



Techclub

Smart licensing prakticky - SLP

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01.06.2021 Novinky v oblasti Smart accountů a Smart licencí



21.04.2020 Cisco Smart licencování a Smart Account

Link: [Cisco Tech Club webinarů](#)

Good software, like
wine, takes time.

Joel Spolsky

Kde vidím své licence



Smart Account

<https://software.cisco.com>

Smart licence

Tradiční licence
PAK



Cisco Smart Software
Manager (CSSM)

[Manage licenses >](#)

SSM On-prem: <https://<ip-adresa>:8443>



License Registration Portal
(LRP)

[Access LRP >](#)

Produkty podporující Smart licencování

Kompletní seznam a dokumentace

<https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/products/software/smart-accounts/software-licensing.html>

SLP

36

Smart Only

82 -> 113

Hybrid

34 -> 24

Catalyst 9K,
Catalyst 8K,
ASR 1K
IE 3K, IR 1K,
ISR 1K, 4K
Nexus 3K, 9K,
MDS 9K

ASA, FTD
ASR 1K, 9K, NG
Catalyst 3K, 9K
IE 3K, IR 1K
ISR 1K, 4K, ISE,
HCS, Webex MS, CME, CUCM
NCS 1K, 4K, 5xx, 55xx
Nexus 3K, 9K

ASR 9xx
WLC 3504, 5520
PI
ESA, WSA
CMS
Nexus 7000

Nová metoda nasazení:
Smart Licensing using Policy



Smart Licensing using Policy

(new version Polaris 17.3.2)



Proces objednání HW a SW bez změny

Pouze 1 požadavek namísto 3



Není EVAL @ product boot



Nemusím registrovat zařízení
na cisco.com (CSSM)

