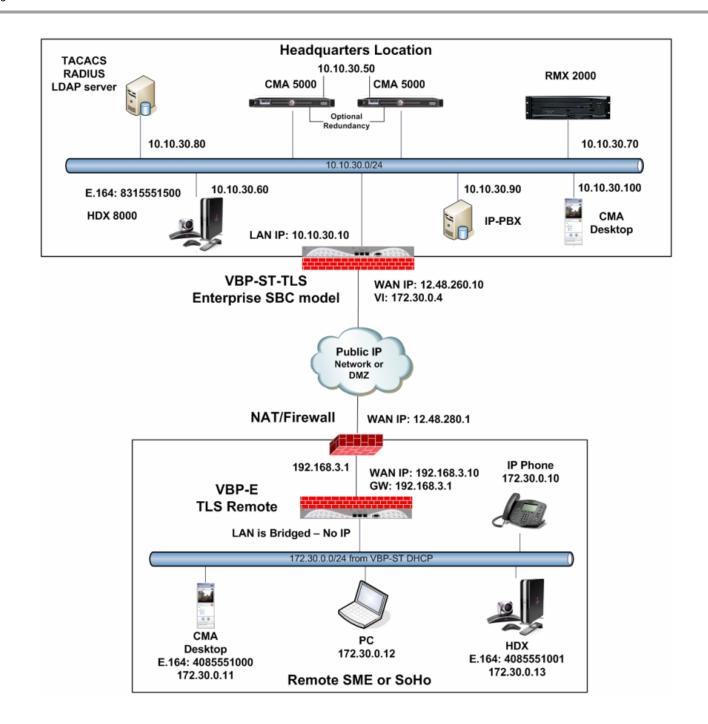
When deploying the VBP TLS Traversal solution configured to connect remote office locations, a traversal subnet large enough to assign IP's to remote system should be allocated. This size of this subnet will vary depending on your requirements, a class C subnet would allow over 200 remote devices to be supported.

Note: Any subnets in the enterprise network with video devices that will connect to the VBP's for video communication will need routing statements for the Traversal network e.g. 172.30.0.0 netmask 255.255.0.0 gateway 10.10.30.83

Prior to installing the system a configuration choice will need to be made regarding the certificates used by VoIP Traversal. The system is preinstalled with default certificates and can be used for the initial configuration on the network. These certificates should be replaced before the system is placed into its final production environment.

- Certificate authentication between the VBP-E Remote Clients and VBP-ST External Servers is supported. New certificates are generated from the Certificate Store available from the Security Configuration menu. New certificates are needed for a secure trust environment.
- Certificate authentication cannot be disabled. If new certificates are not installed default certificates are used making the TLS Tunnel
  access less secure.
- VBP TLS Traversal feature requires three types of certificates to function:
  - CA certificate
  - External Server certificate
  - Remote Client certificate
- CA Certificate and Server Certificates are installed on the VBP-ST external server.
- CA Certificate and Client Certificates are installed on the VBP-E remote clients.
- A valid CA certificate issued by a certificate authority can be uploaded and self-signed CA certificates can be generated from the VBP-ST
  external server certificate store. Server certificates and client certificates will be generated from the CA certificate.
- Certificate and user name/password authentication is required by remote VBP-E TLS Traversal clients. The VBP-ST External system supports a local user list, TACACS, RADIUS, and LDAP (non NTLM). This document will use the systems local user list as the example.
- System time must be correct for certificate authorization. Verify all systems can reach the configured NTP server under System > System Time.
- For single Ethernet connected VoIP Traversal Server installations, gigabit Ethernet is recommended e.g. 5300LF2 and 6400LF2

# Diagram



# Configuring the VBP-ST SBC TLS Traversal Server

Connect a computer configured with an IP address of 192.168.1.2 and subnet mask of 255.255.255.0 to Port 1 with either an Ethernet switch or an Ethernet cable wired directly to the computer.

Launch a Web browser on the computer and enter <a href="http://192.168.1.1">http://192.168.1.1</a> Press **Return**. The main configuration menu appears. Enter the user name root and the password default.

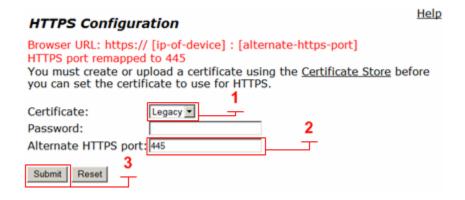
The EULA license agreement will now be displayed. After reading the license agreement, click "I agree" at the bottom to continue configuring the system. The EULA will only be displayed for the first time login and, once accepted, the EULA will not appear again.

Configuration tip – If the VBP-ST will be supporting the Access Proxy feature and you intend to manage the system using HTTPS you must change the HTTPS port used to manage the system before enabling the Access Proxy feature. All VBP systems come with a self-signed certificate call Legacy in the **HTTPS Configuration** page. You can create a new self-signed certificate or upload a signed certificate using the **Certificate Store** page. This configuration will not address configuring the Access Proxy with VoIP traversal. See the previous section for configuring the Access Proxy feature. This configuration will address setting the **Alternate HTTPS Port** for management of the system.

#### Configure the VBP-ST Security HTTPS parameters

Select - > Security - > HTTPS Configuration

- Certificate (1) Select the certificate to use for HTTPS
  management of the system. Legacy is the default option or
  select the certificate that was created or uploaded from the
  Certificate Store.
- 2. **Password** Enter the password the private key file was secured with during the certificate generation (optional.)
- 3. **Alternate HTTPS Port (2)** Enter the alternate port the system will respond to HTTPS requests for management.
- 4. Select Submit to commit the change (3)



# Configure the VBP-ST SBC TLS Traversal Server Security Parameters

By default the VBP-ST Firewall enables HTTP and SSH. The VBP-ST firewall applies accept rules for both the Subscriber and Provider interfaces. When deselecting a management protocol, the system will deny access from both interfaces. Configuring the VBP-ST as a TLS Traversal external server only requires the Subscriber interface to be configured and connected. The Provider interface will not be configured or connected to the network. For configuring the next steps and installing the system on the network, HTTP and/or HTTPS and SSH must be enabled. After testing has been completed, HTTP and SSH can be disabled.

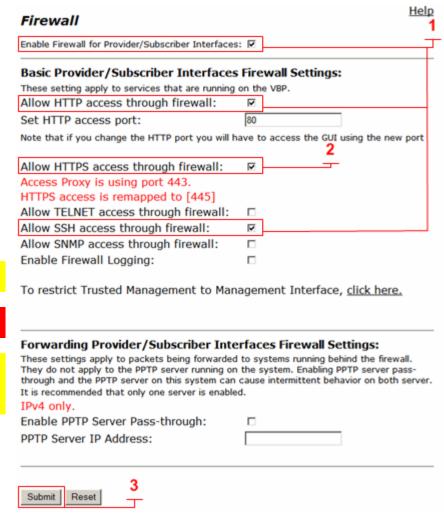
#### Select - > Security

- Enable Firewall for Provider/Subscriber Interfaces (1) By default this will be enabled on the system. Disabling the firewall is not recommended and is required to be enabled for Access Proxy and VoIP Traversal firewall support.
- 2. Allow HTTP access through firewall (1) Enabled by default. HTTP can be disabled after testing HTTPS connectivity to the system.
- 3. Allow HTTPS access through firewall (2) Enable to manage the system with HTTPS.
- Allow SSH access through firewall (1) Enabled by default for advanced troubleshooting and access to the CLI interface. SSH can be disabled after the system is configured and tested.
- 5. Select Submit to commit the change (3)

Note: These protocols are used for management to the system. The VBP-ST system does not provide a data NAT feature.

Note: You must allow management access before continuing to the next step.

Note: You must allow either HTTPS or HTTP to continue to manage the system after testing has been performed. SSH will only be required during the initial configuration or for accessing the system to debug an issue.



# Configure the VBP-ST SBC TLS Traversal Server Network parameters

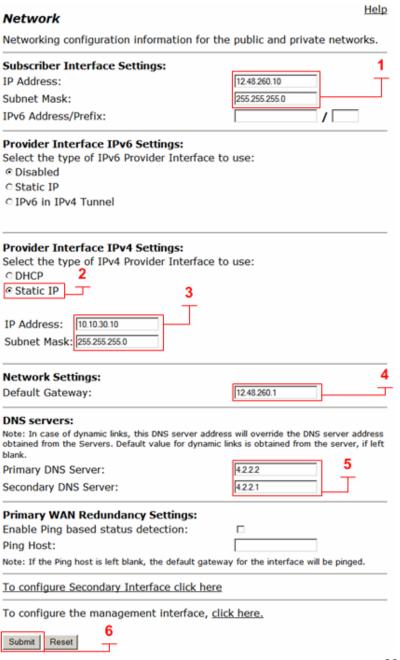
Select - > Network

- Subscriber Interface Settings Enter the Public IPv4 or IPv6 address for the system. (1) Note: On the VBP-ST 5300LF and 5300LF2 chassis the Subscriber is Port 1 on the front panel.
- 2. **Subnet Mask** Enter the subnet mask for the Subscriber interface network. (1)
- Provider Interface IPv4 Settings Select -- > (2) Static IP Enter the Private IPv4 or IPv6 address for the system. (3) Note: On the VBP-ST 5300LF and 5300LF2 chassis the Provider Ethernet port is Port 2 on the front panel.
- Subnet Mask Enter a value in the field, displayed is a class C mask. (3)
- Default Gateway Enter the IPv4 address of the Subscriber network default router. (4)
- 6. **DNS servers –** Enter valid DNS server IPv4 addresses for the Primary and Secondary DNS server fields. (5)
- 7. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (6)

The system will now apply the IPv4 addresses configured on the Subscriber and Provider interfaces. Install the VBP-ST system onto the network by connecting Port 1 to the public network switch and connect port 2 to the private network switch. Open a new Web browser and enter <a href="http://10.10.30.10">https://10.10.30.10</a> or <a href="https://10.10.30.10">https://10.10.30.10</a> to complete the installation tasks.

Note: Terminology clarification – the VBP-ST uses the terms Subscriber and Provider. The VBP-E uses the terms WAN/LAN. This is why both terms are in the GUI. When configuring with the VBP-ST the Subscriber interface = WAN and Provider = LAN.

- Subscriber-side interface is installed on the WAN/Internet
- Provider-side interface is installed on the LAN



# Configure the VBP-ST SBC TLS Traversal Server Security TLS Certificates (Optional)

VBP-ST TLS Traversal is preinstalled with a default certificate for remote VBP-E VoIP Traversal connections. This certificate should be replaced by creating a new certificate using the **Certificate Store** or uploading a signed certificate. The Certificate Store will allow you to create a CA to sign the server and client certificates with or send a certificate signing request to obtain a signed certificate. This configuration will use a certificate created from the Certificate Store feature.

For this configuration, the system will require three certificates. Displayed below are examples or these three certificates (1)

- CA certificate The certificate authority used to sign the server and client certificate.
- 2. **Server certificate** Used by the VBP-ST VoIP Traversal server to authorize remote VBP-E VoIP Traversal client connections.
- 3. **Client certificate** Used by the remote VBP-E VoIP Traversal client for authorization to the VBP-ST VoIP Traversal server.

- Certificates (1) System created certificates or certificates uploaded from the Add Certificate function will be displayed here. Certificates can be deleted by clicking the <sup>3</sup> icon. Then select Submit to commit the changes. (2) Note: The default certificates are only displayed on the VoIP Traversal page as "default".
- 2. **Certificate Name (3)** Enter the name of the certificate the system will create. For visual reference, in the certificate store, create a name that applies to the type of certificate you are creating. Use alpha-numeric fields only, not special characters.
- Certificate Type (4) Select the certificate type the system will create.
  - a. HTTPS
  - b. CA Certificate
  - c. VoIP Traversal Server
  - d. VoIP Traversal Client
- 4. **Key Size (5)** Selectable for HTTPS certificates only. Disabled for other certificate types.
  - a. 1024
  - b. 2048
- 5. **Certificate Authority (6)** This field will have multiple selections depending on the type of certificate you are creating.

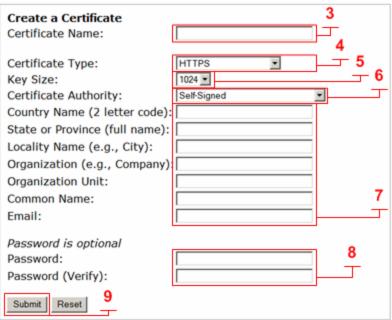


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#### a. HTTPS

- i. Self Signed
- ii. Certificate Signing Request
- iii. If you have created a CA certificate, you will choose it to sign the other certificates with it. Such as server certificates and client certificates.
- b. CA Certificate Disabled
- c. VolP Traversal Server.
  - i. Self Signed
  - ii. Certificate Signing Request
  - iii. If you have created a CA certificate, you will choose it to sign the sever certificate, and client certificate.
- d. VolP Traversal Client
  - i. Self Signed
  - ii. Certificate Signing Request
  - iii. If you have created a CA certificate, you will choose it to sign the server certificate and client certificate.
- 6. Certificate Form data (7) Enter the Certificate data.
  - Certificate Name A name for the certificate. This name is only used to manage the certificate and is shown in the certificate list.
  - b. Country Name A two-letter code of the country that the certificate is going to be used in.
  - c. State or Province name The full name of the state or province.
  - d. Locality Name For example, the name of the city.
  - e. Organization Name For example, the company name.
  - f. Organization Unit For example, the department.
  - g. Common Name The name of the certificate.
  - h. Email The email to contact regarding the certificate.
- 7. Password (8) Used for HTTPS certificates only. Optional, used to secure the key. If a password was used when generating the key, the same password must be specified in the HTTPS Configuration page when using this certificate.
- 8. Select **Submit (9)** to commit the changes.





# Procedure for Uploading Certificates to the Certificate Store

Certificate store management allows certificates to be installed on the system by using the **Add a Certificate** feature. Installing signed certificates or self-signed certificates on the VBP-ST external server or remote VBP-E TLS Traversal client must contain two files, the actual certificate and the corresponding key file. The exception to this is CA certificates. These may be added without a corresponding key file. However, in that case, they cannot be used to sign other certificates.

The certificate must be given a name. This name is used for certificate management only and is displayed in the certificate list. Finally, a certificate type must be specified.

- Certificates (1) System created certificates or certificates uploaded from the Add Certificate function will be displayed here. Certificates can be deleted by clicking the <sup>3</sup> icon. Then select Submit to commit the changes.
- Certificate Name (2) Enter the name of the certificate. For visual reference, in the certificate store, create a name that applies to the type of certificate you are installing. Use alpha-numeric fields only, not special characters.
- 3. **Certificate Type (3)** Select the certificate type.
  - a. HTTPS
  - b. CA Certificate
  - c. VoIP Traversal Server
  - d. VoIP Traversal Client
- 4. **Select Certificate File (4)** Browse and select the corresponding certificate file for the certificate type from your computer.
- 5. **Select Key File (5)** Browse and select the corresponding key file for the certificate type from your computer.
- 6. **Password (6)** For HTTPS only Enter the password the HTTPS key file was encrypted with.
- 7. Select **Submit (7)** to commit the changes.



# Creating the TLS Traversal CA Certificate

VBP TLS Traversal feature requires three types of certificates to function. The following sections will guide you through creating the certificates the system will use.

CA certificate

- 1. Certificates (1) After creating the CA certificate, the system will list all certificates. Certificates can be deleted by clicking the <sup>3</sup> icon. Then select Submit to commit the changes. (2)
- Certificate Name (3) Enter the name of the certificate the system will
  create. For visual reference, in the certificate store, create a name that
  applies to the type of certificate you are creating. Use alpha-numeric fields
  only, not special characters.
- 3. **Certificate Type (4)** Select the certificate type the system will create.
  - a. CA Certificate
- 4. Certificate Form data (5) Enter the Certificate data.
  - a. Certificate Name A name for the certificate. This name is only used to manage the certificate and is shown in the certificate list.
  - b. Country Name A two letter code of the country that the certificate is going to be used in.
  - c. State or Province name The full name of the state or province.
  - d. Locality Name For example, the name of the city.
  - e. Organization Name For example, the company name.
  - f. Organization Unit For example, the department.
  - g. Common Name The name of the certificate.
  - h. Email The email to contact regarding the certificate.
- 5. Select **Submit (6)** to commit the changes.



# Creating the TLS Traversal Server Certificate

VBP TLS Traversal feature requires three types of certificates to function. The following sections will guide you through creating the certificates the system will use.

External Server certificate

- 1. **Certificates (1)** After creating the Server certificate, the system will list all certificates. Certificates can be deleted by clicking the <sup>3</sup> icon. Then select **Submit** to commit the changes. (2)
- 2. **Certificate Name (3)** Enter the name of the certificate the system will create. For visual reference, in the certificate store, create a name that applies to the type of certificate you are creating. Use alpha-numeric fields only, not special characters.
- 3. **Certificate Type (4)** Select the certificate type the system will create.
  - a. VoIP Traversal Server
- 4. **Certificate Authority (5)** This field will have multiple selections depending on the type of certificate you are creating. Select the CA to sign the server certificate with.
  - a. VoIP traversal CA
- 5. Certificate Form data (6) Enter the Certificate data.
  - Certificate Name A name for the certificate. This name is only used to manage the certificate and is shown in the certificate list.
  - b. Country Name A two-letter code of the country that the certificate is going to be used in.
  - c. State or Province name The full name of the state or province.
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  - h. Email The email to contact regarding the certificate.
- 6. Select **Submit (7)** to commit the changes.



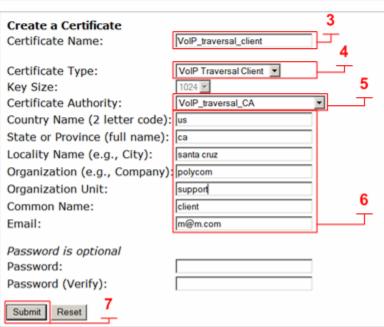
# Creating the TLS Traversal Client Certificate

VBP TLS Traversal feature requires three types of certificates to function. The following sections will guide you through creating the certificates the system will use.

Remote Client certificate.

- 1. **Certificates (1)** After creating the Client certificate, the system will list all certificates. Certificates can be deleted by clicking the <sup>3</sup> icon. Then select **Submit** to commit the changes. (2)
- 2. **Certificate Name (3)** Enter the name of the certificate the system will create. For visual reference, in the certificate store, create a name that applies to the type of certificate you are creating. Use alpha-numeric fields only, not special characters.
- 3. **Certificate Type (4)** Select the certificate type the system will create.
  - a. VoIP Traversal Client
- 4. **Certificate Authority (5)** This field will have multiple selections depending on the type of certificate you are creating. Select the CA to sign the client certificate with.
  - a. VoIP traversal CA
- 5. Certificate Form data (6) Enter the Certificate data.
  - Certificate Name A name for the certificate. This name is only used to manage the certificate and is shown in the certificate list.
  - b. Country Name A two-letter code of the country that the certificate is going to be used in.
  - State or Province name The full name of the state or province.
  - d. Locality Name For example, the name of the city.
  - e. Organization Name For example, the company name.
  - f. Organization Unit For example, the department.
  - g. Common Name The name of the certificate.
  - h. Email The email to contact regarding the certificate.
- 6. Select **Submit (7)** to commit the changes.
- 7. After creating all certificates, use the Download function (1) to save the CA and Client certificate and key for installation on the VBP-E Remote VoIP Traversal client.



