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Chapter

## Pre-Installation Setup for NetApp (Replication)

This chapter includes the following topics:

- Overview
- Prerequisites for Adding Data Collectors (NetApp for Replication)
- Before You Install the NetApp (Replication) Data Collector
- Installation Overview (NetApp for Replication)
- Adding an NetApp Data Collector Policy

#### Overview

In most cases, a single instance of the Data Collector can support any number of enterprise objects. However, each environment has its own unique deployment configuration requirements, so it is important to understand where the Data Collector software must be installed so that you can determine how many Data Collectors must be installed and which servers are best suited for the deployment.

### Prerequisites for Adding Data Collectors (NetApp for Replication)

- 64-bit OS. See the Certified Configurations Guide for supported operating systems.
- When the APTARE IT Analytics system collects data from any vendor subsystem, the collection process expects name/value pairs to be in US English, and requires

the installation to be done by an Administrator with a US English locale. The server's language version can be non-US English.

- Verify the rpm fontconfig is installed. Fontconfig is a library designed to provide system-wide font configuration, customization and application access. If the rpm fontconfig is not installed, the installer will not be able to load User Interface Mode. This is a prerequisite for a new Data Collector installation.
- Support Amazon Corretto 11. Amazon Corretto is a no-cost, multi-platform, production-ready distribution of the Open Java Development Kit (OpenJDK).
- For performance reasons, do not install Data Collectors on the same server as the APTARE IT Analytics Portal. However, if you must have both on the same server, verify that the Portal and Data Collector software do not reside in the same directory.
- Install only one Data Collector on a server (or OS instance).
- Similar to Capacity Manager, the Data Collector communicates with the storage array's system service processor (SSP) to gather storage replication data.

This Data Collector policy is configured as part of the NetApp storage Data Collector.

#### Before You Install the NetApp (Replication) Data Collector

Use an existing NetApp user or create one with the necessary privileges to access the application programming interface (API):

- login-http-admin
- api-\*

Typically, the root, admin user has all the capabilities, but it is not advisable to use root or admin passwords.

**Note:** If api-\* does not meet your security requirements, contact Veritas Support for a detailed list of exact api privileges that are required.

#### Creating a NetApp User with API Privileges

To create a new user, with the required privileges, on a NetApp system, use the following CLI steps:

```
filer> useradmin role add apirole -a login-http-admin,api-*
filer> useradmin group add apigroup -r apirole
filer> useradmin user add apiuser -q apigroup
```

Note: For the role command, do not include a space after the comma. Also, if api-\* does not meet your security requirements, contact Support for a detailed list of exact api privileges that are required.

#### Installation Overview (NetApp for Replication)

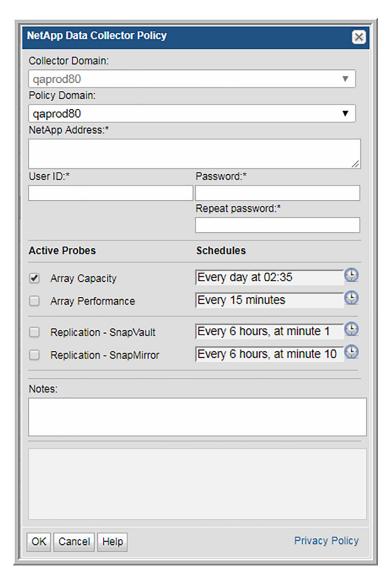
Use the following list to ensure that you complete each step in the order indicated.

- Update the Local Hosts file. This enables Portal access.
- 2. In the Portal, add a Data Collector, if one has not already been created.
- 3. In the Portal, add the NetApp data collector policy.
- 4. On the Data Collector Server, install the Data Collector software.
- 5. Validate the Data Collector installation.

#### Adding an NetApp Data Collector Policy

Prerequisite: A Data Collector must exist in the Portal, to which you will add Data Collector Policies. For specific prerequisites and supported configurations, see Certified Configurations Guide.