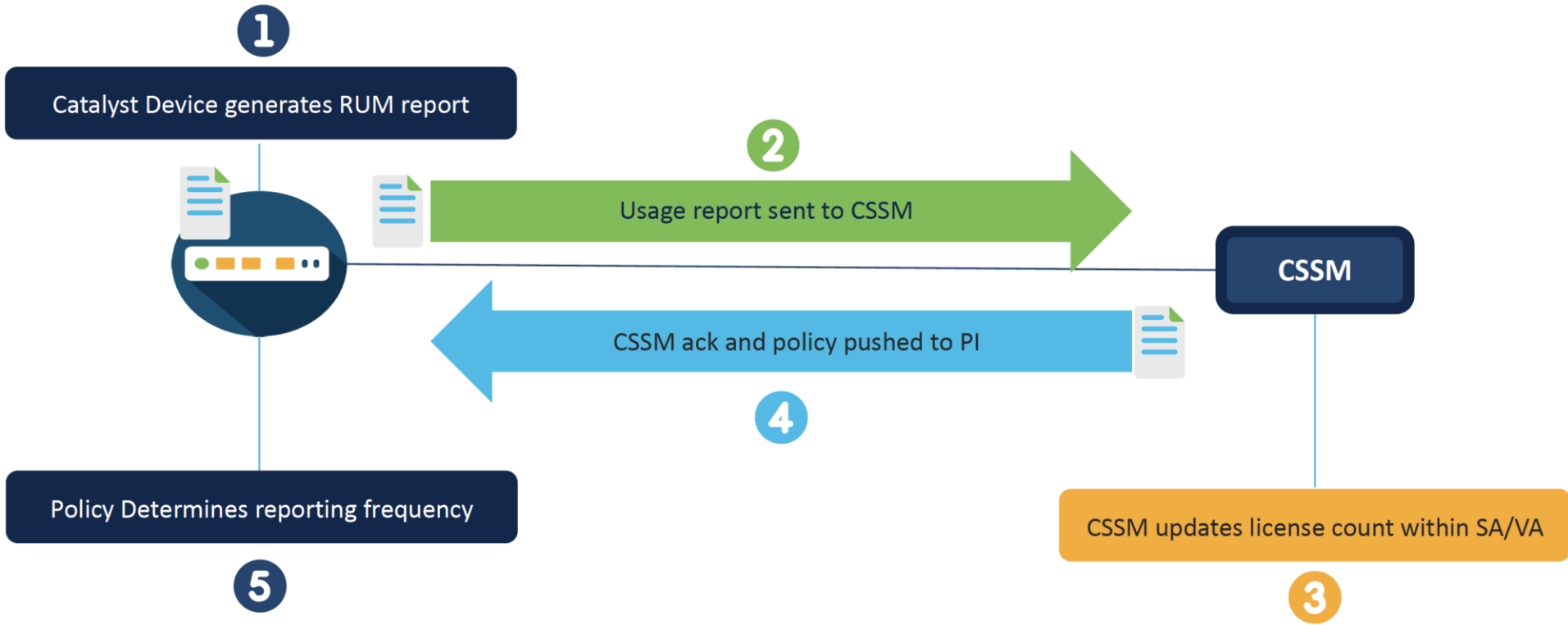


Neprobíhá pravidelná
komunikace mezi zařízením a
SSM nebo SSM On-prem -
30, 90 dní

Zjednodušení

Odeslání reportu o SW licencích

SLP Flow



SL vs. SL using Policy

Smart Licensing

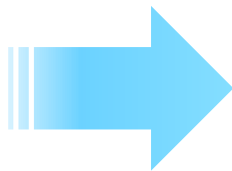
Day 0 registration required

Mandatory evaluation mode

Regular interval Licenses reporting

Acquire before use model

SLR/PLR for off-line customers



Smart License Using Policy

No Day 0 registration required

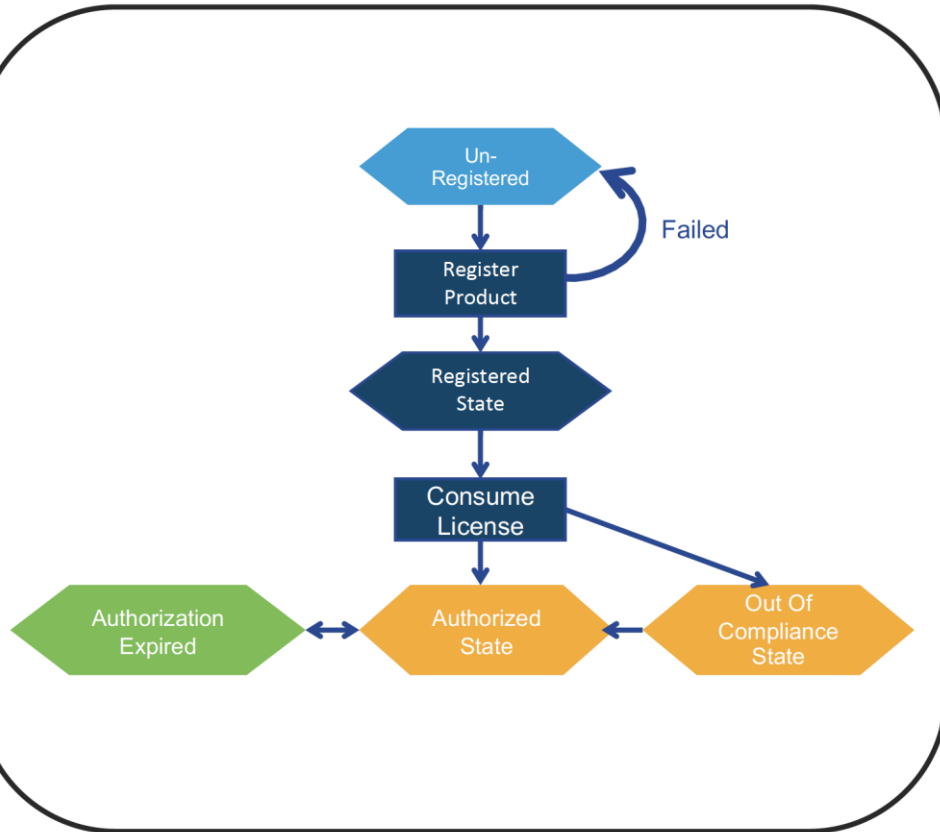
No more Evaluation Mode

Usage reports are stored on device and reported later

Acquire before use for export control Licenses Only

No SLR/PLR required due to flexible policy model

SL license states



SLP license states



SLP simplifies operations by removing different licenses states and using only one state which is "In-use"