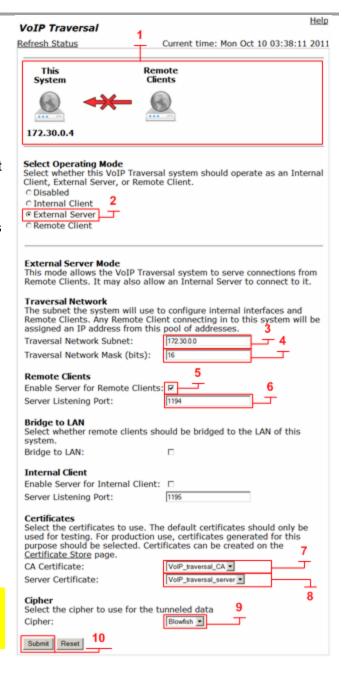


# Configure the VBP-ST SBC TLS VoIP Traversal Server Parameters

Select - > VoIP Traversal

- 1. **VoIP Traversal Status (1)** Displays the status of the connections
- 2. Select Operation Mode (2) Select External Server
- 3. Traversal Network Subnet (3) Enter the traversal network subnet. This subnet will be used to address the systems virtual interfaces, to route traffic to and from the corporate network, and to and from the remote clients. The system will automatically assign IPs from this subnet to create the internal routing interfaces. VBP-ST will have one virtual interface assigned, 172.30.0.4 for the remote clients to forward traffic in the tunnel.
- Traversal Network Mask (bits) (4) Enter the bit mask. The system will automatically assign IP addresses to the virtual interface regardless of the bit mask.
- Enable Server for Remote Clients (5) Enables the system to accept remote client connections.
- 6. **Server Listening Port (6)** Default port 1194 (UDP). This system will listen for incoming UDP TLS connections from remote clients.
- 7. **CA Certificate** (7) If you have created a CA Certificate, use the drop-down menu to select it. The default can be used for testing the remote client connections before enabling the custom CA.
- 8. **Server Certificate (8)** If you have created a Server Certificate, use the drop-down menu to select it. The default can be used for testing the remote client connections before enabling the custom server certificate.
- 9. **Cipher (9)** Set the cipher used for tunnel encryption. The system supports Blowfish and AES-256 encryption. The same cipher must be configured on the internal client.
  - a. Blowfish is a keyed symmetric-block cipher and offers acceptable security with no known cryptanalysis with lower system resources.
  - b. AES-256 is symmetric-key encryption offering higher security which requires higher system resources.
- 10. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (10)

Note: The system will now warn you that enabling remote client support requires authentication to be enabled. The system will disable services that are not VoIP Traversal supported, i.e. NAT and DHCP. The system will warn you to create a Static Key. This will be covered in the next section.



## Configure the VBP-ST SBC TLS Traversal Server Authentication Parameters

Remote client connections will require correct certificate and user name/password authentication. The VBP-ST external server can be configured for a local user list or with a remote LDAP, TACACS or RADIUS server. This configuration example will use the 'Locally configured User List'.

Select - > VoIP Traversal - > Authentication

- Locally Configured User List (1) Select to enable the system to use local authentication.
- 2. **User List (2)** Displays the configured users. Users can be deleted by clicking the <sup>SO</sup> icon. Then select **Submit** to commit the changes. (6)
- User Name (3) Enter an alpha-numeric user name, not special characters.
- 4. Password (4) Enter an alpha-numeric or special characters password.
- Add (5) Select Add to add the user to the list. Add additional users or submit the changes.
- 6. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (6)

Select - > VoIP Traversal - > Authentication

- Remote LDAP server (1) Select to enable the system to use remote LDAP authentication.
- LDAP Search Base String (2) Enter the LDAP search string. The search-base string will be prepended to the user name when making the query.
- LDAP Server IP Address (3) Enter the IPv4 address of the LDAP server.
- 4. **LDAP Server Port (4)** Enter the LDAP protocol port you wish to use. The system is defaulted to port 0.The standard LDAP port is 389.
- 5. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (5)

#### Authentication

User List

Select User Authentication:

O Disabled

Locally configured User List
Remote LDAP server

© Remote Radius/TACACS server

You can select which type of user authentication you want to use. Select whether the client authenticates (in addition to having valid certificates)

through a list of locally configured users, or using an external LDAP, TACACS, or Radius server.

# The User List allows you to manually configure what users are allowed to connect to the External VoIP Traversal Server. Users (Changes have not been saved) User Password Add a new User User Name:

Password:

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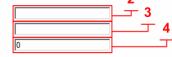
#### LDAP Settings

Configure the LDAP server and search base string to use for authentication of users.

LDAP Search Base String: LDAP Server IP Address:

LDAP Server Port:

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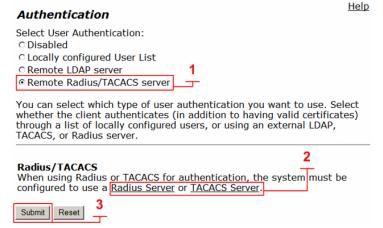
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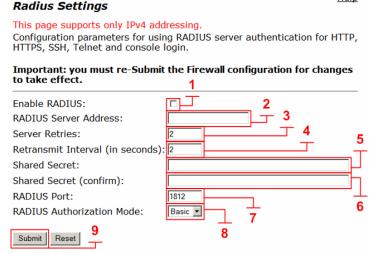
- Remote Radius/TACACS server (1) Select to enable the system to use remote Radius or TACACS authentication.
- 2. Radius/TACACS (2) When Remote Radius or TACACS is selected, the system will query the configured Radius or TACACS server to authenticate any connecting clients. The Radius or TACACS server must be configured on the Radius or TACACS page respectively. By clicking on the Radius or TACACS links, you will be re-directed to the system's Radius or TACACS setting pages. Enabling the system's RADIUS or TACACS feature will enable remote authentication for VoIP traversal and Management access to the system, e.g. HTTP, HTTPS, SSH, Telnet.
- 3. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (3)



Note: If the RADIUS or TACACS server is unavailable for authentication, the system will default to local accounts for system management. The systems management password for HTTP and CLI access should be changed from the default to follow good security practices for securing the system in the event the RADIUS or TACACS server becomes unreachable.

Select - > System - > Radius Server

- Enable RADIUS (1) Select to enable the system to use remote RADIUS authentication.
- 2. **RADIUS Server Address (2)** Enter the IPv4 address the system will use to create connections to the TACACS server for authentication.
- 3. **Server Retries (3)** Enter a numeric value. The system should retry the connection to the RADIUS server before the server is deemed unavailable.
- 4. Retransmit Interval (in seconds) (4) Enter the delay in seconds for server connection reties. The default value is two seconds between reties.
- 5. **Shared Secret (5)** Enter the shared secret. The systems client and RADIUS server must have the same shared secret.
- 6. **Shared Secret (confirm) (6)** Enter the shared secret again.
- RADIUS Port (7) Enter the destination port the system will use to create connection to the RADIUS. Default is 1812
- RADIUS Authorization Mode (8) The system supports the following authentication modes.
  - a. **Basic:** Basic mode confirms the shared secret with the server.
  - b. **Challenge Handshake Authentication Protocol (CHAP):** The password is used to calculate the response to a random challenge. Both the challenge and response are sent as part of the RADIUS request message.
- 9. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (9)



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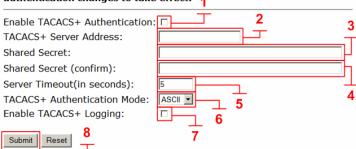
Select - > System - > TACACS Settings

- 1. **Enable TACACS+ Authentication (1)** Select to enable the system to use remote TACACS authentication.
- 2. **TACACS+ Server Address (2)** Enter the IPv4 address the system use to create connections to the TACACS server for authentication.
- 3. **Shared Secret (3)** Enter the shared secret. The systems client and TACACS server must have the same shared secret.
- 4. Shared Secret (confirm) (4) Enter the shared secret again.
- 5. **Server Timeout (in seconds) (5)** Enter the time in seconds the system should wait for a reply from the TACACS server before the server is deemed unavailable. The valid range is 1 100 and the default is 5.
- TACACS+ Authentication Mode (6) The system supports the following authentication modes:
  - a. ASCII: The user name is sent as part of the TACACS client request and the password is sent as part of the continue message.
  - b. **Password Authentication Protocol (PAP):** Both user name and password are sent as part of the request message.
  - c. **Challenge Handshake Authentication Protocol (CHAP):** The password is used to calculate the response to a random challenge. Both the challenge and response are sent as part of the TACACS+ request message.
- 7. **Enable TACACS+ Logging (7)** If enabled, all configuration changes made to the system over HTTP, HTTPS, SSH, Telnet, and the serial console are logged.
- 8. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (8)

#### TACACS+ Settings

Configuration parameters for using TACACS+ server authentication and logging for HTTP, HTTPS, SSH, Telnet and console login.

# Important: you must relaunch your browser window for authentication changes to take effect.



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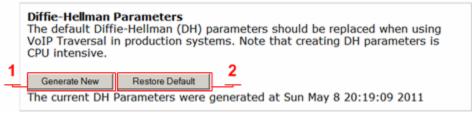
# Configure the VBP-ST SBC TLS Traversal Diffie-Hellman parameter

#### Configure the VBP-ST VoIP Traversal Diffie-Hellman Parameter

Symmetric keys are used to encrypt and decrypt traffic; keys are derived from keying material known as Diffie-Hellman. VoIP Traversal uses Diffie-Hellman between the external server and remote clients to secure the tunnels. Diffie-Hellman will only need to be generated on the external servers and once created do not require regeneration.

Select - > VoIP Traversal

- Generate New (1) Select to generate new DH parameters.
- 2. **Restore Default (2)** Select to restore the default DH parameters.



Note: To follow good security practices an IT security policy may periodically require Diffie-Hellman parameters to be generated on the external server that services the VBP-E remote clients.

# Configure the VBP-ST SBC TLS Traversal Server Routes

VoIP Traversal Routes allows the administrator to configure what routes are being sent to connecting remote clients and how the system routes this traffic to the internal subnets. Configure all the internal sub networks required for the system to route this traffic from the remote client to the internal networks.

Any remote VBP-E TLS Traversal clients connecting to the VBP-ST server will have both the default route set to the VBP-ST VoIP Traversal server's virtual interface, e.g. 172.30.0.4, as well as the more specific routes listed here. The specific routes being sent are set through DHCP options 121 (Classless Static Route) and 249 (Microsoft Classless Static Route). If the client does not understand options 121 or 249, it will use the default route. If the client installs the default route with a lower metric than an already installed default route, then the options 121 or 249 will allow the client to still route data to the VoIP Traversal protected network.

This configuration will have only one network to route traffic to e.g. 10.10.30.0/24

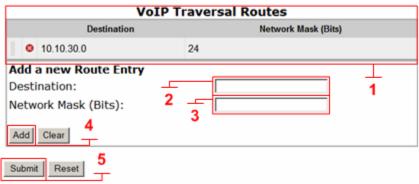
Select - > VoIP Traversal - > Routes

- VoIP Traversal Routes (1) Displays the list of currently configured routes. Routes can be deleted by clicking the icon. Then select Submit to commit the changes. (5)
- 2. **Destination** (2) Enter the IPv4 destination network.
- 3. Network Mask (Bits) (3) Enter the bit mask for the network.
- 4. Add (4) Select Add to add the route to the list.
- 5. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (5)

#### VoIP Traversal Routes

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VoIP Traversal Routes defines networks the system will use to route traffic to the internal subnets. The system will also push these networks as routes to connecting VPN clients. Any route added here will cause the VPN client to send traffic that matches this network through the VPN tunnel.



# Configure the VBP-ST SBC TLS Traversal Server Firewall (Optional)

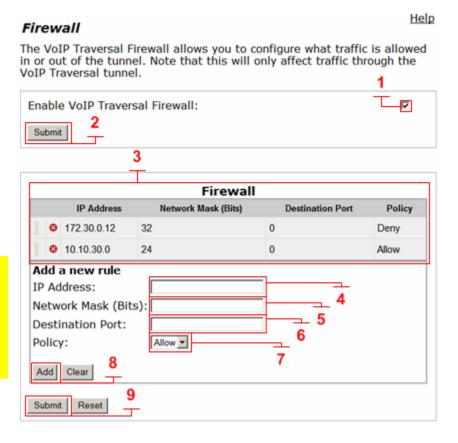
The VBP-ST VoIP Traversal Firewall allows you to create firewall rules affecting the tunneled data. By default, the VoIP Traversal Firewall is disabled and all traffic from remote clients is allowed to pass bi-directionally to the secure network. When the VoIP Traversal Firewall is enabled, all traffic will be dropped until rules are created to allow traffic through.

Installation tip: Configure the complete VBP TLS Traversal solution first and test with the VoIP Traversal Firewall disabled to verify connectivity from remote VBP-E TLS Traversal locations. Then enable the firewall and create rules to secure the network. VBP-ST VoIP Traversal firewall feature does not apply rules to the H.323 ALG traffic coming from remote H.323 or H.460 endpoints, e.g. Remote CMA Desktops registering to the VBP-ST for Access Proxy and H.460 services.

Select - > VoIP Traversal - > Firewall

- Enable VolP Traversal Firewall (1) Select to enable the firewall for tunneled data.
- 2. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (2)
- 3. Firewall (3) Displays the list of currently configured firewall rules. Rules can be deleted by clicking the <sup>3</sup> icon. Then select **Submit** to commit the changes. (9)
- 4. **IP Address (4)** Enter the IPv4 address or subnet the system will create the rule for.
- 5. **Network Mask (Bits) (5)** Enter the bit mask for the network.
- 6. **Destination Port (6)** Enter the destination port for the rule. If the field is left blank, the system will apply all ports to the rule.
- 7. **Policy** (7) Select **Allow** or **Deny** for the rule.
- 8. Add (8) Select Add to add the rule to the list.
- 9. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (9)

Note: The system applies rules in the order displayed in the list. In this example, all remote VBP-E TLS Traversal clients will have access to the 10.10.30.0 subnet except for the PC user. Traffic from this device will be dropped by the Deny rule in the VBP-ST firewall. Rules can be moved up or down in the list by dragging the handle on the left side and submitting the changes. Submitting the changes will only affect traffic to and from the rule being changed; all other session will not be affected.

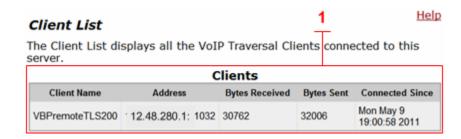


# Viewing the Active VBP-ST SBC TLS Traversal Server Clients

The VBP-ST external server VoIP Traversal clients list displays the currently connected remote VBP-E TLS Traversal connected systems.

Select - > VoIP Traversal - > Clients

1. **Clients** (1) – Displays the currently connected remote VBP-E TLS Traversal systems.



# Configure the VBP-ST SBC ALG H.323 Settings

When deploying TLS Traversal with legacy remote Access Proxy, H.460 or VBP-E system in WAN Side gatekeeper mode, the system must be configured to forward the H.323 traffic to the WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper for H.323 call control.

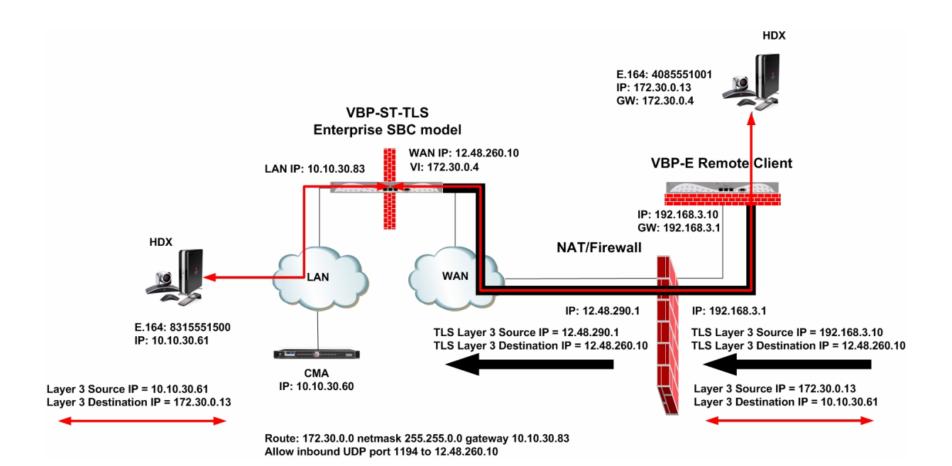
Select - > VoIP ALG - > H.323

- 1. **WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode (1)** Select to enable WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode.
- 2. WAN/Provider-side GK address (2) Enter the IPv4 gatekeeper address the system will forward to.
- 3. **Delete stale clients (3)** Enable to delete clients that have not registered to the system in the time specified by the configured Stale time.
- 4. Stale time (m) (4) Enter the value in minutes in which the system will delete inactive H.323/H.460 clients. Note: this feature should be enabled for mobile clients.
- 5. **H.460.18 Support (5)** Select to enable the system for H.460 traversal support.
- 6. **Keep-alive time (s) (6)** Enter the time in seconds the system will configure the client for registration frequency. Most H.323/H.460 clients will divide the value by half, e.g. if a value of 60 is entered, the client will send registration messages every 30 seconds.
- 7. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (7)

H.323 Settings	
H.323 protocol settings.	
Gatekeeper mode The gatekeeper mode configuration specifie work in WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode embedded gatekeeper mode.  © None (H.323 is disabled)  © WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode  © Peering-Proxy mode (configure prefixes)	es whether the system should e, Peering-Proxy mode, or
WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode se The H.323 gatekeeper that all client traffic	
WAN/Provider-side GK address: 10.10.30.50	
Modify Time-To-Live: □	2
New Time-To-Live (s): 300	
Gatekeeper reachability: Reachable	
The system can automatically delete client registration requests for a given period of the Delete stale clients:  Stale time (m):	
Multicast Messages Some RAS messages can be multicast in or gatekeepers.	der to automatically detect
Listen to multicast messages:	
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# VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal to VBP-ST SBC TLS Traversal Server



## Configuring the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal Client to VBP-ST SBC TLS Traversal Server

Connect a computer configured with an IP address of 192.168.1.2 and subnet mask of 255.255.255.0 to Port 1 with either an Ethernet switch or an Ethernet cable wired directly to the computer.

Launch a Web browser on the computer and enter <a href="http://192.168.1.1">http://192.168.1.1</a> Press Return. The main configuration menu appears. Enter the user name root and the password default.

The EULA license agreement will now be displayed. After reading the license agreement, click "I agree" at the bottom to continue configuring the system. The EULA will only be displayed for the first time login and, once accepted, the EULA will not appear again.

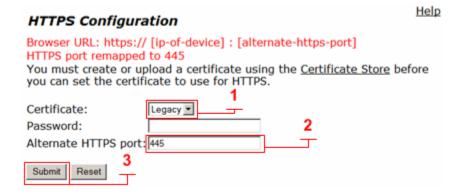
Configuration tip – If the VBP-ST system have been configured for HTTPS management on port 445, configuring the VBP-E remote client for the same port may be useful in remembering to use port 445. All VBP systems come with a self-signed certificate call Legacy in the **HTTPS**Configuration page. You can create a new self-signed certificate or upload a signed certificate using the **Certificate Store** page.

Verify that all internal networks that will have video clients installed have a routing entry for the Traversal network.

#### Configure the VBP-E Security HTTPS parameters

Select - > Security - > HTTPS Configuration

- Certificate (1) Select the certificate to use for HTTPS management of the system. Legacy is the default option, or select the certificate that was created or uploaded from the Certificate Store.
- 2. **Password** Enter the password the private key file was secured with during the certificate generation (optional.)
- 3. **Alternate HTTPS Port (2)** Enter the alternate port the system will respond to HTTPS requests for management.
- 4. Select **Submit** to commit the change (3)



# Configure the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal Client Security Parameters

By default, the VBP-E system firewall disables all management protocols on the WAN interface. Management protocols are allowed by default on the LAN interface. When deselecting a management protocol, the system will deny access from the WAN interface only.

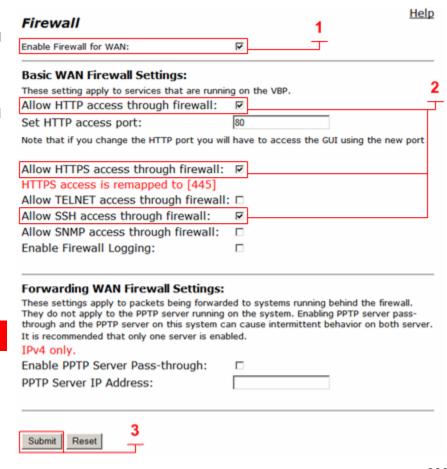
When configuring the remote VBP-E TLS Traversal client, you must allow management protocols on the WAN interface. The VBP-E remote client WAN interface will be installed on the LAN network and establish a TLS connection to the VBP-ST external server through the enterprise security device for NAT/Firewall traversal. The VBP-E remote client LAN interface can have devices connected directly to the system. Or, for large networks, a specific switch or VLAN can be set up to support multiple endpoints for secure TLS tunneling traversal. The VBP-E remote client LAN interface is a bridging interface to the authenticated tunneling interface established to the VBP-ST external server.