- Select Admin > Data Collection > Collectors. The list of currently configured Portal Data Collectors is displayed.
- 2. Search for a Collector if required.
- Select a Data Collector from the list.
- 4. Click Add Policy, and then select NetApp.



Enter or select the parameters. Mandatory parameters are denoted by an asterisk (\*):

Field	Description	Sample Value
Collector Domain	The domain of the collector to which the collector backup policy is being added. This is a read-only field. By default, the domain for a new policy will be the same as the domain for the collector. This field is set when you add a collector.	
Policy Domain	The Policy Domain is the domain of the policy that is being configured for the Data Collector. The Policy Domain must be set to the same value as the Collector Domain. The domain identifies the top level of your host group hierarchy. All newly discovered hosts are added to the root host group associated with the Policy Domain.	
	Typically, only one Policy Domain will be available in the drop-down list. If you are a Managed Services Provider, each of your customers will have a unique domain with its own host group hierarchy. To find your Domain name	
	select Admin > Hosts and Domains > Domains.	
NetApp Address*	One or more IP addresses or host names to probe. Comma-separated addresses or IP ranges are supported.	192.168.0.1-250, 192.167.1.10, myhost
User ID*	The view-only user ID for NetApp storage.	
Password*	The password associated with the User ID.	

Field	Description	Sample Value
Array Capacity	Check the box to collect array capacity data.	
	Click the clock icon to create a schedule. Every Minute, Hourly, Daily, Weekly, and Monthly schedules may be created. Advanced use of native CRON strings is also available.	
	Examples of CRON expressions:	
	*/30 * * * * means every 30 minutes	
	*/20 9-18 * * * means every 20 minutes between the hours of 9am and 6pm	
	*/10 * * * 1-5 means every 10 minutes Mon - Fri.	
	<b>Note:</b> Explicit schedules set for a Collector policy are relative to the time on the Collector server. Schedules with frequencies are relative to the time that the Data Collector was restarted.	
Array Performance	Check the box to collect array performance data. Note that at least one collection from this array must be performed BEFORE array performance data can be collected.	
	Click the clock icon to create a schedule.	

Sample Value

Field	Description
Replication -SnapVault	Click the check box if you are collecting data from your NetApp SnapVault environment.
	Click the clock icon to create a schedule. Every Minute, Hourly, Daily, Weekly, and Monthly schedules may be created. Advanced use of native CRON strings is also available.
	<b>Note:</b> Explicit schedules set for a Collector policy are relative to the time on the Collector server. Schedules with frequencies are relative to the time that the Data Collector was restarted.
Replication - SnapMirror	Click the check box if you are collecting data from your NetApp SnapMirror environment.
	Click the clock icon to create a schedule. Every Minute, Hourly, Daily, Weekly, and Monthly schedules may be created. Advanced use of native CRON strings is also available.
	<b>Note:</b> Explicit schedules set for a Collector policy are relative to the time on the Collector server. Schedules with frequencies are relative to the time that the Data Collector was restarted.

Chapter 2

## Installing the Data Collector Software

This chapter includes the following topics:

- Introduction
- Installing the WMI Proxy Service (Windows Host Resources only)
- Testing WMI Connectivity
- Installing Data Collector Software: From the Internet
- Installing Data Collector Software: No Internet Available from the Data Collector Server
- Installing Data Collector Software: UI Deployment
- Installing Data Collector Software: From the Console

#### Introduction

This section includes the instructions for installing the Data Collector software on the Data Collector Server. In addition, if you are collecting data from host resources, you may need to install the WMI Proxy Service. The WMI Proxy Service is installed by default, as part of the storage array Data Collector installation on a Windows server.

In addition to the GUI version, the installer supports a console (command line) interface for Linux systems that do not have X-Windows installed. You will be directed to the console interface instructions, if appropriate.

When the APTARE IT Analytics system collects data from any vendor subsystem, the collection process expects name/value pairs to be in US English, and requires

the installation to be done by an Administrator with a US English locale. The server's language version can be non-US English.