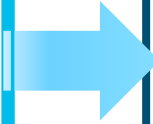
* License state always "In-use" even if CSSM is unavailable

SLP Policy - #sh license all



Default policy

- ✓ Ack needed – Optional*
- ✓ Perpetual Licenses:
 - First report – 365 days
 - Subsequent reports – Not required
- ✓ Subscription Licenses:
 - First report – 365 days
 - Subsequent reports – Not required
- ✓ On license change:
 - Perpetual – Within 90 days
 - Subscription – Within 90 days



Policy:

Policy in use: Merged from multiple sources.

Reporting ACK optional: : **yes (CISCO default) <link why ACK>**

Unenforced/Non-Export PERPETUAL Attributes:

First report requirement (days): 365 (CISCO default)

Reporting frequency (days): 365 (CISCO default)

Report on change (days): 90 (CISCO default)

Unenforced/Non-Export SUBSCRIPTION Attributes:

First report requirement (days): 365 (CISCO default)

Reporting frequency (days): 365 (CISCO default)

Report on change (days): 90 (CISCO default)

Enforced (Perpetual/Subscription) License Attributes:

First report requirement (days): 0 (CISCO default)

Reporting frequency (days): 0 (CISCO default)

Report on change (days): 0 (CISCO default)

Export (Perpetual/Subscription) License Attributes:

First report requirement (days): 0 (CISCO default)

Reporting frequency (days): 0 (CISCO default)

Report on change (days): 0 (CISCO default)



Each attribute can be changed using a custom policy

* The output currently shows yes. Output will be updated in future releases.

CSLU Functions

Cisco Smart License Utility (CSLU)

What is CSLU?

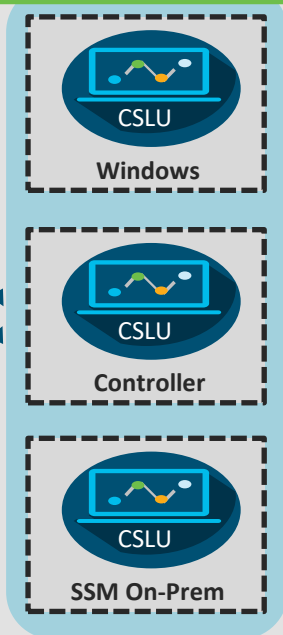
Deployed as micro service on windows host

Can also be integrated as software component with controller-based products:

- Cisco DNA-C
- On the device

Able to deliver an on-line or off-line connectivity model for the license data.