For configuring the next steps and installing the system on the network, HTTP and/or HTTPS, and SSH must be enabled on the WAN interface. After testing has been completed, HTTP and SSH can be disabled.

#### Select - > Security

- Enable Firewall for WAN (1) By default, this will be enabled on the system. Disabling the firewall is not recommended and is required to be enabled to manage the system.
- Allow HTTP access through firewall (2) Disabled by default. HTTP can be disabled after testing HTTPS connectivity to the system.
- 3. Allow HTTPS access through firewall (2) Disabled by default. Enable to manage the system with HTTPS.
- Allow SSH access through firewall (2) Disabled by default for advanced troubleshooting and access to the CLI interface. SSH can be disabled after the system is configured and tested.
- 5. Select **Submit** to commit the change (3)

Note: You must allow management access before continuing to the next step.



# Configure the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal Client Network Parameters

Installing the remote VBP-E TLS Traversal remote client requires the system's WAN interface to be configured on the LAN subnet for outbound traversal through the enterprise security device. The enterprise security device will NAT the outbound UDP port 1194 TLS connection like any packet leaving the network.

#### Select - > Network

- LAN Interface Settings (1) Configure an IP address of 0.0.0.0 or leave the field blank. Note: On the VBP-E 5300LF and 5300LF2 chassis LAN Ethernet port is Port 1
- Subnet Mask (1) Enter a value in the field. Displayed is a class C mask.
- WAN Interface IPv4 Settings Select -- > Static IP (2) Enter the WAN IPv4 address for the system. (3) Note: On the VBP-E 5300LF and 5300LF2 chassis WAN Ethernet port is Port 2
- 4. Subnet Mask (3) Enter the subnet mask for the WAN interface network.
- Default Gateway (3) Enter the IPv4 address of the WAN network default router.
- 6. **DNS servers (4)** Enter valid DNS server IPv4 addresses for the Primary and Secondary DNS server fields.
- 7. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (5)

The system will now apply the IPv4 address configured on the WAN interface. Install the VBP-E remote client system onto the LAN network by connecting the WAN interface Port 2 to the LAN network switch.

Now move the management computer to the LAN network and open a new Web browser and enter <a href="http://192.168.3.10">https://192.168.3.10</a>:445 to complete the installation tasks.

Note: For management purposes, setting the VBP-E remote client to a static IP address on the WAN interface is not required; however, it will make remembering the management IP easier.

#### Help Network Networking configuration information for the public and private networks. LAN Interface Settings: IP Address: 0.0.0.0 Subnet Mask: 255.255.255.0 IPv6 Address/Prefix: Enable VLAN support WAN Interface IPv6 Settings: Select the type of IPv6 WAN Interface to use: Disabled O Static IP O IPv6 in IPv4 Tunnel WAN Interface IPv4 Settings: Select the type of IPv4 WAN Interface to use: CDHCP Static IP CVLAN 3 IP Address: 192.168.3.10 Subnet Mask: 255.255.255.0 3 **Network Settings:** Default Gateway: 192.168.3.1 DNS servers: Note: In case of dynamic links, this DNS server address will override the DNS server address obtained from the Servers. Default value for dynamic links is obtained from the server, if left Primary DNS Server: 4.2.2.2 4.2.2.1 Secondary DNS Server: Primary WAN Redundancy Settings: Enable Ping based status detection: Ping Host: Note: If the Ping host is left blank, the default gateway for the interface will be pinged. To configure Secondary Interface click here To configure the management interface, click here.

Submit

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# Installing the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal Client Certificates

The remote VBP-E TLS Traversal client requires two types of certificates for authorization to the external VBP-ST TLS Traversal server. The following sections will guide you through installing the certificates generated on the VBP-ST external server. If you have not downloaded these certificates and key files from the VBP-ST external server to your computer, do so now before continuing.

- CA Certificate
- o VoIP Traversal Client

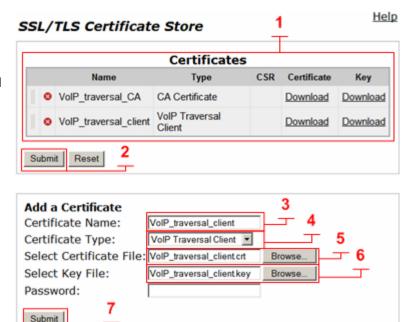
Install the VBP-ST generated CA Certificate and Key file from your computer.

- 1. Certificates (1) After installing the CA Certificate the system will list all certificates. Certificates can be deleted by clicking the <sup>3</sup> icon. Then select Submit to commit the changes. (7)
- 2. **Certificate Name (3)** Enter the name of the certificate the system will create. For visual reference, in the certificate store, create a name that applies to the type of certificate you are installing. Use alpha-numeric fields only, not special characters.
- 3. **Certificate Type (4)** Select the certificate type.
  - b. CA Certificate
- 4. **Select Certificate File (5)** Browse and select the corresponding certificate file for the certificate type from your computer.
- 5. **Select Key File (6)** Browse and select the corresponding key file for the certificate type from your computer.
- 6. Select **Submit** (7) to commit the changes.



Install the VBP-ST generated Client Certificate and Key file from your computer.

- 1. **Certificates (1)** After installing the Client Certificate the system will list all certificates. Certificates can be deleted by clicking the <sup>3</sup> icon. Then select **Submit** to commit the changes. (2)
- Certificate Name (3) Enter the name of the certificate the system will
  create. For visual reference, in the certificate store, create a name that
  applies to the type of certificate you are installing. Use alpha-numeric
  fields only, not special characters.
- 3. **Certificate Type (4)** Select the certificate type.
  - b. VoIP Traversal Client
- 4. **Select Certificate File (5)** Browse and select the corresponding certificate file for the certificate type from your computer.
- 5. **Select Key File (6)** Browse and select the corresponding key file for the certificate type from your computer.
- 6. Select **Submit** (7) to commit the changes.

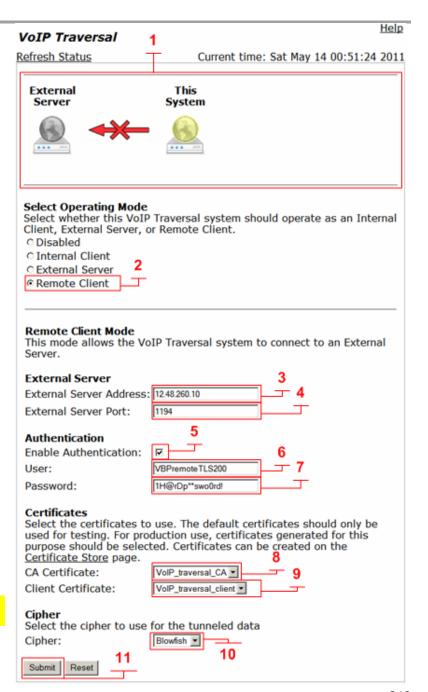


# Configure the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal Client VolP Traversal Parameters

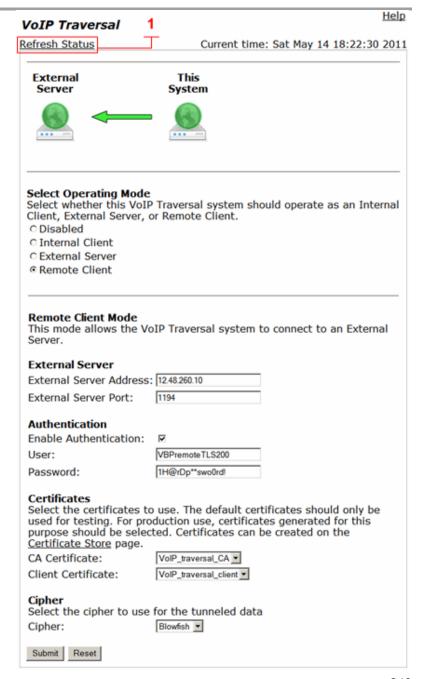
Select - > VoIP Traversal

- 1. **VoIP Traversal Status (1)** Displays the status of the connections
- 2. Select Operation Mode (2) Select Remote Client
- External Server Address (3) Enter the VBP-ST external server address.
- External Server port (4) Default port 1194 (UDP). This system will create a UDP TLS connection to the VBP-ST external server.
- 5. **Enable Authentication (5)** Enables this system for authentication. You must enter a User and Password.
- User (6) Enter the user configured on the VBP-ST authentication parameters e.g. locally configured user list, TACACS, RADIUS or LDAP.
- Password (7) Enter the password configured on the VBP-ST authentication parameters e.g. locally configured user list, TACACS, RADIUS or LDAP.
- 8. **CA Certificate** (8) If you have created a CA Certificate use the pull down to select it. The default can be used for testing the remote client connections before enabling the custom CA Certificate.
- 9. Client Certificate (9) If you have created a Client Certificate use the pull down to select it. The default can be used for testing the server connections before enabling the custom Client Certificate.
- 10. **Cipher (10)** Set the cipher used for tunnel encryption. The system supports Blowfish and AES-256 encryption. The same cipher must be configured on the external server.
  - a. Blowfish is a keyed symmetric block cipher and offers acceptable security with no known cryptanalysis with lower system resources.
  - b. AES-256 is symmetric-key encryption offering higher security which requires higher system resources.
- 11. Select Submit to commit the changes. (11)

Note: The system will now disable services that are not VolP Traversal supported i.e. NAT and DHCP.



After submitting the changes to the remote VBP-E TLS VoIP Traversal Parameters page the system will now create and outbound UDP 1194 TLS connection to the VBP-ST external server. A refresh (1) maybe be required to view the connections as established and green.



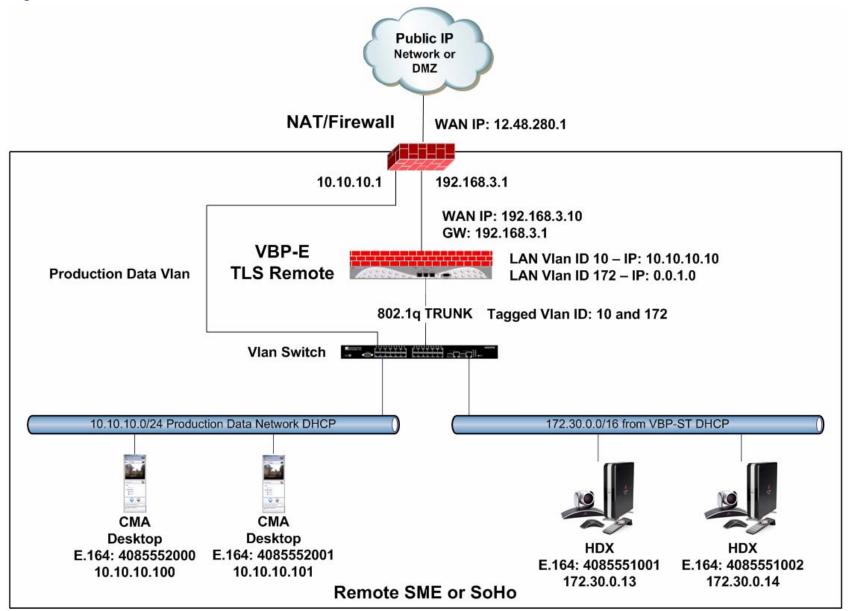
# VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal with ALG and Access Proxy using VLANs

Deploying a VBP-E Remote TLS solution with H.323 room systems and desktop video systems may be a requirement for remote locations. The VBP-E can be configured with VLANs to separate the room system TLS network from the users desktop video systems installed on the production data network. Depending on the VBP model chosen for the remote location the setup may require a VLAN capable switch. For instance, the 5300LF2 and 6400LF2 supports only 802.1q tagged VLANs while the 200 and 4555 support 802.1 non-tagged VLANs or 802.1q tagged VLANs depending on how the port is configured.

The following configuration example will explain how the TLS connection from the VBP-E remote client to the VBP-ST will be used for both the TLS room system network and assign the H.323 ALG or Access Proxy to allow access from the desktop video systems installed on the production data network to access the headquarters CMA gatekeeper for call control.

Prior to installing the system the installer will need to identify the LAN infrastructure and verify the install Ethernet switch is or is not cable of supporting 802.1g tagged VLANs.

# Diagram



## Configuring the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal with VLANs

Connect a computer configured with an IP address of 192.168.1.2 and subnet mask of 255.255.255.0 to Port 1 with either an Ethernet switch or an Ethernet cable wired directly to the computer.

Launch a Web browser on the computer and enter <a href="http://192.168.1.1">http://192.168.1.1</a> Press Return. The main configuration menu appears. Enter the user name root and the password default.

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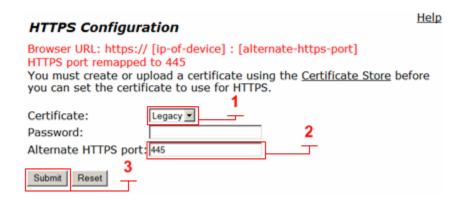
Configuration tip – If the VBP-ST system have been configured for HTTPS management on port 445, configuring the VBP-E remote client for the same port may be useful in remembering to use port 445. All VBP systems come with a self-signed certificate call Legacy in the **HTTPS**Configuration page. You can create a new self-signed certificate or upload a signed certificate using the **Certificate Store** page.

Verify that all internal networks that will have video clients installed have a routing entry for the Traversal network.

#### **Configure the VBP-E Security HTTPS parameters**

Select - > Security - > HTTPS Configuration

- Certificate (1) Select the certificate to use for HTTPS
  management of the system. Legacy is the default option, or
  select the certificate that was created or uploaded from the
  Certificate Store.
- 2. **Password** Enter the password the private key file was secured with during the certificate generation (optional.)
- 3. **Alternate HTTPS Port (2)** Enter the alternate port the system will respond to HTTPS requests for management.
- 4. Select Submit to commit the change (3)



# Configure the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal Client Security Parameters

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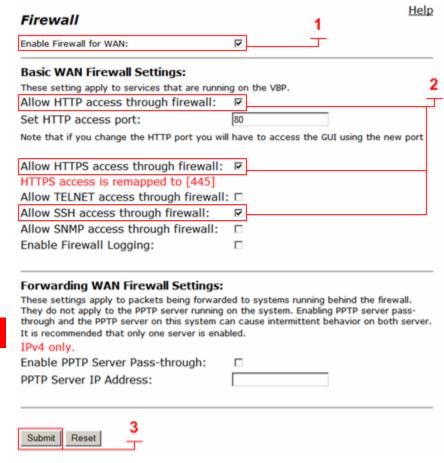
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For configuring the next steps and installing the system on the network, HTTP and/or HTTPS, and SSH must be enabled on the WAN interface. After testing has been completed, HTTP and SSH can be disabled.

#### Select - > Security

- Enable Firewall for WAN (1) By default, this will be enabled on the system. Disabling the firewall is not recommended and is required to be enabled to manage the system.
- Allow HTTP access through firewall (2) Disabled by default. HTTP can be disabled after testing HTTPS connectivity to the system.
- 3. Allow HTTPS access through firewall (2) Disabled by default. Enable to manage the system with HTTPS.
- Allow SSH access through firewall (2) Disabled by default for advanced troubleshooting and access to the CLI interface. SSH can be disabled after the system is configured and tested.
- 5. Select **Submit** to commit the change (3)

Note: You must allow management access before continuing to the next step.



# Configure the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal Client Network Parameters

Installing the remote VBP-E TLS Traversal remote client requires the system's WAN interface to be configured on the LAN subnet for outbound traversal through the enterprise security device. The enterprise security device will NAT the outbound UDP port 1194 TLS connection like any packet leaving the network.

#### Select - > Network

- LAN Interface Settings (1) Configure an IP address of 0.0.0.0 or leave the field blank. Note: On the VBP-E 5300LF and 5300LF2 chassis LAN Ethernet port is Port 1
- Subnet Mask (1) Enter a value in the field. Displayed is a class C mask
- 3. Enable VLAN support (2) Enables this system for VLAN support.
- WAN Interface IPv4 Settings Select -- > Static IP (3) Enter the WAN IPv4 address for the system. (4) Note: On the VBP-E 5300LF and 5300LF2 chassis WAN Ethernet port is Port 2
- Subnet Mask (4) Enter the subnet mask for the WAN interface network
- Default Gateway (4) Enter the IPv4 address of the WAN network default router.
- 7. **DNS servers (5)** Enter valid DNS server IPv4 addresses for the Primary and Secondary DNS server fields.
- 8. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (6)

The system will now apply the IPv4 address configured on the WAN interface. Install the VBP-E remote client system onto the LAN network by connecting the WAN interface Port 2 to the LAN network switch.

Now move the management computer to the LAN network and open a new Web browser and enter <a href="http://192.168.3.10">https://192.168.3.10</a>:445 to complete the installation tasks.

Note: For management purposes, setting the VBP-E remote client to a static IP address on the WAN interface is not required; however, it will make remembering the management IP easier.

#### Help Network Networking configuration information for the public and private networks. LAN Interface Settings: IP Address: 0.0.0.0 Subnet Mask: 255.255.255.0 IPv6 Address/Prefix: Enable VLAN support $\nabla$ VLAN Configuration WAN Interface IPv6 Settings: Select the type of IPv6 WAN Interface to use: Disabled O Static IP © IPv6 in IPv4 Tunnel WAN Interface IPv4 Settings: Select the type of IPv4 WAN Interface to use: ODHCP Static IP ○ VLAN IP Address: 192.168.3.10 Subnet Mask: 255.255.255.0 Network Settings: Default Gateway: 192.168.3.25 DNS servers: Note: In case of dynamic links, this DNS server address will override the DNS server address obtained from the Servers. Default value for dynamic links is obtained from the server, if left blank. Primary DNS Server: 4.2.2.2 Secondary DNS Server: 4.2.2.1 Primary WAN Redundancy Settings: Enable Ping based status detection: Note: If the Ping host is left blank, the default gateway for the interface will be pinged. To configure Secondary Interface click here To configure the management interface, click here. Reset

# Configure the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal VLAN Configuration 5300LF2 or 6400LF2

Use the VLAN Configuration page to create up to 16 VLANs on the system. When a new VLAN is created on the 5300LF2 or 6400LF2 platform the system will create an 802.1q tagged VLAN only. The system only supports 1 untagged default VLAN displayed as eth0, since this VLAN is only untagged the displayed eth0 VLAN ID is for reference only.

For this configuration example VLAN ID 10 and VLAN ID 172 are being created to assign to the TLS and ALG applications. VLAN ID 10 with an IPv4 address of 10.10.10.10 will be assigned by the IT administrator. This address will be used to configure the H.323 desktops Provisioning Server or H.323 gatekeeper on the production data network. VLAN ID 172 with an IPv4 address of 0.0.1.0 will be assigned to the system as displayed to create an interface used only by the system to assign to the TLS application for the room system. TLS VoIP Traversal will not source packets from this interface it will only be used to create a VLAN ID on the system.

Select - > Network - > VLAN Configuration

- 1. **VLAN Configuration** (1) Displays the configured VLANs on the system.
- 2. VLAN ID (2) Enter a VLAN ID in the field. Valid range is 2 4093
- 3. IP Address (3) Enter this VLANs IPv4 address.
- 4. Subnet Mask (4) Enter the subnet mask for the VLAN interface network.
- 5. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (5)

#### VLAN Configuration VLAN Configuration allows the user to configure VLAN support. **VLAN Configuration** Select: All None Delete Action: Virtual VLAN IP Subnet IPv6 IPv6 ID Address Mask Address Prefix Address П eth0 0.0.0.0 255.255.255.0 10 10.10.10.10 255.255.255.0 172 0.0.1.0 255.255.255.0 Create a new VLAN VLAN ID: IP Address: Subnet Mask: IPv6 Address: IPv6 Prefix: Addresses for Stateful Failover Virtual IP Address: Reset Commit

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# Configure the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal VLAN Configuration 200 or 4555

Use the VLAN Configuration page to create up to 16 VLANs on the system. When a new VLAN is created on the 200 or 4555 platform the system can support new VLANs as untagged or tagged depending on how the individual ports are configured.