**Note:** Log in as a Local Administrator to have the necessary permissions for this installation.

#### Installing the WMI Proxy Service (Windows Host Resources only)

To collect data from Windows hosts, choose a Windows host on which to install the WMI proxy.

- This is only required if you are collecting data from Windows Host Resources.
- The WMI Proxy needs to be installed on only one Windows host.
- If the Data Collector is on a Windows server, the WMI Proxy will be installed there as part of the storage array Data Collector installation.
- If the Data Collector is on a Linux server, you'll need to identify a Windows server on which to install the WMI proxy service.
- Locate the executable on the Portal and copy it to the Data Collector server.

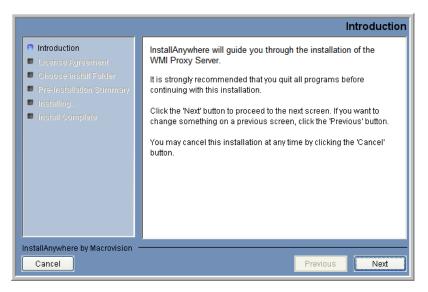
#### On Windows:

c:\opt\aptare\utils\aptarewmiproxyserver.exe

#### On Linux:

/opt/aptare/utils/aptarewmiproxyserver.exe

Install Anywhere will prepare to install the Data Collector Software. An Introduction dialog box will outline the installation process.



Click **Next** to view the License Agreement.



- 4. Read the agreement.
- 5. Click on the "I accept the terms of the License Agreement" radio button.
- Click **Next** to display the window where you will choose the installation folder. 6.

#### Installing the WMI Proxy Service (Windows Host Resources only)



- Specify the directory where you would like to install the Data Collector software.
  - Default for Windows: C:\Program Files\Aptare
  - Default for Linux: /opt/aptare

**Note:** Accepting the default path is recommended.

- 8. Click Next.
- 9. Verify the pre-installation summary.



- 10. Click **Install** to proceed with the installation.
- 11. If the installer detects that you do not have Microsoft .NET already installed on the server, it will notify you of this required dependency. Microsoft .NET contains several necessary libraries. Refer to the Certified Configurations Guide for the required version of .NET.
- 12. Click **OK** to enable the installer to proceed with the installation of Microsoft .NET.

The wizard will step you through the process and its progress.

When the WMI Proxy installation completes, the WMI Server will be listed in the Windows Services list with a Startup Type of Automatic, however, this first time you will need to start the service from the Services window. Each time you re-start this Windows server, the proxy services will start automatically.

13. To access the Windows Services list to start the WMI Proxy Server:

#### Startup > Control Panel > Administrative Tools > Services

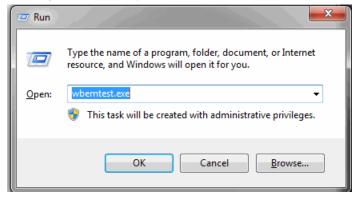
- 14. A window will be displayed when the installation is complete.
- 15. Click **Done** to complete the process.
- 16. It is recommended that you run the C:\Program Files\Aptare\mbs\bin\checkinstall.bat batch file to validate the Data Collector Installation.

#### **Testing WMI Connectivity**

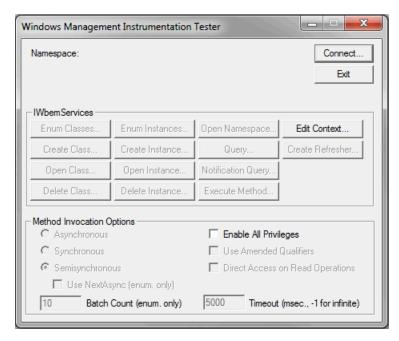
The Windows Management Instrumentation (WMI) Proxy is used by APTARE IT Analytics to collect data from Windows hosts. Should you have connectivity issues, these steps can be taken to test and troubleshoot connectivity.

To verify that WMI is working properly, take the following steps:

- Log in to the Data Collector server as an Administrator.
- 2. From the Windows Start menu, type Run in the search box to launch the following window where you will enter wbemtest.exe and click OK.