CSLU - Different Form Factor



CSLU Key Functions

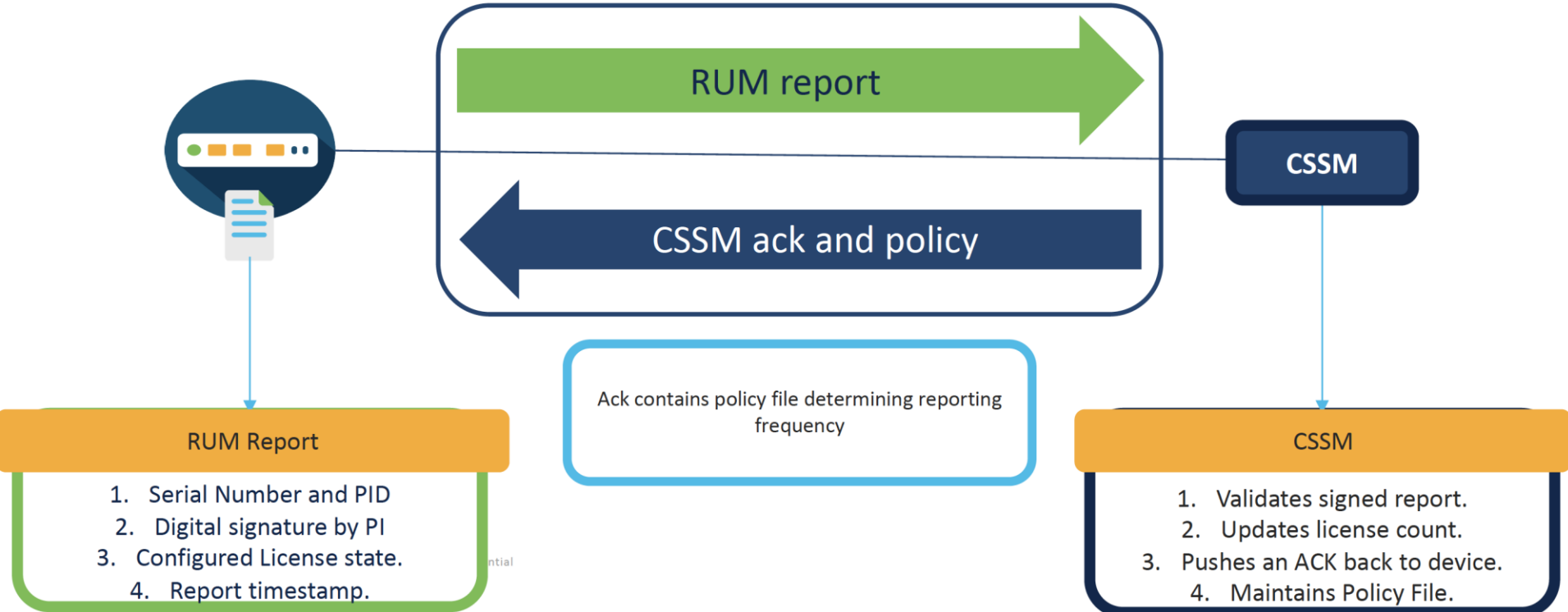
Administer all licenses and their associated device

Sends authorization code requests to CSSM, receives authorization codes from CSSM and can install authorization codes on a device

Collects usage reports from the device and upload these usage reports to SA/VA in CSSM

The RUM report ACK from CSSM is collected online, or offline, and provided back to a device

SLP reporting data



Smart Licensing Using Policy - FAQ

<https://community.cisco.com/t5/networking-documents/smart-license-using-policy-faq/ta-p/4415506#toc-hId--1348114302>

Důležité zdroje

Vstup do administrace SA, portálů pro správu licencí SSM a LRP

<https://software.cisco.com>

One-stop shop - Treningové materiály, manuály:

[SA SL Training Modules For Customers.pdf](#)

Kompletní seznam Smart Enabled produktů a dokumentace

<https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/products/software/smart-accounts/software-licensing.html>

Některé otázky a odpovědi z Techclub webináře 7.6.2022

Co vše je třeba povolit pro on-prem na firewallu do internetu?

The Cisco product must have reachability to the appropriate endpoint – Cisco SSM or an SSM On-Prem license server. This may require configuring firewall rules and/or any intermediate proxies. The channels and ports used will depend on which transport protocol is used. This is shown below.

Smart Call Home

- HTTP(80): tools.cisco.com
- HTTPS(443): tools.cisco.com

Smart Transport

- HTTPS(443): smartreceiver.cisco.com

Zdroj: <https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/products/collateral/cloud-systems-management/smart-software-manager-satellite/white-paper-c11-743812.html>

Návody pro jednotlivé produktové rodiny jsou v konfiguračních guidech, např.