For this configuration example VLAN ID 10 and VLAN ID 172 are being created to assign to the TLS and ALG applications. VLAN ID 10 with an IPv4 address of 10.10.10.10 will be assigned by the IT administrator. This address will be used to configure the H.323 desktops Provisioning Server or H.323 gatekeeper on the production data network. VLAN ID 172 with an IPv4 address of 0.0.1.0 will be assigned to the system as displayed to create an interface used only by the system to assign to the TLS application for the room system. TLS VoIP Traversal will not source packets from this interface it will only be used to create a VLAN ID on the system.

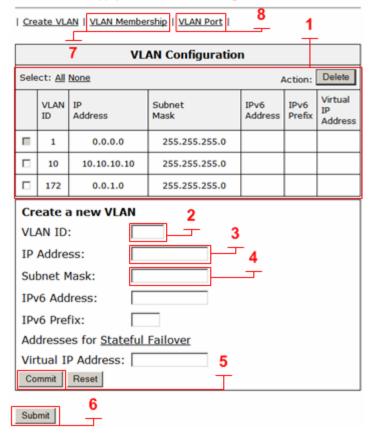
Select - > Network - > VLAN Configuration

- 1. **VLAN Configuration** (1) Displays the configured VLANs on the system.
- 2. VLAN ID (2) Enter a VLAN ID in the field. Valid range is 2 4093
- 3. IP Address (3) Enter this VLANs IPv4 address.
- 4. Subnet Mask (4) Enter the subnet mask for the VLAN interface network.
- 5. Select Commit to add each VLAN. (5)
- 6. Select Submit to commit the changes. (6)
- 7. **VLAN Membership (7)** Select to configure each VLAN as a member of a specific port.
- 8. VLAN Port (8) Select to configure the ports packet type and set the default VLAN PVID.
  - c. Tagged Only
  - d. Untagged Only

## **VLAN Configuration**

Help

VLAN Configuration allows the user to configure VLAN support. Hit submit to apply the new VLAN configuration.



# Configure the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal VLAN Membership 200 or 4555

Use the VLAN Membership page to configure LAN ports as members of a VLAN. If a port is a member of a VLAN, the system will accept both tagged and untagged traffic of that VLAN. Go to the VLAN port page to configure PVIDs for untagged traffic or to configure a port to accept only tagged traffic.

Select - > Network - > VLAN Configuration - > VLAN Membership

- VLAN ID (1) Select the VLAN ID to configure as a port member
- 2. **Member (2)** Select the port or ports this VLAN will be assigned to.
- 3. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (6)

In the example below both VLAN ID 10 and 172 are assigned to port 3 and will be configured as an 802.1q Tagged VLAN. This example also shows VLAN ID 10 assigned to port 1 and VLAN ID 172 assigned to port 2 and will be configured as an 802.1 Untagged VLAN.

#### VLAN Port Membership

VLAN Port Membership allows the user to assign ports as members of a VLAN.

| Create VLAN | VLAN Membership | VLAN Port |

VLAN ID: 10 🖃

VLAN Port Membership		
Select: All None		
Port Number	Member	
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3	E	
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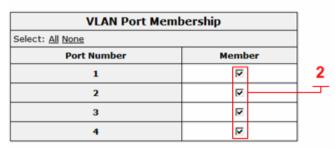


#### VLAN Port Membership

VLAN Port Membership allows the user to assign ports as members of a VLAN.

| Create VLAN | VLAN Membership | VLAN Port |

VLAN ID: 1





### VLAN Port Membership

VLAN Port Membership allows the user to assign ports as members of a VLAN.

| Create VLAN | VLAN Membership | VLAN Port |

**VLAN ID:** 172

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VLAN Port Membership Select: All None		
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<u>Help</u>

## Configure the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal VLAN Port 200 or 4555

Use the VLAN Port page to configure per port VLAN settings. These settings include the packet type accepted on the port and the port's PVID (Port VLAN ID).

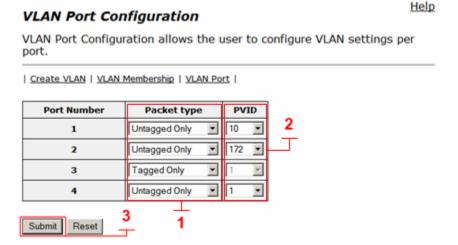
Select - > Network - > VLAN Configuration - > VLAN Port

 Packet Type (1) – By default, both tagged and untagged packet types are accepted on a port. If you wish to only accept tagged traffic on a port, select Tagged Only in the packet type drop down menu.

Note: If a port is configured to accept tagged packets only, the PVID selection is irrelevant.

 PVID (2) – When the systems LAN port has multiple VLANs assigned to it, only one of them can be selected as the port's untagged VLAN ID or PVID. By default, a LAN port will be assigned to PVID 1.

The PVID drop down menu consists of all VLANs the port is a member of. This is taken from the configuration in the **VLAN Port Membership** page.



Note: If a drop down menu is empty, no VLANs were assigned to that port.

3. Select Submit to commit the changes. (6)

In this example port 3 will be the 802.1q trunk port with VLAN ID 10 and VLAN ID 172 as tagged frames. This port should be connected to the VLAN switch. The upstream VLAN switch can then be configured on a port by port basis to assign untagged ports for the H.323 video devices to have access to the production data VLAN ID 10 or the TLS room system VLAN ID 172.

This example also shows VLAN ID 10 assigned to port 1 and set as the default VLAN. VLAN ID 172 is assigned to port 2 as an untagged VLAN and set as the default VLAN. This can be useful when the location does not have VLAN capable VLAN switches. In this case the admin can connect port 1 to the production data switch for desktop H.323 access to the headquarters CMA server. The admin can then connect a separate Ethernet switch to port 2 and connect the room system to the TLS network directly. By selecting **Untagged Only** the system will configure these ports as 802.1 frames.

# Installing the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal Client Certificates

The remote VBP-E TLS Traversal client requires two types of certificates for authorization to the external VBP-ST TLS Traversal server. The following sections will guide you through installing the certificates generated on the VBP-ST external server. If you have not downloaded these certificates and key files from the VBP-ST external server to your computer, do so now before continuing.

- CA Certificate
- o VoIP Traversal Client

Install the VBP-ST generated CA Certificate and Key file from your computer.

Select - > Security - > Certificate Store

- 1. Certificates (1) After installing the CA Certificate the system will list all certificates. Certificates can be deleted by clicking the <sup>3</sup> icon. Then select Submit to commit the changes. (7)
- Certificate Name (3) Enter the name of the certificate the system will create. For visual reference, in the certificate store, create a name that applies to the type of certificate you are installing. Use alpha-numeric fields only, not special characters.
- 3. **Certificate Type (4)** Select the certificate type.
  - c. CA Certificate
- 4. **Select Certificate File (5)** Browse and select the corresponding certificate file for the certificate type from your computer.
- 5. **Select Key File (6)** Browse and select the corresponding key file for the certificate type from your computer.
- 6. Select **Submit** (7) to commit the changes.



Install the VBP-ST generated Client Certificate and Key file from your computer.

Select - > Security - > Certificate Store

- 1. **Certificates (1)** After installing the Client Certificate the system will list all certificates. Certificates can be deleted by clicking the <sup>3</sup> icon. Then select **Submit** to commit the changes. (2)
- Certificate Name (3) Enter the name of the certificate the system will
  create. For visual reference, in the certificate store, create a name that
  applies to the type of certificate you are installing. Use alpha-numeric
  fields only, not special characters.
- 3. **Certificate Type (4)** Select the certificate type.
  - c. VoIP Traversal Client
- 4. **Select Certificate File (5)** Browse and select the corresponding certificate file for the certificate type from your computer.
- 5. **Select Key File (6)** Browse and select the corresponding key file for the certificate type from your computer.
- 6. Select **Submit** (7) to commit the changes.

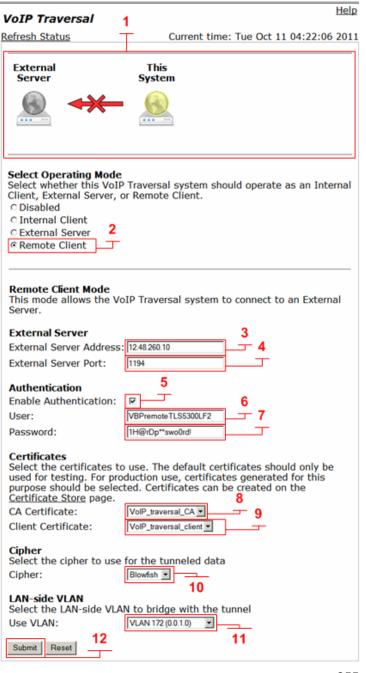


# Configure the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal Client VolP Traversal Parameters

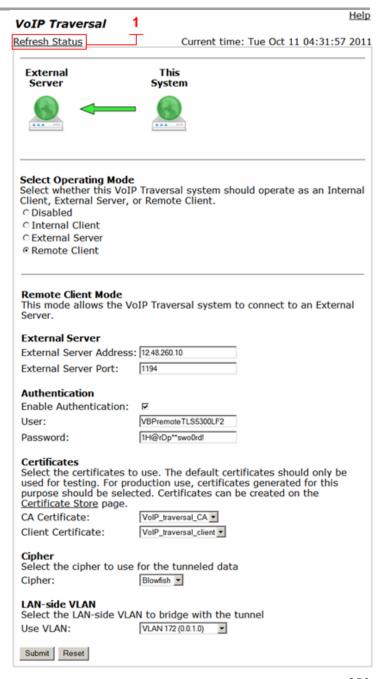
Select - > VoIP Traversal

- 1. **VoIP Traversal Status (1)** Displays the status of the connections
- 2. Select Operation Mode (2) Select Remote Client
- External Server Address (3) Enter the VBP-ST external server address.
- 4. **External Server port (4)** Default port 1194 (UDP). This system will create a UDP TLS connection to the VBP-ST external server.
- Enable Authentication (5) Enables this system for authentication. You
  must enter a User and Password.
- 6. **User (6)** Enter the user configured on the VBP-ST authentication parameters e.g. locally configured user list, TACACS, RADIUS or LDAP.
- Password (7) Enter the password configured on the VBP-ST authentication parameters e.g. locally configured user list, TACACS, RADIUS or LDAP.
- 8. **CA Certificate** (8) If you have created a CA Certificate use the pull down to select it. The default can be used for testing the remote client connections before enabling the custom CA Certificate.
- Client Certificate (9) If you have created a Client Certificate use the pull down to select it. The default can be used for testing the server connections before enabling the custom Client Certificate.
- 10. **Cipher (10)** Set the cipher used for tunnel encryption. The system supports Blowfish and AES-256 encryption. The same cipher must be configured on the external server.
  - c. Blowfish is a keyed symmetric block cipher and offers acceptable security with no known cryptanalysis with lower system resources.
  - d. AES-256 is symmetric-key encryption offering higher security which requires higher system resources.
- 11. Use VLAN (11) Select the VLAN created with the IPv4 address of 0.0.1.0
- 12. Select Submit to commit the changes. (12)

Note: The system will now disable services that are not VoIP Traversal supported i.e. NAT and DHCP.



After submitting the changes to the remote VBP-E TLS VoIP Traversal Parameters page the system will now create and outbound UDP 1194 TLS connection to the VBP-ST external server. A refresh (1) maybe be required to view the connections as established and green.



# Configure the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal Client with the ALG and VLANs

The VoIP ALG page allows the system to assign the ALG to other configured interfaces or VLANs on the system. When the system has VoIP Traversal enabled and VLANs configured the ALG will automatically assign the WAN interface to the TLS tunnel as a DHCP client and request a VoIP Traversal Network IP to bind to the WAN side of the ALG.

By selecting the **ALG LAN using VLAN ID** option the ALG will assign the configured VLAN interface IP address to bind the ALG to that VLANs IP address.

#### Select - > VoIP ALG

- ALG LAN using VLAN ID (1) Select the VLAN ID for the ALG to use as a LAN IPv4 address.
- 2. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (3)
- 3. **Display item only (2)** When the configuration changes have been applied the system will display the configured VLAN interface IP address as the ALG LAN Interface IP Address. The VoIP Traversal parameters must be configured prior to this step for the ALG to display the VoIP Traversal Network IP assigned to the systems ALG WAN Interface IP Address.

VoIP ALG	Help
ALG allows the system to recognize and	d register network devices.
ince VLAN support is enabled, you must select only support one VLAN. ALG LAN using VLAN ID	a VLAN for the ALG to support. The ALG can
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Pv4 only.	
FTP Server IP address:	0.0.0.0
n some cases, the ALG addresses will not corres NAN ports. The addresses will be alias addresses general, the user should leave this feature disabl	that have been configured on the ports. In
Jse ALG Alias IP Addresses:	
ALG LAN Interface IP Address:	10.10.10.10
ALG LAN Interface IPv6 Address:	
ALG WAN Interface IP Address:	172.30.0.9
ALG WAN Interface IPv6 Address:	
Do strict RTP source check:	
nable Client List lockdown:	
Allow Shared Usernames:	
Jse Unique Ports for Shared users:	
Strip G.729 from calls:	
Allow clients on WAN:	
Bandwidth Settings for H.323 The maximum bandwidth to be used. TRTP payload plus IP header overhead, in the per-call bandwidth only, i.e. the value used in the call.	.e. the actual link bandwidth set dwidth is the RTP payload
Maximum total bandwidth (kbps):	0
Maximum per-call bandwidth (kbps):	0
Default audio stream bandwidth (kbps)	64
Default video stream bandwidth (kbps)	384
Current payload bandwidth:	0
stimated current total bandwidth:	0
The ALG feature is registered. View <u>lice</u> Submit Reset 3	ense key.

# Configure the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal Client ALG H.323 Settings

In this example, the system will now be configured to forward H.323 traffic to the WAN/Provider gatekeeper for H.323 call control.

Select - > VoIP ALG - > H.323

- 1. **WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode (1)** Select to enable WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode.
- 2. **WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode settings (2)** Enter the IPv4 gatekeeper address the system will forward to.
- 3. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (3)

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H.323 protocol settings.					
Gatekeeper mode The gatekeeper mode configuration s work in WAN/Provider-side gatekeepe embedded gatekeeper mode.  None (H.323 is disabled)  WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mo LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper m Peering-Proxy mode (configure pre Embedded gatekeeper mode	er mode, Peering-Proxy mode, or  1 de ode				
<b>WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper m</b> The H.323 gatekeeper that all client	ode settings traffic shall be forwarded to. 2				
WAN/Provider-side GK address:	10.10.30.50				
Modify Time-To-Live:					
New Time-To-Live (s):	300				
Gatekeeper reachability:	Reachable				
Stale Time The system can automatically delete registration requests for a given per	e clients when they have not sent any				
Delete stale clients:					
Stale time (m):	60				
Multicast Messages Some RAS messages can be multicas gatekeepers.	st in order to automatically detect				
Listen to multicast messages:					
Alias Restrictions The maximum number of aliases to I	be allowed to register				
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# Configure the VBP-E Remote TLS Traversal Client Access Proxy Settings

Select - > System - > Access Proxy

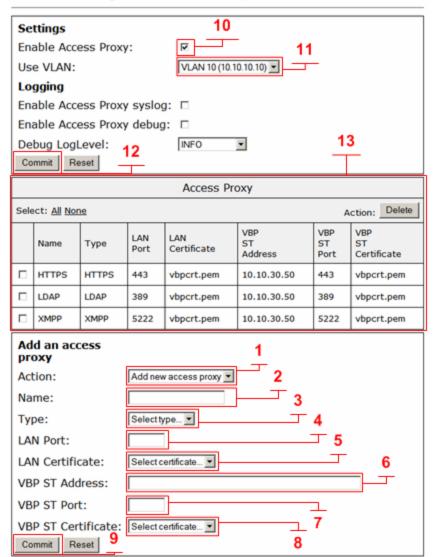
- 1. Action (1) Add a new access proxy or edit an existing entry.
- 2. **Name (2)** Create the following access proxies names on the system
  - a. HTTPS
  - b. LDAP
  - c. XMPP
- 3. **Type (3)** Create the following access proxies on the system
  - a. HTTPS
  - b. LDAP
  - c. XMPP
- 4. LAN Port (4) Enter the following ports for each access proxy.
  - a. HTTPS Port=443
  - b. LDAP Port=5222
  - c. XMPP Port=389
- 5. LAN Certificate (5) Select vbpcrt.pem.
- VBP-ST Address (6) Access Proxy can be configured to proxy to the VBP-ST for traditional support. In this remote TLS configuration enter the CMA IPv4 address
- 7. **VBP ST Port (7)** Enter the following ports for each access proxy.
  - a. HTTPS Port=443
  - b. LDAP Port=5222
  - c. XMPP Port=389
- 8. VBP ST Certificate (8) Select vbpcrt.pem
- 9. Select **Commit** to apply the changes. (9)
- 10. Repeat steps 1 through 9 until all three access proxies are displayed as shown in the Access Proxy list (13)
- 11. **Enable Access Proxy (10)** Enables the system for Access Proxy support
- 12. **Use VLAN (11)** Select the VLAN ID for the Access Proxy to use as a LAN IPv4 address.
- 13. Select Commit to apply the changes. (12)

# Access Proxy

This page supports only IPv4 addressing.

An access proxy can provide a secure connection between LAN clients and VBP ST servers.

HTTPS Provisioning for VBP is enabled on port= 445.



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# DMA Configuration for VBP-E and VBP-ST Enterprise Session Border Controller model

DMA will be installed on the LAN subnet, this subnet can be on the same broadcast domain as the VBP, however it is not required. If the DMA is on a remote LAN subnet from the VBP's interface, there can be NO NAT devices between these subnets. H.323 traffic to/from VBP, DMA, RMX, all endpoints must be on routed subnets. Routes must be added to the VBP for all LAN subnet's to communicate with the DMA and all video endpoints.

- Configure DMA network IP's and related network parameters
- DMA must have valid DNS servers configured and access to public DNS for correct resolution when dialing domain name destinations
- From the VBP you should be able to send an ICMP ping to the DMA LAN IP and receive a response
- From the VBP you should be able to send an ICMP ping to LAN and WAN devices and receive a response

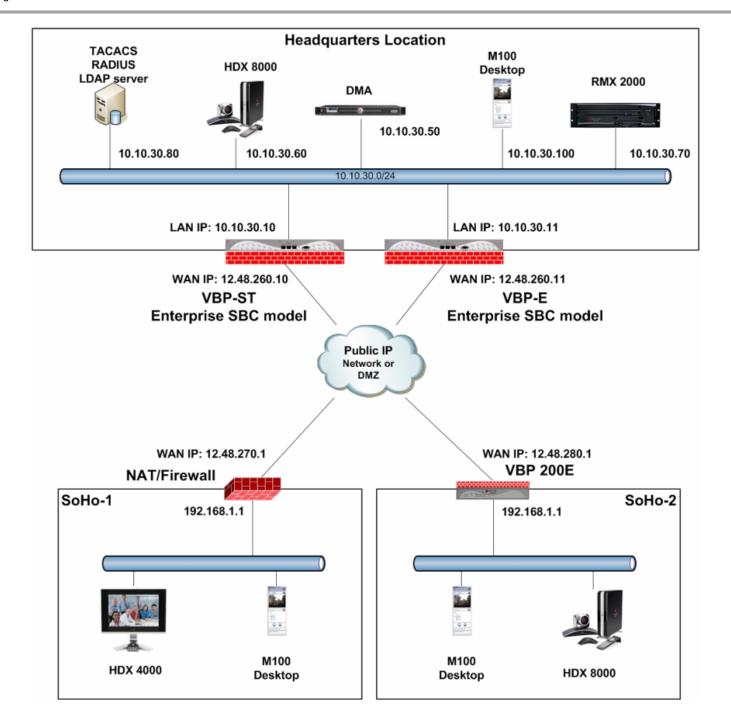
VBP-ST installed on the Public internet with NO NAT between the Subscriber interface and the public FW/NAT devices or public IP video endpoints. The VBP-ST system's Provider interface also cannot have a NAT device between this interface and the LAN side DMA server or LAN side endpoints. Installing a VBP-ST on a DMZ port for port monitoring is supported; please reference the DMZ Installation of the VBP – Required Ports discussed previously in this document.