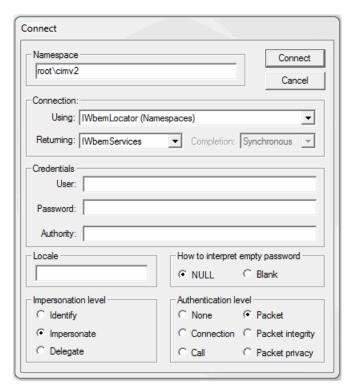


In the Windows Management Instrumentation Tester window, click Connect.



In the Connect window, preface the Namespace entry with the IP address or hostname of the target remote server in the following format:

\\<IP Address>\root\cimv2



- Complete the following fields in the Connect window and then click **Connect**.
  - User Enter the credentials for accessing the remote computer. This may require you to enable RPC (the remote procedure call protocol) on the remote computer.
  - Password
  - Authority: Enter NTLMDOMAIN:<NameOfDomain> where NameOfDomain is the domain of the user account specified in the User field.
- 6. Click Enum Classes.
- 7. In the Superclass Info window, select the **Recursive** radio button, but do not enter a superclass name. Then, click **OK**.
- 8. The WMI Tester will generate a list of classes. If this list does not appear, go to the Microsoft Developer Network web site for troubleshooting help.

http://msdn.microsoft.com/en-us/library/ms735120.aspx

#### Installing Data Collector Software: From the Internet

Follow these instructions if you are installing on a Data Collector Server that has Internet access and a web browser.

Log in as a Local Administrator to have the necessary permissions for this installation.

If your Data Collector Server does not have Internet access or web browser access--for example, X-Windows not available, proceed to the following section.

See "Installing Data Collector Software: No Internet Available from the Data Collector Server" on page 21.

- 1. Start the web browser on the **Data Collector Server**.
- 2. Navigate to the Support website to access the relevant download link.
- 3. Select the Data Collector Installer that corresponds to the platform of the **Data** Collector Server.
  - Linux: sc datacollector linux <releaseversion> <MMDDYYYY>.bin
  - Windows: sc datacollector win <releaseversion> <MMDDYYYY>.exe
- 4. Execute the OS-specific Data Collector installer.
- 5. Proceed to the UI Deployment of the Data Collector. See "Installing Data Collector Software: UI Deployment" on page 22.

#### Installing Data Collector Software: No Internet Available from the Data Collector Server

Use these instructions if you are installing via the Internet where Internet access is not available from the data collector server.

- 1. Note the Platform/OS of the **Data Collector Server**on which you want to install the Data Collector.
- 2. Open a browser on a client with web access (you will download the installer to this client, and then copy it to the Data Collector Server).
- Navigate to the Support website to access the relevant download link.
- 4. Download the Data Collector Installer that corresponds to the platform of the Data Collector Server.
  - Linux: sc datacollector linux <releaseversion> <MMDDYYYY>.bin

- Windows: sc datacollector win <releaseversion> <MMDDYYYY>.exe
- 5. At the prompt, save the Data Collector Installer to a directory on the client.
- 6. Copy the Data Collector Installer to the Data Collector Server where the Data Collector is to be installed.
- 7. Go to the Data Collector Server and run the installer.
  - On Windows:

Execute sc datacollector win <releaseversion> <MMDDYYYY>.exe

 Proceed to the UI deployment. See "Installing Data Collector Software: UI Deployment" on page 22.

#### On Linux:

If the **Data Collector Server** has X-Windows, take these steps, substituting the relevant Data Collector Installer name for <installer file> chmod +x <installer file> sh ./<installer file> -i swing

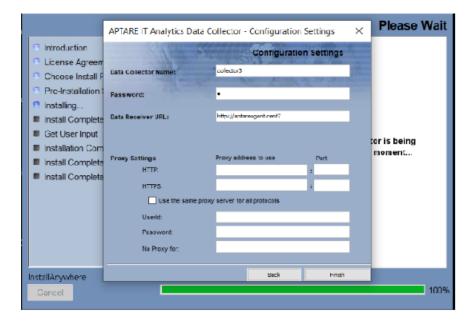
- Proceed to the UI deployment. See "Installing Data Collector Software: UI Deployment" on page 22. If the **Data Collector Server** does not have X-Windows:
- Proceed to the Console Installation instructions.