[Smart Licensing Using Policy pro Enterprise Routing Platforms:](#)

[Smart Licensing Using Policy pro Catalyst Switching Platforms](#)

Další návody na stránce podle produktových rodin:

<https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/products/software/smart-accounts/software-licensing.html>

Návody, dokumentace

View Smart License documentation by product

Choose product family: --

Seznam produktových rodin podporujících smart licencování a Smart Licensing Using Policy

Smart Licensing Enabled Product Families - XLS Download



SLUP v praxi

Empty device

```
sh lice all
```

```
...
```

```
Transport:
```

```
  Type: cslu
```

```
  Cslu address: <empty>
```

```
...
```

```
Usage Reporting:
```

```
  Last ACK received: <none>
```

```
  Next ACK deadline: Nov 30 03:00:01 2022 CEST
```

```
  Reporting push interval: 30 days
```

```
  Next ACK push check: <none>
```

Initial config

```
interface GigabitEthernet0/0
  vrf forwarding Mgmt-vrf
  ip address 10.62.8.55 255.255.255.192
  negotiation auto
no shut
```

```
! Routing + DNS ; + http source
ip route vrf Mgmt-vrf 0.0.0.0 0.0.0.0 10.62.8.1
ip name-server vrf Mgmt-vrf 10.62.8.9
```

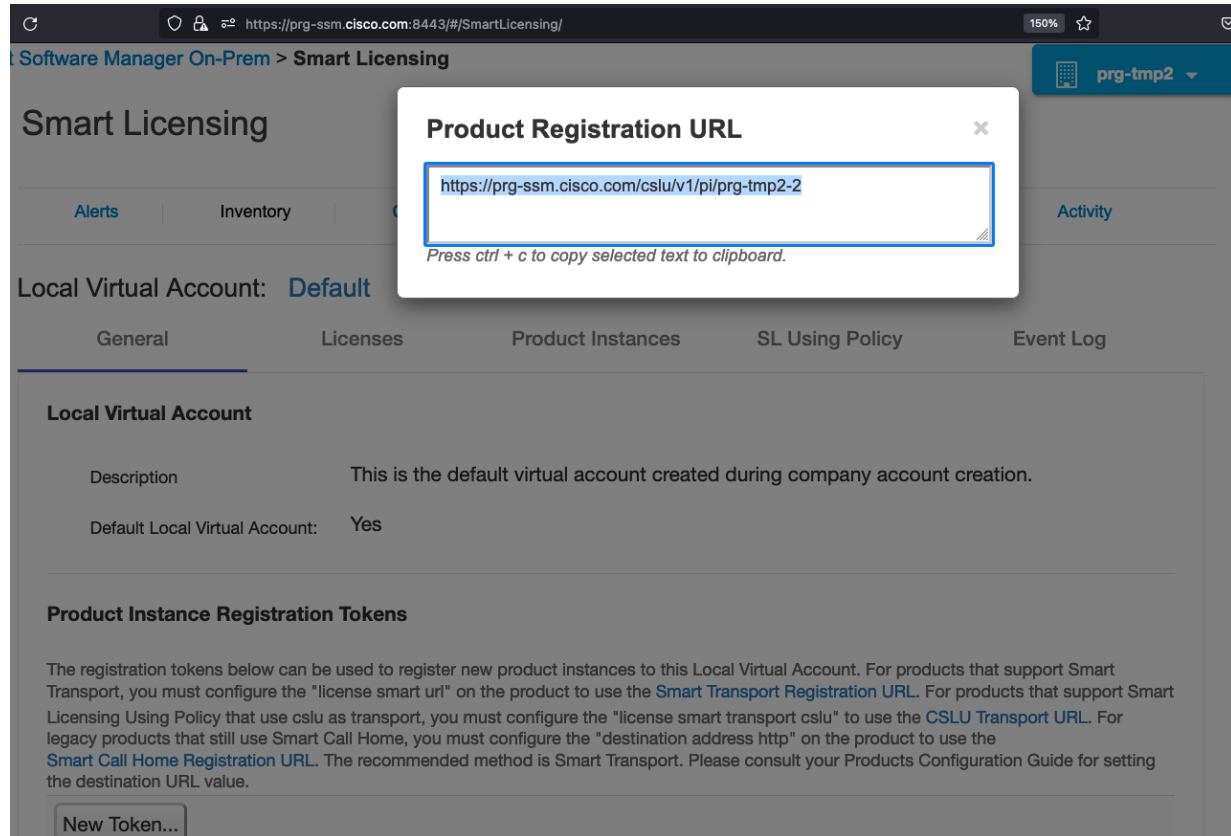
```
ip http client source-interface GigabitEthernet0/0
```