- Configure VBP-ST network IP's and related parameters
- From the VBP you should be able to send an ICMP ping to a public IP and get a response
- Configure the VBP-ST in WAN/**Provider** side gatekeeper mode
- Configure the WAN/Provider side gatekeeper address as the DMA server IP
- Enable H.460-18 support keep-alive time = 45 (secs)
- Configure **Route** in the GUI as necessary to support other LAN subnet's behind the Provider subnet. In the below diagram a single subnet will be used.

VBP-E installed on the Public internet with NO NAT between the WAN interface and the public FW/NAT devices or public IP video endpoints. The VBP-E system's LAN interface also cannot have a NAT device between this interface and the LAN side DMA server or LAN side endpoints. Installing a VBP-E on a DMZ port for port monitoring is supported; please reference the DMZ Installation of the VBP – Required Ports discussed previously in this document.

- Configure VBP-E network IP's and related parameters
- From the VBP you should be able to send an ICMP ping to a public IP and get a response
- Configure the VBP-E in LAN/Subscriber side gatekeeper mode
- Configure the LAN/Subscriber side gatekeeper address as the VBP-ST Subscriber IP
- Configure Route in the GUI as necessary to support other LAN subnets behind the LAN subnet. In the diagram above a single subnet was used.

# Diagram



# Configuring the VBP-E SBC

Connect a computer configured with an IP address of 192.168.1.2 and subnet mask of 255.255.255.0 to Port 1 with either an Ethernet switch or an Ethernet cable wired directly to the computer.

Launch a Web browser on the computer and enter <a href="http://192.168.1.1">http://192.168.1.1</a>. The main configuration menu appears - enter the user name root and the password default.

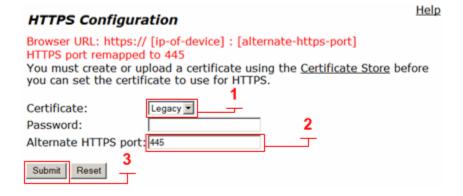
The EULA license agreement will now be displayed. After reading the license agreement, click "I agree" at the bottom to continue configuring the system. The EULA will only be displayed for the first time login and, once accepted, the EULA will not appear again.

Configuration tip – If the solution will include a VBP-ST system that is configured for HTTPS management on port 445, configuring the VBP-E for the same port may be useful in remembering to use port 445. All VBP systems come with a self-signed certificate call Legacy in the **HTTPS**Configuration page. You can create a new self-signed certificate or upload a signed certificate using the Certificate Store page.

### Configure the VBP-E Security HTTPS parameters

Select - > Security - > HTTPS Configuration

- Certificate (1) Select the certificate to use for HTTPS
  management of the system, Legacy is the default option, or
  select the certificate that was created or uploaded from the
  Certificate Store.
- 2. **Password** Enter the password the private key file was secured with during the certificate generation (optional.)
- 3. Alternate HTTPS Port (2) Enter the alternate port the system will respond to HTTPS request for management.
- 4. Select **Submit** to commit the change. (3)



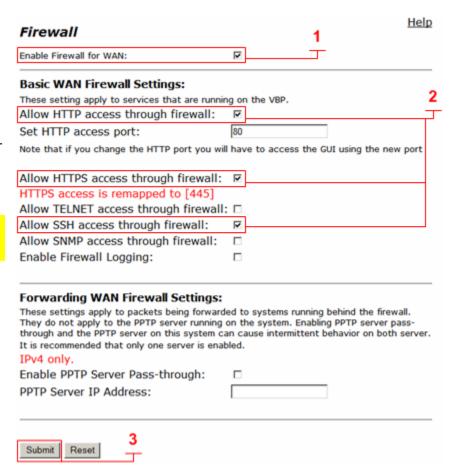
# Configure the VBP-E SBC Security parameters

By default, the VBP-E Firewall disables all management protocols on the WAN interface. Management protocols are allowed by default on the LAN interface. When deselecting a management protocol, the system will deny access from the WAN interface only. Allowing management access on the WAN interface may be needed for installation assistance. After the VBP is installed management access on the WAN interface can be disabled.

### Select - > Security

- 1. **Enable Firewall for WAN (1)** By default, this will be enabled on the system. Disabling the firewall is not recommended.
- Allow HTTP access through firewall (2) Enabled by default.
  HTTP can be disabled after testing HTTPS connectivity to the
  system.
- Allow HTTPS access through firewall (2) Enable to manage the system with HTTPS.
- Allow SSH access through firewall (2) Enabled by default for advanced troubleshooting and access to the CLI interface. SSH can be disabled after the system is configured and tested.
- 5. Select **Submit** to commit the change (3)

Note: These protocols are used for management to the system. The VBP-E system does provide a data NAT feature and can be disabled on the Port Forwarding page by unselecting Enable Dynamic NAT

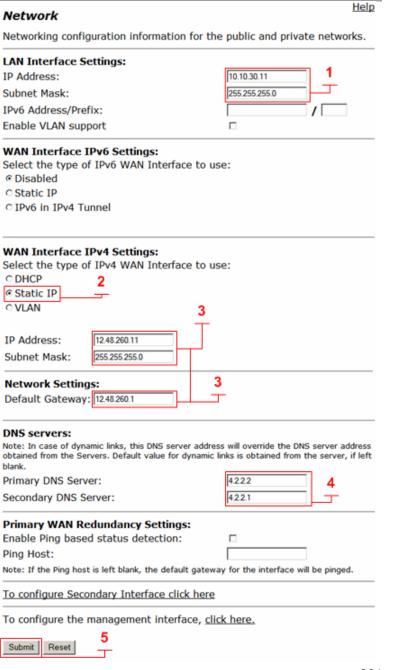


# Configure the VBP-E SBC Network Parameters

#### Select - > Network

- LAN Interface Settings (1) Enter the LAN IPv4 or IPv6 address for the system. Note: On the VBP-E 5300LF and 5300LF2 chassis LAN Ethernet port is Port 1
- Subnet Mask (1) Enter the subnet mask for the LAN interface network.
- WAN Interface IPv4 Settings Select Static IP (2). Enter the Public IPv4 or IPv6 address for the system (3) Note: On the VBP-E 5300LF and 5300LF2 chassis WAN Ethernet port is Port 2
- Subnet Mask (3) Enter the subnet mask for the WAN interface network.
- Default Gateway (3) Enter the IPv4 address of the WAN network default router.
- 6. **DNS servers (4)** Enter valid DNS server IPv4 addresses for the Primary and Secondary DNS server fields.
- 7. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (5)

The system will now apply the IPv4 addresses configured on the WAN and LAN interfaces. Install the VBP-E system onto the network by connecting Port 2 to the public network switch and connect port 1 to the private network switch. Open a new Web browser and enter <a href="http://10.10.30.11">https://10.10.30.11</a>:445 to complete the installation tasks.



# Configure the VBP-E SBC ALG H.323 Settings

In this example, the system will now be configured to forward H.323 traffic to the LAN/Subscriber gatekeeper for H.323 call control.

#### Select - > VoIP ALG - > H.323

- LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper mode (1) Select to enable LAN/Subscriber-side gatekeeper mode.
- 2. **LAN/Subscriber-side GK address (2)** Enter the IPv4 gatekeeper address the system will forward to.
- 3. Default Alias (3) Enabled by default for E.164 Enter the E.164 (4) the system will insert into the H.323 setup message if no destination was found, e.g. if the user dials 12.48.260.11. The system can forward the call to a RMX meeting room or any endpoint on the network. If the user dials 8315551500@12.48.260.11, the system will have a destination and will route the call to the HDX. In this case the default alias rules will not apply. Only one default alias may be entered.
- 4. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (5)

Default Alias A default alias can be added to incoming in the Q.931 Setup message. By adding gatekeeper, or a LAN/Subscriber-side gatefault endpoint.	this alias, the embedded				
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© E.164					
○ H.323					
Stale Time					
The system can automatically delete clie registration requests for a given period of					
Delete stale clients:	п				
Stale time (m):	60				
Multicast Messages Some RAS messages can be multicast in gatekeepers.	order to automatically detect				
Listen to multicast messages:	п				
Alias Restrictions The maximum number of aliases to be a	llowed to register				
Max Aliases:	0				
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Modify Time-To-Live:	п
New Time-To-Live (s):	300
Gatekeeper reachability:	N/A (Not in WAN GK mode)
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LAN/Subscriber-side GK address:	10.10.30.50
	returned in an LCF, the gatekeeper cy decisions. This field should usually
not be enabled.	

H.323 Settings

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# Configuring the DMA Server to use the VBP-E SBC for B2B Calling

1. From the Admin menu point to **Network (1)**, then **Site Topology**, then select **Sites (2)** 

VBP-E SBC configuration requires a DMA task to be completed before internal users can place calls from the Headquarters location to any publicly reachable H.323 endpoint. When installing the DMA server on the network, the administrator may configure multiple sites or a single site for the network. DMA site features can be used to manage the network's bandwidth usage which controls the amount of traffic allowed to and from each site.

The sites feature also allows the administrator to configure a default location to send H.323 calls when the destination the user dialed is not on the network. Sites are controlled by source subnets. To define which endpoint belongs to which site you can create a site that has a single subnet or multiple subnets for the site.

When installing a VBP-E to provide B2B dialing, the DMA server will be configured for the LAN IP address of the VBP-E interface to route off network calls. When configuring the DMA server sites, the administrator can define one VBP-E per site as the video gateway. This feature allows the DMA administrator to control which subnets use a specific VBP-E to route off network calls to.

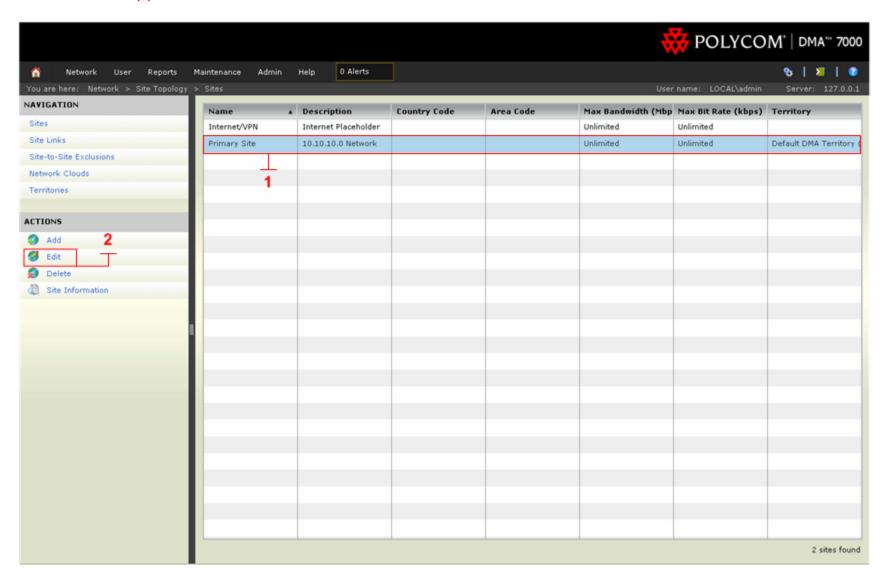
In the following example, 1 subnets will be configured — e.g. 10.10.30.0/24. The following example will explain how to define the VBP-E in the DMA server's configuration to provide users with business to business (B2B) calling.

Log in to the CMA server as the administrator.

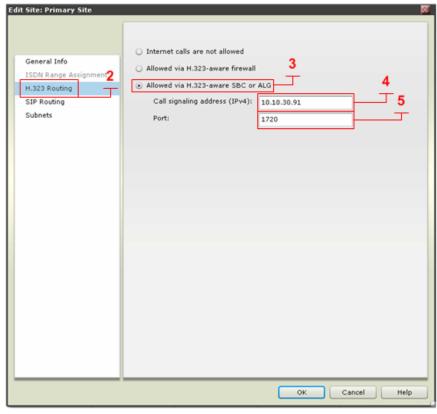
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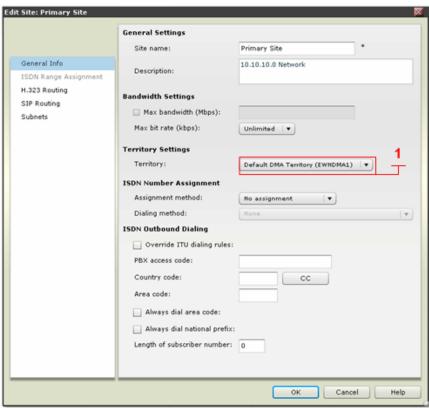
If you have not configured your primary site, select **Add** and skip this step and go to the next page for the site configuration details.

- 2. Select Primary Site (1)
- 3. Select Edit (2)

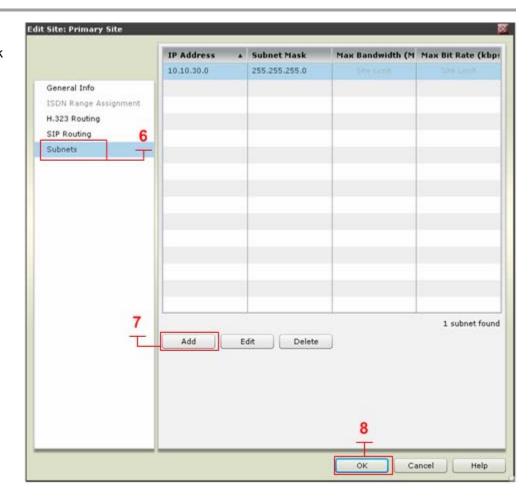


- 4. **Territory Settings (1)** Select the **Default DMA Territory** labeled with the systems hostname.
- 5. Select H.323 Routing (2)
- 6. Enable Allowed via H.323 aware SBC or ALG. (3)
- 7. **Call Signaling IPv4 Address (4)** Enter the Call Signaling IPv4 Address. Enter the VBP-E LAN interface IP address, e.g. 10.10.30.91
- 8. Port (5) Verify the Port is set to 1720.

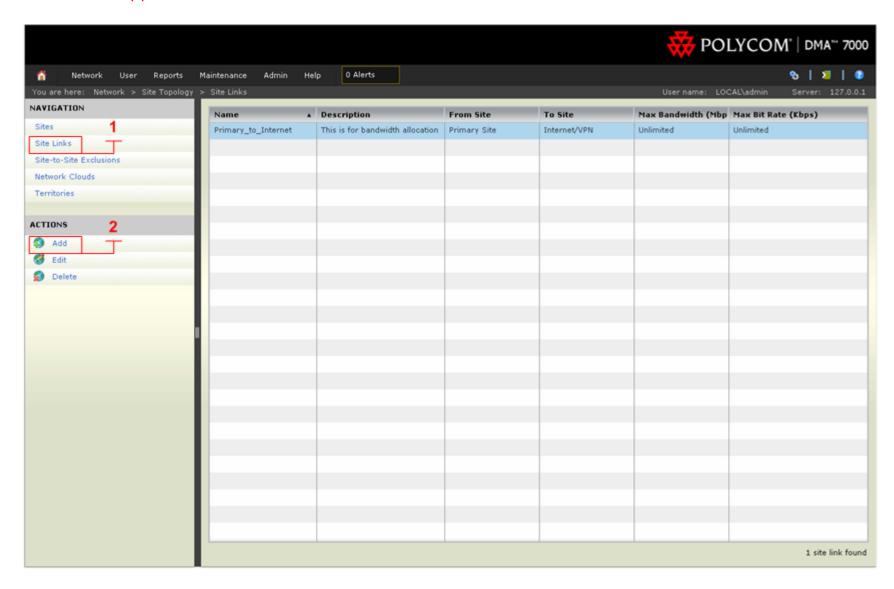




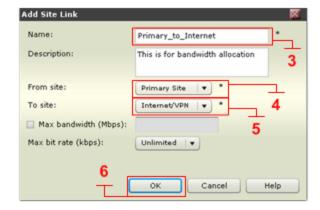
- 9. Select Subnets (6)
- 10. Select **Add (7)** Enter the Subnet IP Address/Mask e.g. 10.10.30.0/255.255.255.0 and then click **Ok**.
- 11. Select **Ok** (8) to save changes.



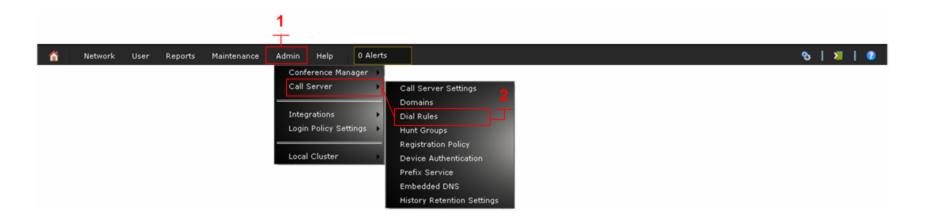
- 12. Select Site Links (1)
- 13. Select **Add (2)**



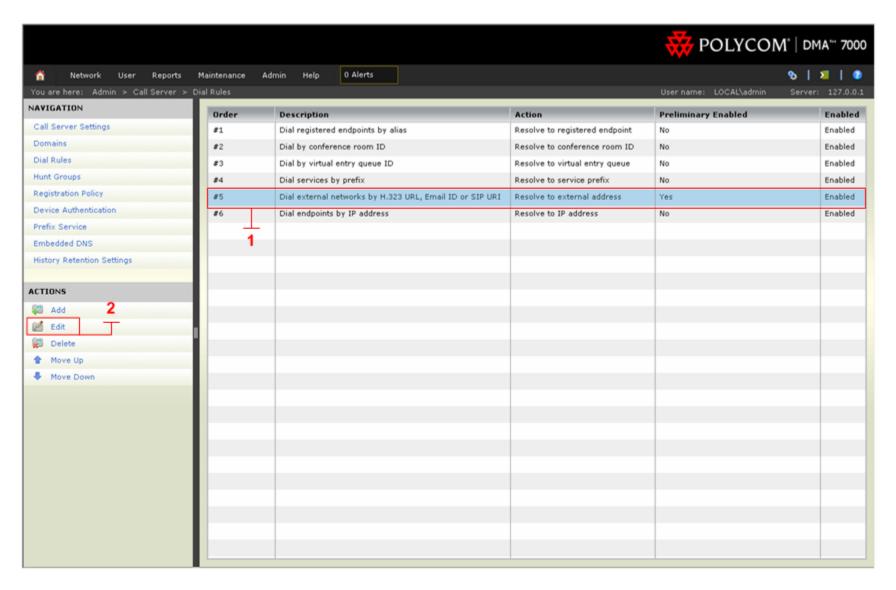
- 14. **Name (3)** Enter the name for this site link. Note: this name will display in system logs.
- 15. **From site** (4) Select the Primary site in which the VBP-E is configured as the SBC/ALG.
- 16. **To site (5)** Select the Internet/VPN site.
- 17. Select **Ok** (6) to save changes.



18. From the Admin menu point to Admin (1), then Call Server, then select Dial Rules (2)

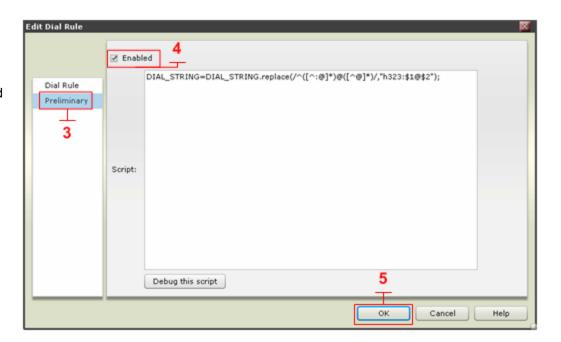


- 19. Select rule Dial external networks by H.323 URL, Email ID or SIP URI (1)
- 20. Select Edit (2)



- 21. Select Preliminary (3)
- 22. Select **Enable (4)** Enter the following rule to allow ANNEX O dial strings to be redirected to the VBP-E for call processing DIAL\_STRING=DIAL\_STRING.replace(/^([^:@]\*)@([^@]\*)/,"h323:\$1@\$2");
- 23. Select Ok (5) to save changes.