#### **Installing Data Collector Software: UI Deployment**

InstallAnywhere will prepare to install the Data Collector software. After checking the available disk space and downloading the installer, an introduction dialog window outlines the installation process.

- 1. Review the installation process and click **Next**. The License Agreement displays for your acknowledgement.
- Read the agreement and click the "I accept" radio button and then Next. The installer will display a window, which prompts you for an Install Folder.
- 3. Specify the directory where you would like to install the Data Collector software. Accepting the default paths is recommended. Windows default directory: C:\Program Files\Aptare
- 4. Click **Next** to display the Pre-Installation Summary.

- 5. Review the summary and click **Install**. The dialog tracks the installation as it progresses.
- 6. A Configuration Settings window will prompt you to select a Data Collection Task. The configuration choices are: Data Collector (includes WMI Proxy) or WMI Proxy Server (only). A single Data Collector can be installed for multiple products on a single server. When you select a backup product, if you are installing on a Windows server, the WMI Proxy Server is automatically included with the installation. When you select a storage array, the Host Resources setup is automatically included in the installation. The WMI Proxy Server also can be installed individually.
- Enter the configuration settings for your particular environment. 7.



- 8. After entering the configuration settings, click **Next**. At this point, the Data Collector has been successfully installed, however, to validate the Data Collector installation, it is recommended that you run the C:\Program Files\Aptare\mbs\bin\checkinstall.bat batch file.
- Choose Run now and click Done in the Get User Input window to validate the installation and then guit the installer. The InstallAnywhere portion of the installation is now complete and the process continues with the command-line script execution.

Field	Description
Data Collector Name *	A unique name assigned to this Data Collector. This is the name that you used during the pre-Installation setup. The Data Collector will use this value for authentication purposes.
Password *	The password assigned to this Data Collector.
	The password is encrypted prior to saving in the APTARE IT Analytics database and is never visible in any part of the application.
Data Receiver URL*	This is the URL the Data Collector uses to communicate to the Portal server. The format of this URL should be:
	http://aptareagent.yourdomain.com
	It is similar to the URL you use to access the web-based Portal (http://aptareportal.yourdomain.com).
	<b>Note:</b> Be sure to enter the URL with the prefix aptareagent and NOT aptareportal.
Proxy Settings (Optional)	Enter the proxy server details for both http and https, including the User ID and Password for the server.
	HTTP/HTTPS: Enter a hostname or IP address and a port number.
	Use the same proxy server for all protocols: Check this box if the proxy server is used for all.
	User ID & Password: Enter the credentials for the proxy server.
	No Proxy for: List hostnames or IP addresses that will not be proxied. Examples: 192.168.1.1/21, localhost

#### **Installing Data Collector Software: From the** Console

Follow these instructions when installing on a Linux server that does not have X-Windows. The Installer will guide you through the sequence of steps to install and configure the Data Collector. If at any time you need to go back a step, simply type 'back' at the prompt.

Note: The Data Collector installer does not support console-based installation for the Windows operating system.

From your telnet session **cd** to the location where the Data Collector Installer file has been saved.

Execute the following commands, substituting the relevant Data Collector Installer name for <installer name>.bin.

```
chmod +x <installer name>.bin
sh ./<installer name>.bin -i console
```

- 3. InstallAnywhere will prepare to install the Data Collector software.
- 4. The License Agreement will be displayed.
- Read the agreement and type Y to accept it. 5.
- 6. The installer will prompt for the installation location.
- 7. A Pre-Installation Summary will be displayed.
- 8. The installation process will track the progress.
- 9. The installer will prompt for the **Data Collector Name**. This is the ID that will be used on the Portal side to authenticate the Data Collector. This value should be the same value you configured on the Portal for the field "ID" during the Pre-Installation step.
- 10. The installer will prompt for the Data Collector Password. This is the password that will be used on the Portal side to authenticate the Data Collector. This value should be the same value you configured on the Portal for the field "passcode" during the Pre-Installation step.
- 11. The installer will prompt for the **Data Receiver URL**. This is the URL the Data Collector uses to communicate to the Portal server. This is the URL the Data Collector uses to communicate to the Portal server. The format of this URL should be:

http://aptareagent.yourdomain.com

It is similar to the URL you use to access the web-based Portal (http://aptareportal.yourdomain.com).