In case of non valid certificate

```
crypto pki trustpoint SLA-TrustPoint  
  enrollment pkcs12  
  revocation-check none  
!
```

Connectivity via OnPrem SSM

1. Copy CSLU transport address



The screenshot displays the Cisco Software Manager On-Prem Smart Licensing interface. A modal dialog box titled "Product Registration URL" is open, showing the URL `https://prg-ssm.cisco.com/cslu/v1/pi/prg-tmp2-2` in a text input field. Below the input field, a message reads "Press ctrl + c to copy selected text to clipboard." The background interface includes a navigation bar with "Alerts", "Inventory", and "Activity" tabs, and a main content area with tabs for "General", "Licenses", "Product Instances", "SL Using Policy", and "Event Log". The "Local Virtual Account" section is visible, showing a description and a default local virtual account of "Yes". The "Product Instance Registration Tokens" section is also visible, providing instructions on how to use registration tokens.

license smart url cslu <https://prg-ssm.cisco.com/cslu/v1/pi/prg-tmp2-2>
license feature hseck9

debug license events
term monit
license smart sync all

Device sent RUM to SSM

Smart Licensing

[Alerts](#)[Inventory](#)[Convert to Smart Licensing](#)[Reports](#)[Preferences](#)[Activity](#)

Local Virtual Account: [Default](#)

[General](#)[Licenses](#)[Product Instances](#)[SL Using Policy](#)[Event Log](#)

Search by Name, Product Type



Name	Product Type	Last Contact	Alerts	Actions
10.48.74.191	4400ISR	2022-Mar-24 16:09:18	DLC acknowledgement to product instance	Actions
10.62.8.55	ISR1K	2022-May-03 09:57:34	Usage report acknowledgement to product instance	Actions
10.62.8.61	CAT8200	2022-May-10 12:54:14	Usage report from product instance	Actions

Manual Sync of Reports to CSSM

Smart Software Manager On-Prem > Smart Licensing

prg-tmp2

Smart Licensing

Alerts

Inventory

Convert to Smart Licensing

Reports

Preferences

Activity

Reports

Reports

Usage Schedules

Synchronization schedule with Cisco

Synchronization pull schedule with the devices

Synchronization schedule with Cisco

Schedule synchronization for specified times

Synchronize now with Cisco

Days Frequency: 1

Time Of Day: Hour 1 Minutes 1

Save

Reset

RUM sent

```
sh license status
```

```
...
```

```
Usage Reporting:
```

```
  Last ACK received: <none>
```

```
  Next ACK deadline: Nov 30 03:00:01 2021 CEST
```

```
  Reporting push interval: 0 (no reporting)
```

```
  Next ACK push check: May 10 14:59:14 2022 CEST
```

```
  Next report push: <none>
```

```
  Last report push: May 10 14:54:15 2022 CEST
```

```
  Last report file write: <none>
```

```
Trust Code Installed: <none>
```

RUM ACK received

sh license status

...

Usage Reporting:

Last ACK received: May 11 14:33:49 2022 CEST

Next ACK deadline: Aug 09 14:33:49 2022 CEST

Reporting push interval: 30 days

Next ACK push check: <none>

Next report push: Jun 10 14:28:50 2022 CEST

Last report push: May 11 14:28:50 2022 CEST

Last report file write: <none>

Transfer or remove device / Product Instance

Smart Licensing

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Transfer...

Remove...

Transfer or remove device / Product Instance



Confirm Remove Product Instance

If you continue, the product instance "10.62.8.61" will no longer appear in the Smart Software Manager On-Prem and will no longer be consuming any licenses. In order to bring it back, you will need to re-register the product instance.



Remove Product Instance

Cancel

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Remove...