When this step is completed, test inbound and outbound calls through the VBP-E B2B SBC solution. If the solution includes a VBP-ST, continue the configuration tasks for installing the VBP-ST SBC in the next section.



# Configuring the VBP-ST SBC

Connect a computer configured with an IP address of 192.168.1.2 and subnet mask of 255.255.255.0 to Port 1 with either an Ethernet switch or an Ethernet cable wired directly to the computer.

Launch a Web browser on the computer and enter <a href="http://192.168.1.1">http://192.168.1.1</a> Press **Return**. The main configuration menu appears. Enter the user name root and the password default.

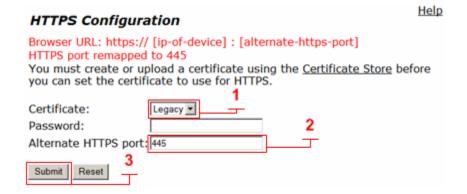
The EULA license agreement will now be displayed. After reading the license agreement, click "I agree" at the bottom to continue configuring the system. The EULA will only be displayed for the first time login and, once accepted, the EULA will not appear again.

Configuration tip – If the VBP-ST will be supporting the Access Proxy feature and you intend to manage the system using HTTPS you must change the HTTPS port used to manage the system before enabling the Access Proxy feature. All VBP systems come with a self-signed certificate call Legacy in the **HTTPS Configuration** page. You can create a new self-signed certificate or upload a signed certificate using the **Certificate Store** page. This configuration will not address configuring the Access Proxy with VoIP traversal. See the previous section for configuring the Access Proxy feature. This configuration will address setting the **Alternate HTTPS Port** for management of the system.

## Configure the VBP-ST Security HTTPS parameters

Select - > Security - > HTTPS Configuration

- Certificate (1) Select the certificate to use for HTTPS
  management of the system, Legacy is the default option or
  select the certificate that was created or uploaded from the
  Certificate Store.
- 2. **Password** Enter the password the private key file was secured with during the certificate generation (optional.)
- 3. Alternate HTTPS Port (2) Enter the alternate port the system will respond to HTTPS requests for management.
- 4. Select **Submit** to commit the change (3)



# Configure the VBP-ST SBC Security Parameters

By default the VBP-ST Firewall enables HTTP and SSH. The VBP-ST firewall applies accept rules for both the Subscriber and Provider interfaces. When deselecting a management protocol, the system will deny access from both interfaces. For configuring the next steps and installing the system on the network, HTTP and/or HTTPS and SSH must be enabled.

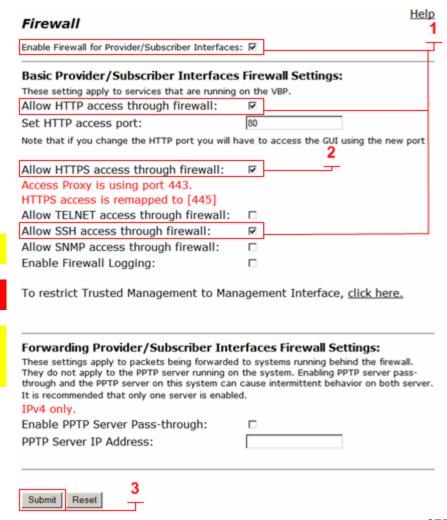
### Select - > Security

- Enable Firewall for Provider/Subscriber Interfaces (1) By default this will be enabled on the system. Disabling the firewall is not recommended and is required to be enabled for Access Proxy and VoIP Traversal firewall support.
- Allow HTTP access through firewall (1) Enabled by default. HTTP can be disabled after testing HTTPS connectivity to the system.
- 3. Allow HTTPS access through firewall (2) Enable to manage the system with HTTPS.
- Allow SSH access through firewall (1) Enabled by default for advanced troubleshooting and access to the CLI interface. SSH can be disabled after the system is configured and tested.
- 5. Select **Submit** to commit the change (3)

Note: These protocols are used for management to the system. The VBP-ST system does not provide a data NAT feature.

Note: You must allow management access before continuing to the next step.

Note: You must allow either HTTPS or HTTP to continue to manage the system after testing has been performed. SSH will only be required during the initial configuration or for accessing the system to debug an issue.



# Configure the VBP-ST SBC Network parameters

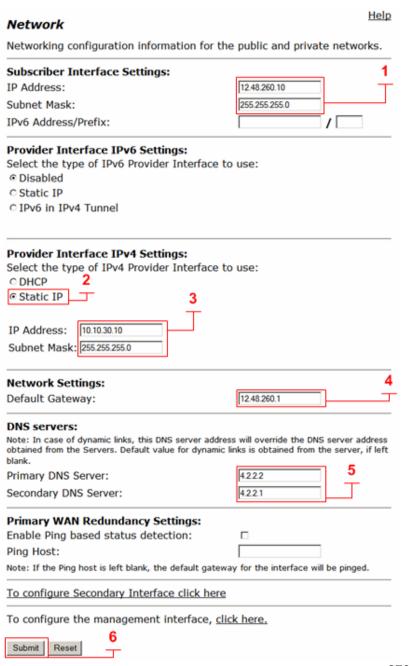
Select - > Network

- Subscriber Interface Settings (1) Enter the Public IPv4 or IPv6 address for the system. Note: On the VBP-ST 5300LF and 5300LF2 chassis the Subscriber is Port 1 on the front panel.
- Subnet Mask (1) Enter the subnet mask for the Subscriber network.
- Provider Interface IPv4 Settings Select -- > (2) Static IP Enter the Private IPv4 or IPv6 address for the system. Note: On the VBP-ST 5300LF and 5300LF2 chassis the Provider Ethernet port is Port 2 on the front panel.
- Subnet Mask (3) Enter the subnet mask for the Provider network.
- Default Gateway (4) Enter the IPv4 address of the Subscriber network default router.
- DNS servers (5) Enter valid DNS server IPv4 addresses for the Primary and Secondary DNS server fields.
- 7. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (6)

The system will now apply the IPv4 addresses configured on the Subscriber and Provider interfaces. Install the VBP-ST system onto the network by connecting Port 1 to the public network switch and connect port 2 to the private network switch. Open a new Web browser and enter <a href="http://10.10.30.10">https://10.10.30.10</a> to complete the installation tasks.

Note: Terminology clarification – the VBP-ST uses the terms Subscriber and Provider. The VBP-E uses the terms WAN/LAN. This is why both terms are in the GUI. When configuring with the VBP-ST the Subscriber interface = WAN and Provider = LAN.

- Subscriber-side interface is installed on the WAN/Internet
- Provider-side interface is installed on the LAN



# Configure the VBP-ST SBC ALG H.323 Settings

When deploying VBP-ST with legacy remote Access Proxy, H.460 or VBP-E system in WAN Side gatekeeper mode, the system must be configured to forward the H.323 traffic to the WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper for H.323 call control.

#### Select - > VoIP ALG - > H.323

- 1. **WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode (1)** Select to enable WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode.
- 2. **WAN/Provider-side GK address (2)** Enter the IPv4 gatekeeper address the system will forward to.
- 3. **Delete stale clients (3)** Enable to delete clients that have not registered to the system in the time specified by the configured Stale time.
- 4. **Stale time (m) (4)** Enter the value in minutes in which the system will delete inactive H.323/H.460 clients. **Note: this feature should be enabled for mobile clients.**
- 5. **H.460.18 Support (5)** Select to enable the system for H.460 traversal support.
- 6. **Keep-alive time (s) (6)** Enter the time in seconds the system will configure the client for registration frequency. Most H.323/H.460 clients will divide the value by half, e.g. if a value of 60 is entered, the client will send registration messages every 30 seconds.
- 7. Select **Submit** to commit the changes. (7)

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1.323 protocol settings.
Catekeeper mode The gatekeeper mode configuration specifies whether the system should work in WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode, Peering-Proxy mode, or embedded gatekeeper mode.  C None (H.323 is disabled)  WAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode  C Peering-Proxy mode (configure prefixes)
VAN/Provider-side gatekeeper mode settings
he H.323 gatekeeper that all client traffic shall be forwarded to.
VAN/Provider-side GK address: 10.10.30.50
Modify Time-To-Live: □ 2
lew Time-To-Live (s): 300
Satekeeper reachability: Reachable
Stale Time The system can automatically delete clients when they have not sent any registration requests for a given period of time. 3 Delete stale clients:
Multicast Messages  Some RAS messages can be multicast in order to automatically detect gatekeepers.  Listen to multicast messages:
H.460.18 Support H.460.18 allows the system to do NAT/Firewall traversal for clients behind NAT and/or firewall devices.  © Disabled  © Enabled  Ceep-alive time (s):
Alias Restrictions
The maximum number of aliases to be allowed to register
Max Aliases: 0
Submit Reset 7

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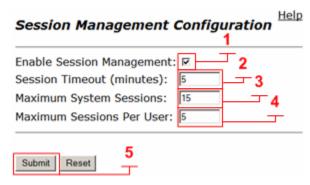
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# **User and Session Management**

VBP user and session management allows the system to create non-root user accounts for system management and audit logging. Enabling session management is required before enabling user management.

Select - > Security - > Session Management

- Enable Session Management (1) Select to enable session management of the system. After submitting the changes, you will be prompted to log back in with the root account, root/default
- 2. **Session Timeout (minutes) (2)** Enter the time in minutes in which the session will expire. Configurable range is 5 to 60 minutes.
- 3. **Maximum System Session (3)** Enter the maximum system management session allowed for the system. Configurable range is 1 to 100
- 4. **Maximum Session Per User (4)** Enter the maximum session a user can open to the system. Configurable range is 1 to 10.
- 5. Select **Submit** to commit the change. (5)



When the changes are saved, you will now be prompted to log back into the system. The **Session Management** page will now display all active sessions to the system and the system will now display a **Sign Out (1)** function on top of every page.

# List of Active Session Fields (2)

- User User account name. A '(self)' identifier indicates that the session information belongs to the current session.
- 2. Session ID Session ID
- 3. **IP** IP Address of the client browser
- 4. **Signed On** Time-stamp of login, or session creation.
- 5. **Last Activity** Time-stamp of last activity in the session.

# Enable Session Management: Enable Session Management: Session Timeout (minutes): Maximum System Sessions: Maximum Sessions Per User: List Of Active Sessions: x User Session ID IP Signed On Last Activity (self) root 0899522f4dd0a23fd613244e0738b02e30002 12.48.280.1 | Mon May 16 04:04:15 2011 | Mon May 16 04:04:46 2011

# Deleting a session:

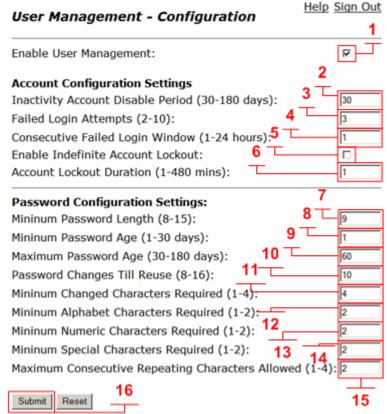
Clicking on the Trash-Can Icon will cause the corresponding session to be deleted after confirmation. The current session cannot be deleted.

# **User Management**

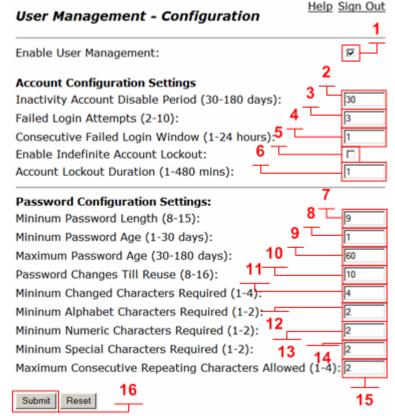
User management allows the system to create two users: Administrators and Auditors. Administrators have full access to the system and Auditors can only view system settings and download audit logs.

Select - > Security - > User Management

- 1. **Enable User Management (1)** Select the enable user management of the system. After submitting the changes, you will be warned on the next log in that the new user is admin with a password of default.
- 2. Select **Submit** to commit the change. When the system returns, you will now see the displayed user and password options.
- 3. **Inactivity Account Disable Period (2)** The period after which in-active accounts will be disabled. Configurable range is 30-180 days.
- 4. **Failed Login Attempts (3)** Number of allowed failed login attempts due to invalid passwords before a user account is locked. Configurable range is 2-10 attempts.
- 5. Consecutive Failed Login Window (4) Time period for which the failed login counter is maintained. The failed login count for users is reset to zero when the failed login window expires. Configurable range is 1-24 hours.
- 6. Enable Indefinite Account Lockout (5) Select to enable. Determines whether the account lockout duration is applied. When indefinite lockout is enabled, a user locked out due to excessive failed login attempts will need to be unlocked by an administrator. When disabled, the configured account lockout duration setting will be applied. The default admin user cannot be locked out; hence, an indefinite lockout does not apply to the default admin.
- Account Lockout Duration (6) Duration for which a user account will be locked out due to excessive failed login attempts. Is not applicable when indefinite lockout setting is enabled. Configurable range is 1-480 minutes.
- 8. **Minimum Password Length (7)** Minimum number of required characters a password must contain. Note: Maximum password length is 32 characters. Configurable range is 8-15 characters
- 9. **Minimum Password Age (8) -** Minimum number of days before a password can be changed. Configurable range 1-30 days.
- 10. **Maximum Password Age (9)** Maximum number of days after password change after which a password expires. Configurable range is 30-180 days. Once a user's password has reached the maximum age, the user will be forced perform a password change prior to gaining system access. A user account will be disabled if the user fails to perform a password change after three notifications of password expiration.
- 11. **Password Changes Until Reuse (10)** Number of password changes before a given password can be reused. To prevent password flipping, the user will be denied the ability to re-use recently used passwords. Configurable range 8-16 previous passwords.

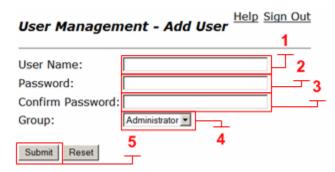


- 12. **Minimum Changed Characters Required (11)** Minimum number of characters that must be changed from the previously used password Configurable range is 1-4.
- 13. **Minimum Alphabet Characters Required (12) -** Minimum number of alphabet characters a password must contain. Configurable range is 1-2.
- 14. **Minimum Numeric Characters Required (13) -** Minimum number of numeric characters a password must contain. Configurable range is 1-2.
- 15. **Minimum Special Characters Required (14) -** Minimum number of special characters a password must contain. Configurable range is 1-2. Special characters are the non-alphabet or numeric ASCII characters between between codes 33 and 127.
- 16. Maximum Consecutive Repeating Characters Allowed (15) -Maximum number of consecutive repeating characters that are allowed in the password
- 17. Select **Submit** to commit the change (16)



Select - > Security - > User Management - > Add User

- User Name (1) Name of the user account. Can be of length 1-32 characters. Alphabet, numeric, and the special characters '.', '@' and '\_' are allowed.
- 2. **Password (2)** User account password. Can be of length 8-32 characters. You can use alphabet, numeric, and the special characters. Special characters are the non-alphabet or numeric ASCII characters between codes 33 and 127. Passwords must meet the following complexity requirements:
  - a. Must have a minimum length in the range of 8-15 characters, depending on the configured value.
  - b. Must contain the minimum configured number of alphabet, numeric, and special characters. Configurable range is 1-2 character for each character class.
  - c. Must not exceed the maximum number of consecutive repeating characters that are allowed in the password. Configurable range is 1-4 repeating characters.
  - d. Must contain the minimum configured number of changed characters from the previously used password. Configurable range is 1-4 characters
  - e. Must not be identical to configured number of previously used password. Configurable range is 8-16 previously used passwords.
- 3. Confirm Password (3) Repeated entry of the password
- 4. **Group** (4) User group which the user will belong to. Selectable groups from the drop down menu are:
  - a. **Administrator** The Administrator user has the ability to configure the IP address of the system, to add/remove other account, and to configure the system's core settings. Administrator does have rights to the audit logs.
  - b. **Auditor** Auditors can review system information, Audit, and CDR logs. Auditors have rights to delete audit and CDR logs. Auditors cannot change settings on the system.
- 5. Select **Submit** to commit the change (5)



Help Sign Out

# User Management - View Users

User	Group	Status	Action	Last login Date	Last Login IP	Active Sessions	Passwd Changed Date			Failed Logins
VBPadmin	admin	Active	Change Password	2011/05/16 16:30:23	12.48.280.1	1	2011/05/16	NA	NA	0
VBPauditor	audit	Password Hold	Reset Password   Delete   Disable	NA	NA	0	2011/05/16	NA	NA	0

Select - > Security - > User Management - > View User

- 1. **User**: User account name
- 2. **Group**: Group name user belongs to.
- 3. **Status** The following are the status options for user state;
  - a. <u>Active</u> An account becomes active after creation and a password change. An account remains active during the life of the account password and unless the account password expires, the user is locked out due to failed password attempts or manually disabled by an administrator.
  - b. <u>Password Hold</u> Is an indicator that the user will be required to change the account password on the next login. A user account is placed in this state when the account is first created or enabled after being disabled.
  - c. <u>Disabled</u> A disabled account cannot gain access to the system unless manually enabled by an administrator. Enabling a user account requires a password reset by the administrator. An enabled account will first enter in to 'Password Hold' state, and will only transition into the 'Active' state when the user logs on with the reset password provided by an administrator and successfully changes the password.
  - d. <u>Password Expired</u>: An account enters into password expired state when the password has exceeded the configured maximum password age. The Configurable range is 30-180 days.
  - e. <u>Locked</u> An account enters into locked state when the user has exceeded the failed login count threshold. The 'Failed Login Attempts' setting in the User Management Configuration page allows a range of 2-10 failed login attempts. A locked account will remain locked indefinitely if the "Enable Indefinite Account Lockout' setting is enabled in the User Management Configuration Page. The above applies with an exception for the last active administrator account on the system. In that case, the administrator account will only be locked for 1 minute. If the "Enable Indefinite Account Lockout' setting is unchecked, the configured 'Lockout Duration' becomes effective. The configurable range for the lock out duration is 1-480 minutes. When a user is locked, the 'unlocked' action becomes available in the 'Action' field of the user information view.

#### 4. Actions:

- a. <u>Change Password</u> The change password action is available for the administrator account that is currently logged on. Clicking on this action provides a dialog for changing a user's password. The current password is required for a password change. A user may only change password once the minimum password age is exceeded. Password complexity restrictions must be adhered to. Refer to the 'Password Field Information' section below.
- b. Reset Password The reset password action is available for all accounts, except the account which is currently logged on. A password cannot be reset by owner of the account. Refer to the 'Password Field Information' section below.
- c. <u>Disable</u> The disable action is available for all accounts. A user account can be disabled in any state.
- d. <u>Unlock</u> The unlock action is only available for accounts that are in 'Locked' State.

- e. <u>Delete</u> The delete action is available for all accounts except the account that is currently logged in. A delete will fail if performed against the last active administrator on the system.
- 5. Last Login Date: Time-stamp of last successful login.
- 6. Last Login IP: IP Address of the last successful login.
- 7. **Active Sessions**: Number of active sessions for the user.
- 8. Last Failed Login Date: Time-stamp of the last failed login.
- 9. Last Failed Login IP: IP Address of the last failed login.
- 10. Failed Logins: Count of failed logins

# System Audit

This page provides configuration settings for the audit logging facility, and dialogs for viewing audit logs. Audit users are also permitted to download and clear audit logs.

Select - > Security - > System Audit

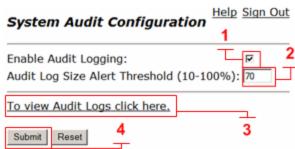
- Enable Audit Logging Check to enable the audit log facility and unchecked to disable.
- 2. Audit Log Size Alert Threshold (10-100%): Log file size alert. Percentage of full capacity at which an alert will be sent to audit and system alert logs. A threshold range of 10-100% can be configured.
- View Audit Logs Follow the link "To View Audit Logs"
  - a. Audit Log Fields;
    - i. **Date**: Time stamp of event occurrence.
    - ii. **User**: User performing the event.
    - iii. Event Type: Type of Event. Following event types are recorded by the audit facility:
      - user-authorization User authorization config-change - Changes to the device configuration system-alert - Miscellaneous system alerts, e.g Log size alert.
      - 2. **Event Severity**: Severity of the event

INFO - Informational

WARN - Warning

ERROR - Error

- 3. **Event Status**: Failure or success status of an event. Note: a failure or success may apply, in which case an NA indicator is displayed.
- 4. **Message** Additional details about the entry
- 4. **Clear Audit logs** Available for audit users only. Follow the link to clear audit logs. Note: Audit logs can only be cleared when all records have been backed-up via a download.
- 5. **Download Audit logs** Available for audit users only. Follow the link to download audit logs. Note: Audit logs can only be cleared when all records have been backed-up via a download. The download link is only available when there are entries in the log file.