IMPORTANT NOTE: Be sure to enter the URL with the prefix aptareagent and NOT aptareportal

```
Configuration Settings - 3
        Enter Data Receiver URL
        (Required Field)
        Data Receiver URL (DEFAULT: ):
http://aptareagent.yourdomain.com
       The installer will perform a post-install validation:
        The installer will now configure the installation.
        This may take a few minutes.
```

12. Web Proxy (HTTP) settings can be configured.

Enter HTTPs Proxy Port

```
Configuration Settings- 4
______
Connection Settings
Use Proxies? (Y/N) (DEFAULT: N): y
Configuration Settings - 5
_____
Enter HTTP Proxy IP Address
(Please leave field empty if there is no Proxy/Firewall)
HTTP Proxy IP Address (DEFAULT: ): 10.2.2.116
Configuration Settings - 6
_____
Enter HTTP Proxy Port
(Please leave field empty if there is no Proxy/Firewall)
HTTP Proxy Port (DEFAULT: ): 3128
Configuration Settings - 7
_____
Enter HTTPs Proxy IP Address
(Please leave field empty if there is no Proxy/Firewall)
HTTPs Proxy IP Address (DEFAULT: ):
Configuration Settings - 8
_____
```

(Please leave field empty if there is no Proxy/Firewall)

```
HTTPs Proxy Port (DEFAULT: ):
      Configuration Settings - 9
      _____
      Enter Proxy UserId
      (Please leave field empty if there is no Proxy/Firewall)
      Proxy UserId (DEFAULT: ):
      Configuration Settings - 10
      _____
      Enter Proxy Password
      (Please leave field empty if there is no Proxy/Firewall)
      Proxy Password:
      Configuration Settings - 11
      _____
      Enter comma separated IP Addresses to exclude from Proxy
      (Please leave field empty if there is no Proxy/Firewall)
      No Proxy for (DEFAULT: ):
      The installer will now configure the installation.
      This may take a few minutes.
      PRESS <ENTER> TO
Installation Complete
      _____
      To validate the Data Collector installation, it is
recommended that you run the
      <home>/mbs/bin/checkinstall.sh script.
```

Chapter 3

### Validating Data Collection

This chapter includes the following topics:

- Validation Methods
- Data Collectors: Vendor-Specific Validation Methods
- Working with On-Demand Data Collection
- Using the CLI Checkinstall Utility
- List Data Collector Configurations

#### **Validation Methods**

Validation methods are initiated differently based on subsystem vendor associated with the Data Collector policy, but perform essentially the same functions. Refer to the following table for vendor-specific validation methods.

- Test Connection Initiates a connection attempt directly from a data collector policy screen that attempts to connect to the subsystem using the IP addresses and credentials supplied in the policy. This validation process returns either a success message or a list of specific connection errors.
- On-Demand data collection run Initiates an immediate end-to-end run of the collection process from the Portal without waiting for the scheduled launch. This on-demand run also serves to validate the policy and its values (the same as Test Connection), providing a high-level check of the installation at the individual policy level, including a check for the domain, host group, URL, Data Collector policy and database connectivity. This is initiated at the policy-level from Admin>Data Collection>Collector Administration.

See "Working with On-Demand Data Collection" on page 31.

 CLI Checkinstall Utility- This legacy command line utility performs both the Test Connection function and On-Demand data collection run from the Data Collector server.

See "Using the CLI Checkinstall Utility" on page 33.