Overview

High Availability

Event Log

Description

Catalyst 8200 Branch Edge

General

Name:	UDI_PID:C8200-1N-4T; UDI_SN:FGL2512L1N3;
Product:	C8200-BranchEdge
Host Identifier:	-
MAC Address:	-
PID:	C8200-1N-4T
Serial Number:	FGL2512L1N3
UUID:	-
Virtual Account:	prg-tmp2
Registration Date:	2022-May-10 12:56:29
Last Contact:	2022-May-10 14:07:40

License Usage

License	Billing	Expires	Required
Routing DNA Advantage: Tier 0: 10M	Prepaid	-	1
Routing Network Advantage: Tier 0: 10M	Prepaid	-	1
CUBE v14 Trunk Redundant Session	Prepaid	-	1

Remove Hsec reservation from CSSM

1. license smart authorization return all online

Or

2. license smart authorization return all offline

Enter this return code in Cisco Smart Software Manager portal:

UDI: PID:C1117-4P,SN:FCZ2225E1YU

Return code: CS5xNK-9WWKVJ-gApWiP-XXZZ4G

+ enter the code to CSSM

Cisco Software Central

Smart Software Licensing

Virtual Account: PRG-INTERNAL

Remove Reservation

To remove a Product Instance that has reserved licenses and make those licenses once again available to other Product Instances, enter in the Reservation Return Code generated by the Product Instance. If you cannot generate a Reservation Return Code, contact [Cisco Support](#)

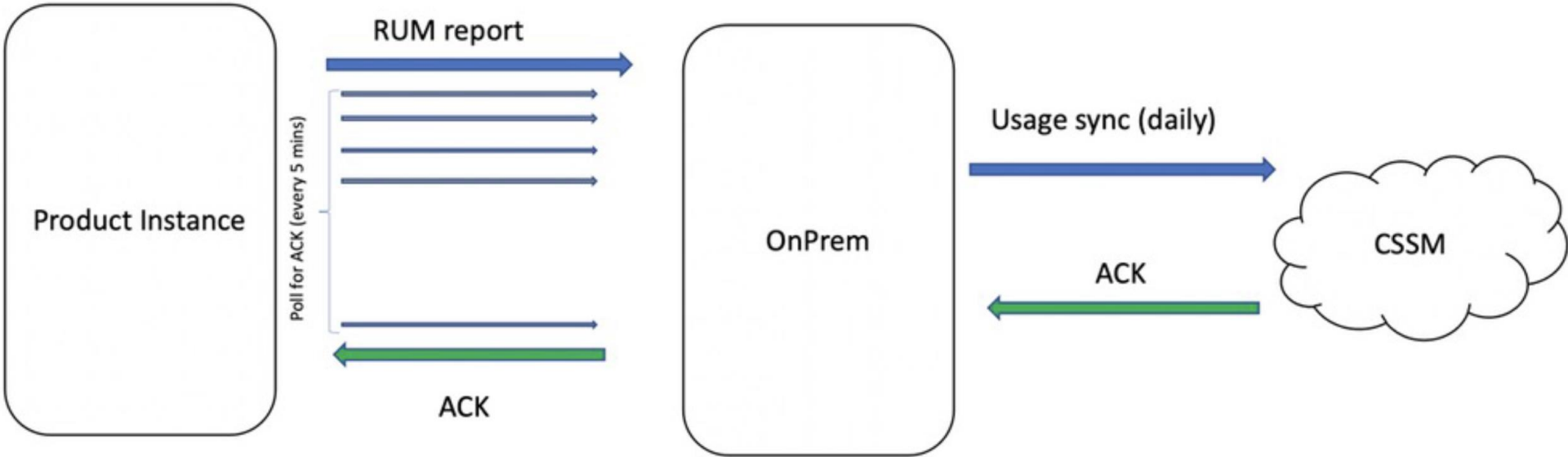
* Reservation Return Code: CS5xNK-9WWKVJ-gApWiP-XXZZ4G

Remove Reservation Cancel

Name	Product Type	Last Contact	Alerts	Actions
UDI_PID:C1117-4P; UDI_SN:FCZ2225E1YU;	ISR1K	2022-Jun-07 08:36:24 (Reserved Licenses)		Actions

Showing 1 Record

Workflow SSM On-prem





Demo