In the following audit log example the VBPadmin user (1) for IP address 12.48.280.1 (2) modified the default alias on the VOIP ALG - > H.323 page (3).

Date	User Src IP		Event Type	Event Sev	Event Status	Hessage			
2011-05-16 16:50:48	system	NA		config- change	INFO	SUCCESS	[pg:135] Initial entry /etc/config/audit.conf::AUDIT_LOG_SIZE_ALERT_THRESHOLD: value=70		
2011-05-16 16:50:48						system-alert	INFO	SUCCESS	Audit logging has been enabled by user: admin
2011-05-16 16:54:32	VBPadmin	12.48.280.1		user- authorization	INFO	SUCCESS	User 'VBPadmin' has signed on from 12.48.280.1		
2011-05-16 16:56:43	system	12.48.280.1		user- authorization	INFO	NA	Session terminated for user 'admin', In-activity timeout reached		
2011-05-16 16:56:53			280.1	user- authorization	INFO	SUCCESS	User 'admin' has signed on from 12.48.280.1		
2011-05-16 16:57:08	admin	12.48.280.1		user- authorization	INFO	SUCCESS	User 'admin' has signed on from 12.48.280.1		
2011-05-16 17:04:20	system	12.48.280.1		user- authorization	INFO	NA	Session terminated for user 'VBPadmin', In-activity timeout reached		
2011-05-16 17:04:21	system 12.48.280.1		user- authorization	INFO	NA.	Session terminated for user 'admin', In-activity timeout reached			
2011-05-16 17:04:21	system	12.48.280.1		user- authorization	INFO	NA:	Session terminated for user 'admin', In-activity timeout reached		
2011-05-16 17:08:47	VBPadmin	/BPadmin 12.48.280.1		user- authorization	INFO	SUCCESS	User 'VBPadmin' has signed on from 12.48.280.1		
2011-05-16 17:09:37	VBPadmin	NA		config- change	INFO	SUCCESS	[pg:S3] Modified /etc/config/alg_defs.conf::H323_DEF_ALIAS : old value=9004, new value=8315551500		
2011-05-16 17:09:57	VBPadmin	12.48.	280.1	user- authorization	INFO	SUCCESS	User 'VBPadmin' has signed on from 12.48.280.1		
Displaying 1 - 12 of 12 Records	1	-	2	10.			3		
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# Stateful Failover

Stateful failover of the system was designed to support Ethernet-connected SIP trunking applications only. Other applications that require additional call state (e.g. multi-line appearances for IP phones) may not work correctly upon an activity switch. For these applications, as well as applications using SIP or H.323 over TCP, an activity switch will still occur; however, the voice or video calls may need to be re-established.

Stateful Failover is designed to eliminate a single point of failure in a network configuration. Two systems can be configured to act as a redundant pair. One of the systems is the designated Primary system; the other is the designated Secondary system. Normally, the Primary system is the Active system and the Secondary system is the Standby system.

If the Primary system fails because of a network or hardware failure, the Secondary system will take over and become the new Active system.

### Status updates and State transfer

The system is configured to send status updates to the other system by specifying the IP addresses of the other system on a per-link basis. State transfer must be enabled for at least one of the addresses in order for stateful failover to work. When enabling state transfer for multiple links, you have a higher chance of successful state transfer during link failures. The side effect of this is the state transfer causes extra network traffic on that link.

For example, if you only enable state transfer on the LAN/Subscriber interface, and this link fails causing the secondary system to become active, the primary system will no longer be able to receive state updates. That means that if the link is restored, the primary system will take over without a full state transfer. To prevent this, you can enable state transfer on the WAN/Provider interface and the management interface as well to ensure that state transfer is successful during link failure.

# **Administratively Disabled**

If the system or connected components needs to be taken offline for maintenance, reconfiguration, or firmware upgrades, you can set the system to Administratively Disabled mode. While this mode is enabled, the system will give up the Active mode and will not attempt to regain the Active mode. This will persist across reboots so that a firmware upgrade can be tested before reactivating the system.

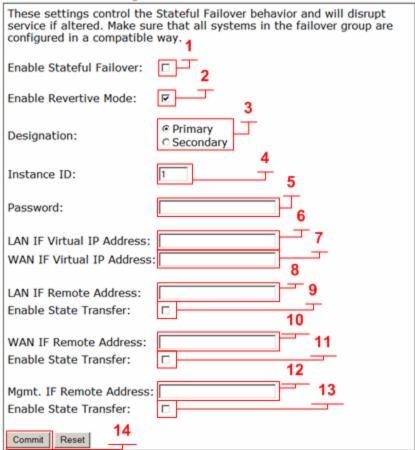
Be aware that enabling this checkbox (1) will cause the other system to take over. If there is no other system, voice and video services will be disrupted. Also, while the system is in this mode, it will not take over for the other system in case of a failure. Select **Commit** to commit the change (2)

# Administratively Disabled The system can be put in an administrative down state. This will cause the system to give up service and not attempt to retake the active state. This can be used for maintenance, configuration changes, or upgrading the system. Administratively Disabled:

Select - > System - > Stateful Failover

- Enable Stateful Failover (1) Check the Enable Stateful Failover check-box.
- 2. **Enable Revertive Mode (2)** If you do not want the system to revert to the higher priority host when it is functional, you can uncheck the Enable Revertive Mode check-box.
- 3. **Designation (3)** Select the Designation. One system should be Primary and one system should be Secondary.
- 4. **Instance ID (4)** Enter the Instance ID. Both systems in the same failover group should have the same instance ID. At the same time, this instance ID must be unique for that group in order not to cause multiple failover groups on the same network to disrupt each other.
- 5. **Password (5)** Type the Password used by the systems in the group. The password must be the same on all systems.
- 6. **LAN IF Virtual Address (6)** Enter the LAN Virtual IP Address or Subscriber Virtual IP Address. This is one of the common virtual IP addresses to be shared between the two systems.
- 7. **WAN IF Virtual Address (7)** Enter the WAN Virtual IP Address or Provider Virtual IP Address. This is the other common virtual IP addresses to be shared between the two systems.
- 8. **LAN IF Remote Address (8)** Enter the LAN Remote Address or Subscriber Remote Address. This is the actual address of the other system on this interface. This is used to connect to the other system and transfer state information.
- 9. **Enable State Transfer (9)** Select **Enable State Transfer** if you want state transfer to take place over this link.
- 10. WAN IF Remote Address (10) Enter the WAN Remote Address or Provider Remote Address. This is the actual address of the other system on this interface. This is used to connect to the other system and transfer state information.
- 11. Enable State Transfer (11) Select Enable State Transfer if you want state transfer to take place over this link.
- 12. **Mgmt IF Address (12)** Enter the Mgmt. Remote Address. This is the actual address of the other system on the management interface. This is used to connect to the other system and transfer state information. This setting is optional.
- 13. Enable State Transfer (13) Select Enable State Transfer if you want state transfer to take place over this link.
- 14. Select **Submit** to commit the change (14)

#### Stateful Failover Configuration



# **Traffic Shaper Configuration**

The traffic shaper page allows you to ensure that high priority real-time data is processed before lower priority non-real-time data. Use the following procedure to configure the traffic shaper.

Note: VBP-ST does not have a traffic Shaping webUI, the systems ALG on the VBP-ST will mark the TOS values as 0xb8 or DIFFServ AF46 by default. Contact support if you wish to change this value.

# Configuring the Traffic Shaper

Choose **Traffic Shaper** from the primary web configuration menu.

As you configure the functions featured on the page, review the following list:

# **Enable Traffic Shaping**

Select this checkbox to enable traffic shaping.

Note: With traffic shaping disabled, the endpoints that are registered to the system's ALG will still have their layer 3 packets marked as TOS 0xb8 or DIFFServ AF46. Data traffic by default will be re-written to 0x00 (See Enable TOS Byte Stripping.)

# **Primary and Secondary WAN Downstream Bandwidth**

Enter the total actual downstream bandwidth that applies to your Primary and Secondary WAN connection. This value is entered in Kbps; for example, 1024 = 1 Mbps.

# **Primary and Secondary WAN Upstream Bandwidth**

Enter the total actual upstream bandwidth that applies to your Primary and Secondary WAN connection. This value is entered in Kbps; for example 1024 = 1 Mbps.

# **Enable Priority IP Address**

To specify a device in the network as high priority, you can manually add its IP address to the list of high priority devices. Use care when entering IP addresses in this list. Devices that consume all the bandwidth may cause media quality problems. Enter an individual IP or range, for example 192.168.1.10-150. To delete an entry, highlight it and press the Delete key on your keyboard.

# **Enable TOS based routing**

By default, this option is not selected. When enabled, this causes all H.323 packets to be forcefully routed through the main WAN interface. This is used in rare configurations where you want the default route to be other than the WAN interface (for example, VPN) and you want VoIP traffic to still be routed through the WAN. This option should NOT be enabled for most configurations.

# **Enable TOS Byte Stripping**

By default, this option is selected. For all RTP traffic (voice and video) the system marks the TOS byte as High Priority, and strips (set to 0) the TOS byte for all other traffic. When this option is not selected, the TOS byte will not be stripped from non-RTP traffic, but will remain unchanged.

Note: Devices that use the ALG function (i.e. H.323 endpoints) are already marked as high priority and do not need to be in this list. All data from IP addresses in this list has the same priority as voice data. Poorly behaved data may cause voice quality problems. Use with caution!

#### **Expedited Forwarding (Default)**

This setting uses expedited forwarding as the forwarding rule.

#### **IP Precedence**

This setting uses classification of IP layer packets to determine priority.

#### **Assured Forwarding**

This setting assures that the packets will be forwarded.

#### **Custom Value**

For non-standard per-hop behavior, this field permits the use of a custom rule.

#### **Enable Call Admission Control**

Select this checkbox to enable the Call Admission Control.

#### **Maximum Number of Calls Allowed**

Determine and enter the number of calls that can be supported. If CAC is enabled and H.323 is used, then you must account for the total number of RTP streams that will be created. H.323 calls use multiple RTP streams for each video call, typically around 6-12 streams. For example, if your endpoints typically use 8 streams/call, then to allow 3 H.323 calls the CAC must be set to at least 24.

Note: It is not recommended to enable CAC when using H.323; instead, the "H.323 Maximum Bandwidth" setting is the recommended method to limit video calls.

Click Submit.

A message indicates that service will be temporarily interrupted.

Click OK to confirm.

# Diagnostics and Troubleshooting

This chapter describes how to use the diagnostic information, troubleshooting tools, and system maintenance utilities on the VBP series appliance.

# Viewing Version, Hardware Platform and LAN MAC Address

The software version, hardware platform, and LAN MAC address are common pieces of information requested by technical support. You can obtain this information from the **System** page.

To ensure that you are running the latest software version, visit our support website for a complete listing of software releases at: http://www.polycom.com/support/network/security\_firewall\_traversal/

## Viewing the ALG Registration Code

You will also find a link to the ALG registration code on the **System** page. The registration code enables the ALG and is pre-installed at the factory.

# **Entering the Registration Code**

If the registration code is inadvertently deleted you can re-enter the code.

- 1. Choose **System** from the Configuration Menu.
- 2. Click License Key.
- 3. Click Edit License Key.
- 4. Enter the **License Key** (registration code).
- 5. The registration code is printed on the sticker located on the bottom of the VBP series appliance.
- 6. Click Submit.

A message indicates that service will be temporarily interrupted.

7. Click **OK** to confirm.

# Viewing Networking Information

To view the networking configuration and status of the VBP series appliance, open the **Network Information** page.

Choose **System > Network Information** from the Configuration Menu.

The Network Information page includes the following information:

#### **Routing Information**

The system routing table contains the static routes for hosts and networks that are configured on the VBP series appliance. If only the LAN and WAN IP addresses have been configured multiple lines are displayed:

The private subnet associated with the LAN interface
A public subnet present for the WAN interface
An entry for the VBP series appliance loopback interface
An entry for each IPSec tunnel
The VBP series appliance's default gateway forwarding to the WAN interface

Additional lines may be displayed depending on the contents of the **Route** pages. Each entry on one of these pages causes an additional entry in the routing table.

#### **Link Status**

Link Status shows the status of the Ethernet interfaces. Ethernet autonegotiation is often unreliable, especially between different vendors or old and new networking equipment. Failure of autonegotiation is generally not a cause for concern. However, if the negotiated rates change intermittently or if the link is reported as down, the link rate may need to be set manually on the Set Link page. Incompatible rates can cause a loss of communication with the VBP series appliance. Intermittent data and voice outages may be caused by link "flapping" when the two endpoints of the Ethernet cable cannot reach agreement using autonegotiation. If the link rate is set manually, make sure that the device at the far end of the connection can communicate at the desired rate.

#### **Interface Information**

The specific status and configuration information for the system interfaces is displayed in the Interface Information section.

The interface statistics can point to areas of congestion in the network. If the errors statistic is a few percent or more of the total packets sent, it may be an indication of excessive congestion on the network interface.

If this congestion is not corrected the quality of voice calls will be affected. The topology of the network attached to the network interface with the errors should be examined and modified to better segment and isolate network traffic.

# **Using Troubleshooting Tools**

The VBP series appliance provides convenient test tools to facilitate problem isolation and resolution. A network operator can use these tools to verify connectivity to and from the VBP series appliance and to trace data paths to endpoints throughout the network.

# **Ping and Traceroute Tests**

The **Network Test Tools** page provides an easy way to perform a ping test or traceroute test. To access the Network Test Tools page, select **System > Network Test Tools** in the Configuration Menu.

#### **Performing a Ping Test**

A ping test is the most common test used to verify basic connectivity to a networking device. Successful ping test results indicate that both physical and virtual path connections exist between the VBP series appliance and the test IP address. A successful ping test does not guarantee that all data traffic is allowed between the VBP series appliance and the test IP address, but it is useful to verify basic reachability.

- 1. Choose **System > Network Test Tools** from the Configuration Menu.
- 2. Enter an address in the IP Address to Ping field.
- 3. Click Ping.

The Network Test Tools page reopens to display results of the ping test. (This may take several seconds.)

4. Click Reset to clear the data.

#### Performing a Traceroute Test

A traceroute test is used to track the progress of a packet through the network. The test can be used to verify that data destined for a WAN device reaches the remote IP address via the desired path. Similarly, internal network paths can be traced over the LAN to verify the local network topology.

- 1. Choose **System > Network Test Tools** from the Configuration Menu.
- 2. Enter an address in the IP address to Trace field.
- 3. Select WAN or LAN.
- 4. Click Traceroute.

The Network Test Tools page reopens to display results of the test. (This may take several seconds.)

5. Click **Reset** to clear the data.

# **Networking Restart**

Technical support may request that networking services be restarted during a troubleshooting session. In this case, you can use the **Network Restart** page to stop and restart all the networking services that are running on the system.

#### Restart networking services

- 1. Choose **System > Restart** to open the Networking Restart page.
- 2. Click Submit.
- 3. A message indicates that service will be temporarily interrupted.
- 4. Click **OK** to confirm.

Note: Restarting network services will interrupt the system for up to a minute. All voice, video and data sessions currently in progress will be interrupted. Proceed with caution.

# Rebooting the System

Rebooting the system stops all networking services and reboots the system. The operating system and networking services will be loaded from scratch. Reboot is functionally equivalent to power cycling the system. Technical support may request that the system be rebooted during a troubleshooting session.

Note: As an alternative to rebooting, you can perform a reset locally by temporarily disconnecting the power cable from the VBP series appliance.

## Reboot the system

- 1. Choose **System > Reboot System** from the Configuration Menu.
- 2. Click Reboot.
- 3. Click Submit.

A message indicates warns that rebooting the system will interrupt services for a few minutes.

4. Click **OK** to confirm.

Note: Rebooting the system will interrupt services for a few minutes. All voice, video and data sessions currently in progress will be interrupted. Proceed with caution.

# Using T1 Diagnostics

Open the T1 Diagnostics page to display T1 diagnostic information and statistics and run diagnostic commands.

# Perform T1 diagnostics

- 1. Choose **System > T1 Diagnostics** from the Configuration Menu.
- 2. Select the loopback test you want to run from a pull-down list, and click **Submit** for the desired interface.
- 3. Select the BERT test type from the BERT menu and click **Submit**.

The BERT test sends a framed Quasi Random Bit Sequence (QRBS) on the T1 link and monitors the receive path for bit errors. A BERT test is usually run in conjunction with a network loopback at the remote end so that the test pattern sent by the VBP appliance can be compared to the pattern received on the same interface. The VBP can send a QRBS 2^15-1 and a QRBS 2^20-1 pattern.

Note: The VBP series appliance also responds to network generated, AT&T formatted loop up/down codes. Loopback codes sent from far end equipment will loop the T1 interfaces back towards the network.

The T1 Status shows the current alarm state and indicates if there is a loopback or BERT test in progress.

The T1 Diagnostics page displays the current 15-minute (CUR) and 24-hour total (SUM) statistics for the T1 interfaces. This information allows you to compare performance from different time intervals.

### View T1 Statistics

- 1. Choose **System > T1 Diagnostics** from the Configuration Menu.
- 2. Click **Reset** to clear the statistics for the current interval.
- 3. A message indicates that service will be temporarily interrupted.
- 4. Click **OK** to confirm.

# View advanced T1 diagnostics

- 1. Choose **System > T1 Diagnostics** from the Configuration Menu.
- 2. Click T1 advanced diagnostics page
- 3. The page displays data for each 15-minute interval over the last 24 hours.

Note: The oldest-15 minute interval is removed from the 24-hour total as each new 15-minute interval is added.

# **Device Configuration Management**

This chapter describes the tools available to manage the VBP series appliance configuration.

# Overview

The VBP appliance stores all configuration information for the system in a series of individual files that reside in local flash memory. These files are read at boot time to determine the configuration of the VBP appliance and then stored in RAM as running state.

The VBP appliance provides a utility that enables the administrator to copy the individual configuration files stored in flash to a single system configuration file. This configuration file can then be used as a backup for the entire system and restored at a later date if necessary. Multiple backup files with different system configurations can also be created and stored locally in the VBP appliance or on remote TFTP servers.

The Command Line Interface (CLI) provides access to these files and the utility that enables you to copy them. The CLI can be accessed with a local terminal connection or remotely using SSH.

Follow these guidelines when connecting to the CLI:

Use a straight-through or null modem cable to connect to the console port of the VBP series appliance (Note: 5300xxx appliances use a null modem cable).

Use a terminal emulator such as HyperTerminal set to a baud rate of 9600, 8 data bits, 1 stop bit, NONE for flow control. Alternatively, you can connect to the VBP series appliance remotely using SSH. Log on as root and enter the password provided by Polycom support.

Note: Only two backup files can be stored in the VBP series appliance's flash memory because of size constraints. Also, it is recommended that you create a backup file after any configuration changes are made to the VBP series appliance. This is to prevent the loss of any configuration changes made since your last backup in the event that you must restore the system configuration.

# Using the configuration backup command

The ewn command is used to perform backup file operations with the Command Line Interface (CLI).

The syntax for the ewn command is as follows: USAGE:

```
ewn help|list
ewn save|load|delete [file name]
ewn upload|download [file name] [ip address]
```

where file name must use extension .conf1 or .conf2

At the command prompt (bash#), you can create the backup file, store it to local flash, copy it to a remote TFTP server, copy it from a remote TFTP server, delete it, load it, or list all available backup files.