Note: APTARE IT Analytics does not recommend using the CLI Checkinstall utility for any Data Collector subsystem vendor which supports On-Demand runs.

#### **Data Collectors: Vendor-Specific Validation Methods**

Table 3-1

Vendor Name	Test Connection	On-Demand	CLI Checkinstall Utility
Amazon Web Services (AWS)	x	x	
Brocade Switch		x	
Brocade Zone Alias	x	x	
Cisco Switch		x	
Cisco Zone Alias	x	x	
Cohesity DataProtect	x	x	
Commvault Simpana			x
Dell Compellent			x
Dell EMC Elastic Cloud Storage (ECS)	х	х	
Dell EMC NetWorker Backup & Recovery	х		
Dell EMC Unity	х	х	
EMC Avamar		х	
EMC Data Domain Backup	x	x	
EMC Data Domain Storage	x	x	

Table 3-1 (continued)

Vendor Name	Test Connection	On-Demand	CLI Checkinstall Utility
EMC Isilon		x	
EMC NetWorker			х
EMC Symmetrix	x	х	
EMC VNX CLARiiON	x	x	
EMC VNX Celerra			х
EMC VPLEX			х
EMC XtremIO	x	х	
HDS HCP	x	х	
HDS HNAS		х	
HP 3PAR			х
HP Data Protector			х
HP EVA			х
HPE Nimble Storage	x	х	
Hitachi Block			х
Hitachi Content Platform (HCP)	x	х	
Hitachi NAS	x	х	
Huawei OceanStor	x	х	
IBM Enterprise			х
IBM SVC			х
IBM Spectrum Protect (TSM)		х	
IBM VIO	x	х	
IBM XIV			х
INFINIDAT Infinibox	х	х	
Microsoft Azure	x	x	

Table 3-1 (continued)

Vendor Name	Test Connection	On-Demand	CLI Checkinstall Utility
Microsoft Hyper-V	х	x	
Microsoft Windows Server	х	х	
NAKIVO Backup & Replication	х	х	
NetApp E Series			х
Netapp		х	
Netapp Cluster Mode		х	
OpenStack Ceilometer	х	х	
OpenStack Swift	x Test Connection is included with the Get Nodes function.	x	
Oracle Recovery Manager (RMAN)	х	х	
Pure FlashArray	х	х	
Rubrik Cloud Data Management	х	х	
VMWare			х
Veeam Backup & Replication	х	х	
Veritas Backup Exec			х
Veritas NetBackup	x	х	
Veritas NetBackup Appliance	Х	x	

#### **Working with On-Demand Data Collection**

Note: On-Demand data collection is not available for all policies.

On-Demand data collection serves multiple purposes. You can use it to:

- Validate the collection process is working end-to-end when you create a data collector policy
- Launch an immediate run of the collection process without waiting for the scheduled run
- Populate your database with new/fresh data
- Collections can run on a schedule or On-Demand using the Run button on the action bar. On-Demand allows you to select which probes and devices to run. The On-Demand run collects data just like a scheduled run plus additional logging information for troubleshooting. A stopped Policy still allows an On-Demand collection run, providing the policy is one of the specified vendors and the Collector is online.

#### To initiate an on-demand data collection

- Select Admin > Data Collection > Collector Administration. All Data Collectors are displayed.
- 2 Click **Expand All** to browse for a policy or use **Search**.
- 3 Select a data collector policy from the list. If the vendor is supported, the Run button is displayed on the action bar.
- Click **Run**. A dialog allowing you to select individual probes and servers to test the collection run is displayed. The following example shows the Amazon Web Services dialog. See the vendor specific content for details on probes and servers.



Click Start. Data is collected just like a scheduled run plus additional logging information for troubleshooting. Once started, you can monitor the status of the run through to completion.

Note: If there is another data collection run currently in progress when you click **Start**, the On-Demand run will wait to start until the in-progress run is completed.

#### **Using the CLI Checkinstall Utility**

This legacy utility performs both the Test Connection function and On-Demand data collection run from a command line interface launched from the Data Collector server.