## Creating a backup file and save to local flash

The following command creates a backup file of the current running configuration and saves it to local flash memory:

bash# ewn save <filename>

Filename format (must use extension .conf1 or .conf2):

<filename1>.conf1

<filename2>.conf2

<filenameX> can be a combination of both letters and characters. For example, EWNxx\_041503.conf1 or location1\_Exx00.conf2. Trying to use any other filename format will result in the error message: "EWN\_ERROR\_BAD\_FILE\_NAME".

Note: The .conf extensions have special significance. If you save a configuration with <filename-new>.conf1, any existing older <filename-old>.conf1 will be overwritten with the new one.

# Copy a backup file to a remote TFTP server

The following commands copies a backup file from the VBP series appliance to a TFTP server.

bash# ewn upload <filename> <tftp server IP Address>

# Download a backup file from a remote TFTP server

The following command downloads a backup file from a TFTP server to the VBP series appliance. bash# ewn download <filename> <tftp server IP Address>

# List available backup files

The following command lists all backup files stored in flash memory. If no file has been saved, the command will only return the bash# prompt.

bash# ewn list

# Delete a backup file

The following command deletes the specified the backup file:

bash# ewn delete <filename>

# Loading a backup file to become the running configuration

The following command loads the specified backup file into RAM and makes it the active running configuration.

bash# ewn load <filename>

Note: Issuing this command will automatically restart the VBP series appliance and therefore interrupt any active H.323 calls and data sessions.

# Regulatory Notices

#### **Important Safeguards**

Read and understand the following instructions before using the system:

- Close supervision is necessary when the system is used by or near children. Do not leave unattended while in use.
- Only use electrical extension cords with a current rating at least equal to that of the system.
- Always disconnect the system from power before cleaning and servicing and when not in use.
- Do not spray liquids directly onto the system when cleaning. Always apply the liquid first to a static free cloth.
- Do not immerse the system in any liquid or place any liquids on it.
- Do not disassemble this system. To reduce the risk of shock and to maintain the warranty on the system, a qualified technician must perform service or repair work.
- Connect this appliance to a grounded outlet.
- Only connect the system to surge protected power outlets.
- Keep ventilation openings free of any obstructions.

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# Appendix A Compliance and Compatibility for the VBP 200EW Converged Network Appliance

# **WIRELESS**

US Public Safety 4.9 GHz band

# **INDUSTRY CANADA (IC) NOTICE**

This Class (A) digital apparatus complies with Canadian ICES-003.

This equipment meets the applicable Industry Canada Terminal Equipment Technical Specifications. This is confirmed by the registration number. The abbreviation, IC, before the registration number signifies that registration was performed based on a Declaration of Conformity indicating that Industry Canada technical specifications were met. It does not imply that Industry Canada approved the equipment. Before installing this equipment, users should ensure that it is permissible to be connected to the facilities of the local telecommunications company. The equipment must also be installed using an acceptable method of connection. The customer should be aware that compliance with the above conditions may not prevent degradation of service in some situations. Repairs to certified equipment should be coordinated by a representative designated by the supplier. Any repairs or alterations made by a user to this equipment, or equipment malfunctions, may give the telephone communications company cause to request the user to disconnect the equipment. Users should ensure for their own protection, that the electrical ground connections of the power utility, telephone lines and internal metallic water pipe system, if present, are connected together. This precaution may be particularly important in rural areas".

#### Caution

Users should not attempt to make such connections themselves, but should contact the appropriate electric inspection authority, or electrician, as appropriate."

# Appendix B Compliance and Compatibility for the VBP 200E Converged Network Appliance

#### Warning

This is a Class A product. In a domestic environment, this product may cause radio interference in which case the user may be required to take adequate measures.

# **USA AND CANADIAN NOTICES**

# Part 15 FCC Rules - Class A Digital Device or Peripheral

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at his own expense.

In accordance with Part 15 of the FCC rules, the user is cautioned that any changes or modifications not expressly approved by Polycom Inc. could void the user's authority to operate this equipment.

The socket outlet to which this apparatus is connected must be installed near the equipment and must always be readily accessible.

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- 1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and
- 2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

# Industry Canada (IC)

This Class [A] digital apparatus complies with Canadian ICES-003.

Cet appareil numerique de la Classe [A] est conforme à la norme NMB-003 du Canada.

The Industry Canada label identifies certified equipment. This certification means that the equipment meets telecommunications network protective, operational and safety requirements as prescribed in the appropriate Terminal Equipment Technical Requirements document(s). The Department does not guarantee the equipment will operate to the user's satisfaction.

Before installing this equipment, users should ensure that it is permissible to be connected to the facilities of the local telecommunications company. The equipment must also be installed using an acceptable method of connection. The customer should be aware that compliance with the above conditions may not prevent degradation of service in some situations. Repairs to certified equipment should be coordinated by a representative designated by the supplier. Any repairs or alterations made by the user to this equipment, or equipment malfunctions, may give the telecommunications company cause to request the user to disconnect the equipment.

Users should ensure for their own protection that the electrical ground connections of the power utility, telephone lines and internal metallic water pipe system, if present, are connected together. This precaution may be particularly important in rural areas.

Caution: Users should not attempt to make such connections themselves, but should contact the appropriate electric inspection authority, or electrician, as appropriate.

# **EEA Regulatory Notices**

#### CE Mark R & TTE Directive

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# Appendix C Compliance and Compatibility for the VBP 4350 Converged Network Appliance

#### Warning

This is a Class A product. In a domestic environment, this product may cause radio interference in which case the user may be required to take adequate measures.

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The socket outlet to which this apparatus is connected must be installed near the equipment and must always be readily accessible.

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- 1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and
- 2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

#### Part 68 FCC Rules

This equipment complies with part 68 of the FCC rules and the rules adopted by the ACTA. On the Network Interface Module of this equipment is a label that contains, among other information, a product identifier in the format US:AAAEQ#TXXX. If requested, this number must be provided to the telephone company.

The following instructions are provided to ensure compliance with the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Rules, Part 68.

This device must only be connected to the T1 WAN network.

Before connecting your unit, you must inform the telephone company of the following information:

Port ID - T1 WAN

REN/SOC - 04DU9-DN - 04DU9-BN

FIC - 6.0N

USOC - RJ48C

If the unit appears to be malfunctioning, it should be disconnected from the telephone lines until you learn if your equipment or the telephone line is the source of the trouble. If your equipment needs repair, it should not be reconnected until it is repaired.

If the telephone company finds that this equipment is exceeding tolerable parameters, the telephone company can temporarily disconnect service, although they will attempt to give you advance notice if possible.

Under the FCC Rules, no customer is authorized to repair this equipment. This restriction applies regardless of whether the equipment is in or out of warranty.

If the telephone company alters their equipment in a manner that will affect use of this device, they must give you advance warning so as to give you the opportunity for uninterrupted service. You will be advised of your right to file a complaint with the FCC.

In the event of equipment malfunction, all repairs should be performed by our Company or an authorized agent. It is the responsibility of users requiring service to report the need for service to our Company or to one of our authorized agents.

This equipment uses RJ48C and R11 jacks. A Plug and jack used to connect this equipment to the premises wiring and telephone network must comply with the applicable FCC Part 68 rules and requirements adopted by ACTA. See installation instructions for details. If this equipment, Model 4555 causes harm to the telephone network, the telephone company will notify you in advance that temporary discontinuance of service may be required. But if advance notice is not practical, the telephone company will notify the customer as soon as possible. Also, you will be advised of your right to file a complaint with the FCC if you believe it is necessary. The telephone company may make changes in its facilities, equipment, operations or procedures that could affect the operation of the equipment. If this happens, the telephone company will provide advance notice in order for you to make the necessary modifications to maintain uninterrupted service. If trouble is experienced with this equipment, Model 4555 for repair or warranty information, Please call Polycom Support at 800.POLYCOM (800.765.9266). If the equipment is causing harm to the telephone network, the telephone company may request that you disconnect the equipment until the problem is resolved.

#### Caution

This equipment contains no user-serviceable parts. Connection to party line service is subject to state tariffs. Contact the state public utility commission, public service commission or corporation commission for information. If your home has specially wired alarm equipment connected to the telephone line, ensure the installation of Model 4555 equipment does not disable your alarm equipment. If you have questions about what will disable alarm equipment, consult your telephone company or a qualified installer.

WHEN PROGRAMMING EMERGENCY NUMBERS AND/OR MAKING TEST CALLS TO EMERGENCY NUMBERS:

- 1) Remain on the line and briefly explain to the dispatcher the reason for the call.
- 2) Perform such activities in the off-peak hours, such as early morning or late evening.

## Industry Canada (IC)

This Class [A] digital apparatus complies with Canadian ICES-003.

Cet appareil numerique de la Classe [A] est conforme à la norme NMB-003 du Canada.

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Users should ensure for their own protection that the electrical ground connections of the power utility, telephone lines and internal metallic water pipe system, if present, are connected together. This precaution may be particularly important in rural areas.

Caution: Users should not attempt to make such connections themselves, but should contact the appropriate electric inspection authority, or electrician, as appropriate.

The Ringer Equivalence Number (REN) assigned to each relevant terminal device provides an indication of the maximum number of terminals allowed to be connected to a telephone interface. The termination on an interface may consist of any combination of devices subject only to the requirement that the sum of the RENs of all the devices does not exceed 5.

The REN of this equipment is either marked on the unit or included in the new style USA FCC registration number. In the case that the REN is included in the FCC number, the user should use the following key to determine the value:

The FCC number is formatted as US:AAAEQ#TXXX.

# is the Ringer Equivalence Number without a decimal point (e.g. REN of 1.0 will be shown as 10, REN of 0.3 will be shown as 03). In the case of a Z ringer, ZZ shall appear. In the case of approved equipment without a network interface or equipment not to be connected to circuits with analog ringing supplied, NA shall appear.

The REN is useful to determine the quantity of devices that may be connected to the telephone line. Excessive RENs on the telephone line may result in the devices not ringing in response to an incoming call. In most, but not all areas, the sum of RENs of all devices that may be connected to a line, is determined by the total RENs, contact the local telephone company.

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Norsk [Norwegian]:	Polycom erklærer herved at utstyret VBP 4350 er i samsvar med de grunnleggende krav og øvrige relevante krav i direktiv 1999/5/EF

# **CLASS A STATEMENTS**

# Japan

This is a class A product based on the standard of the Voluntary Control Council for Interference (VCCI) by Information Technology Equipment. If this equipment is used in a domestic environment, radio disturbance may arise. When such trouble occurs, the user may be required to take corrective actions.

この装置は、クラスA情報技術装置です。この装置を家庭環境で使用すると電波妨害を引き起こすことがあります。この場合には使用者が適切な対策を講ずるよう要求されることがあります。 VCCI-A

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# Appendix D Compliance and Compatibility for the VBP 4350W Converged Network Appliance

# **WIRELESS**

US Public Safety 4.9 GHz band

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#### Caution

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# Appendix E Compliance and Compatibility for the VBP 4555 Converged Network Appliance

#### Warning

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# **USA AND CANADIAN NOTICES**

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Before connecting your unit, you must inform the telephone company of the following information:

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REN/SOC - 04DU9-DN - 04DU9-BN

FIC - 6.0N

USOC - RJ48C

If the unit appears to be malfunctioning, it should be disconnected from the telephone lines until you learn if your equipment or the telephone line is the source of the trouble. If your equipment needs repair, it should not be reconnected until it is repaired.

If the telephone company finds that this equipment is exceeding tolerable parameters, the telephone company can temporarily disconnect service, although they will attempt to give you advance notice if possible.

Under the FCC Rules, no customer is authorized to repair this equipment. This restriction applies regardless of whether the equipment is in or out of warranty.

If the telephone company alters their equipment in a manner that will affect use of this device, they must give you advance warning so as to give you the opportunity for uninterrupted service. You will be advised of your right to file a complaint with the FCC.

In the event of equipment malfunction, all repairs should be performed by our Company or an authorized agent. It is the responsibility of users requiring service to report the need for service to our Company or to one of our authorized agents.

This equipment uses RJ48C and R11 jacks. A Plug and jack used to connect this equipment to the premises wiring and telephone network must comply with the applicable FCC Part 68 rules and requirements adopted by ACTA. See installation instructions for details. If this equipment, Model 4555 causes harm to the telephone network, the telephone company will notify you in advance that temporary discontinuance of service may be required. But if advance notice is not practical, the telephone company will notify the customer as soon as possible. Also, you will be advised of your right to file a complaint with the FCC if you believe it is necessary. The telephone company may make changes in its facilities, equipment, operations or procedures that could affect the operation of the equipment. If this happens, the telephone company will provide advance notice in order for you to make the necessary modifications to maintain uninterrupted service. If trouble is experienced with this equipment, Model 4555 for repair or warranty information, Please call Polycom Support at 800.POLYCOM (800.765.9266). If the equipment is causing harm to the telephone network, the telephone company may request that you disconnect the equipment until the problem is resolved.

#### Caution

This equipment contains no user-serviceable parts. Connection to party line service is subject to state tariffs. Contact the state public utility commission, public service commission or corporation commission for information. If your home has specially wired alarm equipment connected to the telephone line, ensure the installation of Model 4555 equipment does not disable your alarm equipment. If you have questions about what will disable alarm equipment, consult your telephone company or a qualified installer.

WHEN PROGRAMMING EMERGENCY NUMBERS AND/OR MAKING TEST CALLS TO EMERGENCY NUMBERS:

1) Remain on the line and briefly explain to the dispatcher the reason for the call.

2) Perform such activities in the off-peak hours, such as early morning or late evening.

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The Ringer Equivalence Number (REN) assigned to each relevant terminal device provides an indication of the maximum number of terminals allowed to be connected to a telephone interface. The termination on an interface may consist of any combination of devices subject only to the requirement that the sum of the RENs of all the devices does not exceed 5.

The REN of this equipment is either marked on the unit or included in the new style USA FCC registration number. In the case that the REN is included in the FCC number, the user should use the following key to determine the value:

The FCC number is formatted as US:AAAEQ#TXXX.

# is the Ringer Equivalence Number without a decimal point (e.g. REN of 1.0 will be shown as 10, REN of 0.3 will be shown as 03). In the case of a Z ringer, ZZ shall appear. In the case of approved equipment without a network interface or equipment not to be connected to circuits with analog ringing supplied, NA shall appear.

The REN is useful to determine the quantity of devices that may be connected to the telephone line. Excessive RENs on the telephone line may result in the devices not ringing in response to an incoming call. In most, but not all areas, the sum of RENs of all devices that may be connected to a line, is determined by the total RENs, contact the local telephone company.

# **EEA Regulatory Notices**

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English:	Hereby, Polycom, declares that this VBP 4555 is in compliance with the essential requirements and other relevant provisions of Directive 1999/5/EC.
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Installation must be performed in accordance with all relevant national wiring rules.

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# Appendix F Compliance and Compatibility for the VBP 5300-E or ST Converged Network Appliance

## Part 15 FCC Rules - Class A Digital Device or Peripheral

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In accordance with Part 15 of the FCC rules, the user is cautioned that any changes or modifications not expressly approved by Polycom Inc. could void the user's authority to operate this equipment.

The socket outlet to which this apparatus is connected must be installed near the equipment and must always be readily accessible.

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- 1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and
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# Appendix G Compliance and Compatibility for the VBP 5300LF-E or ST Converged Network Appliance

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# Appendix H Compliance and Compatibility for the VBP 5300LF2 Converged Network Appliance

#### Warning

This is a Class A product. In a domestic environment, this product may cause radio interference in which case the user may be required to take adequate measures.

## **USA AND CANADIAN NOTICES**

#### **FCC Notice**

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# Appendix I Compliance and Compatibility for the VBP 6400-E or ST Converged Network Appliance

## Part 15 FCC Rules - Class A Digital Device or Peripheral

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at his own expense.

In accordance with Part 15 of the FCC rules, the user is cautioned that any changes or modifications not expressly approved by Polycom Inc. could void the user's authority to operate this equipment.

The socket outlet to which this apparatus is connected must be installed near the equipment and must always be readily accessible.

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- 1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and
- 2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

## Industry Canada (IC)

This Class [A] digital apparatus complies with Canadian ICES-003.

Cet appareil numerique de la Classe [A] est conforme à la norme NMB-003 du Canada.

The Industry Canada label identifies certified equipment. This certification means that the equipment meets telecommunications network protective, operational and safety requirements as prescribed in the appropriate Terminal Equipment Technical Requirements document(s). The Department does not guarantee the equipment will operate to the user's satisfaction.

Before installing this equipment, users should ensure that it is permissible to be connected to the facilities of the local telecommunications company. The equipment must also be installed using an acceptable method of connection. The customer should be aware that compliance with

the above conditions may not prevent degradation of service in some situations. Repairs to certified equipment should be coordinated by a representative designated by the supplier. Any repairs or alterations made by the user to this equipment, or equipment malfunctions, may give the telecommunications company cause to request the user to disconnect the equipment.

Users should ensure for their own protection that the electrical ground connections of the power utility, telephone lines and internal metallic water pipe system, if present, are connected together. This precaution may be particularly important in rural areas.

Caution: Users should not attempt to make such connections themselves, but should contact the appropriate electric inspection authority, or electrician, as appropriate.

#### CE Mark R & TTE Directive

This Polycom VBP system has been marked with the CE mark. This mark indicates compliance with EEC Directives 2006/95/EC, 2004/108/EC. A full copy of the Declaration of Conformity can be obtained from Polycom Ltd., 270 Bath Road, Slough UK SL1 4DX

## **CLASS A STATEMENTS**

#### Japan

この装置は、クラスA情報技術装置です。この装置を家庭環境で使用すると電波妨害を引き起こすことがあります。この場合には使用者が適切な対策を講ずるよう要求されることがあります。 VCCI-A

### Korea

## Class A ITE

기 종 별	사용자만내문
A급 기기	이 기기는 업무용(A급)으로 전자파적합등록을
(업무용 방송통신기기)	한 기기이오니 판매자 또는 사용자는 이 점을
	주의하시기 바라며, 가정외의 지역에서 사용하는
	것을 목적으로 합니다.

### China

## 声明

此为 A 级产品,在生活环境中,该产品可能会造成无线电干扰。在这种情况下,可能需要用户对其干扰采取切实可行的措施。

## **Taiwan**

## 警告使用者

這是甲類的資訊產品,在居住的環境中使用時, 可能會造成射頻干擾,在這種情況下,使用者會 被要求採取某些適當的對策。

# **General Information**

## Hardware Warranty

For a period of one (1) year after shipment of the Product, Polycom warrants that such Hardware will substantially conform to Polycom's published specifications for such Hardware on the date of order if properly used in accordance with procedures described in the documentation supplied by Polycom. End-user shall notify Polycom of any nonconformance during the warranty period, obtain a return authorization for the nonconforming Hardware from Polycom, and return the nonconforming Hardware to Polycom's designated repair facility, freight prepaid, with a statement describing the nonconformity. Polycom's exclusive obligations with respect to nonconforming Hardware shall be, at Polycom's option, to advance replace such Hardware, if it is determined to be defective, or to refund to End-user the purchase price paid for the Product. Advance replacement units are shipped same business day for next-day delivery (within the US) when hardware failure is determined by 1pm PST. Failed components must be returned to Polycom within 14 days or End-user will be charged for new product purchase.

#### **WARRANTY AND REPAIR SERVICE CENTER:**

Bill Dunnion, +1 (613) 288-8872

## Restriction of Hazardous Substances Directive (RoHS)

Polycom products are RoHS compliant, which means we have eliminated or brought to within acceptable limits: Lead, Mercury, Cadmium, Hexavalent Chromium, Polybrominated Biphenyls, and Polybrominated Diphenylethers. For more information please contact <a href="mailto:TypeApproval@polycom.com">TypeApproval@polycom.com</a>.

## **End of Life Products**

Polycom encourages you to recycle your end-of-life Polycom products in an environmentally considerate way. In accordance with the requirements of the European Waste Electronic and Electrical Equipment (WEEE) Directive, all Polycom products are marked with the crossed wheelie bin symbol shown below. Products that carry this symbol should be not be disposed of in the household or general waste stream. Detail of the options open to you and the guidance on the requirements for the recycling and environmentally considerate disposal of your end of life Polycom products can be found at <a href="http://www.polycom.com/WEEE">http://www.polycom.com/WEEE</a>.