Note: APTARE IT Analytics does not recommend using the CLI Checkinstall utility for any Data Collector subsystem vendor which supports On-Demand runs.

The following directions assume that the Data Collector files have been installed in their default location:

Windows (C:\Program Files\Aptare) or Linux (/opt/aptare).

If you have installed the files in a different directory, make the necessary path translations in the following instructions.

Note: Some of the following commands can take up to several hours, depending on the size of your enterprise.

#### To run Checkinstall

Open a session on the Data Collector server.

Windows: Open a command prompt window.

Linux: Open a telnet session logged in as root to the Data Collector Server.

2 Change to the directory where you'll run the validation script.

Windows: At the command prompt, type:

cd C:\Program Files\Aptare\mbs\bin <enter>

Linux: In the telnet session, type:

cd /opt/aptare/mbs/bin <enter>

3 Execute the validation script.

Windows: At the command prompt, type: checkinstall.bat <enter>

Linux: In the telnet session. type: ./checkinstall.sh <enter>

The **checkinstall** utility performs a high-level check of the installation, including a check for the domain, host group and URL, Data Collector policy and database connectivity. This utility will fail if a Data Collector policy has not been configured in the Portal. For a component check, specifically for Host Resources, run the hostresourcedetail.sh|batutility.

Checkinstall includes an option to run a probe for one or more specific devices. Note that certain Data Collectors will not allow individual selection of devices. Typically these are collectors that allow the entry of multiple server addresses or ranges of addresses in a single text box. These collectors include: Cisco Switch, EMC CLARiiON, EMC Data Domain, EMC VNX arrays, HP 3PAR, IBM mid-range arrays, IBM XIV arrays and VMWare. Data Collectors that probe all devices that are attached to a management server also do not allow individual selection of devices: EMC Symmetric, File Analytics, Hitachi arrays and IBM VIO.

If the output in the previous steps contains the word **FAILED**, then contact Support and have the following files ready for review:

/opt/aptare/mbs/logs/validation/

C:\Program Files\Aptare\mbs\logs\validation\

#### **List Data Collector Configurations**

Use this utility to list the various child threads and their configurations encapsulated within a data collector configuration. This utility can be used in conjunction with other scripts, such as checkinstall.[sh|bat].

On Linux: ./listcollectors.sh On Windows: listcollectors.bat

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### Chapter

## Uninstalling the Data Collector

This chapter includes the following topics:

- Uninstall the Data Collector on Linux
- Uninstall the Data Collector on Windows

#### **Uninstall the Data Collector on Linux**

**Note:** This uninstall process assumes that the Data Collector was installed using the standard installation process.

- Login to the Data Collector Server as root.
- 2. Stop the Data Collector service, using the command appropriate for the operating system.

[Data Collector Home Folder]/mbs/bin/aptare agent stop

Run the Uninstall Data Collector Agent script, located in the following directory:

[Data Collector Home Folder]/UninstallerData

#### Uninstall the Data Collector on Windows

- Login to the **Data Collector Server**. (User must have Administrator privileges.) 1.
- 2. Stop the Data Collector services.
  - Click Start > Settings > Control Panel
  - Click Administrative Tools.
  - Click Services.
- 3. Click Uninstall APTARE IT Analytics Data Collector in Start Menu/Programs/APTARE IT Analytics Data Collector
- 4. Follow the prompts in the uninstall windows.

Note: The uninstaller may not delete the entire Data Collector directory structure. Sometimes new files, created after the installation, along with their parent directories, are not removed. You may need to manually remove the root install folder (default C:\Program Files\Aptare) and its sub-folders after the uninstaller completes.

Chapter 5

## Manually Starting the Data Collector

This chapter includes the following topics:

Introduction

#### Introduction

The installer configures the Data Collector to start automatically, however, it does not actually start it upon completion of the installation because you must first validate the installation.

Follow these steps, for the relevant operating system, to manually start the Data Collector service:

#### On Windows

The installer configures the Data Collector process as a Service.

To view the Data Collector Status:

- 1. Click Start > Settings > Control Panel
- Click Administrative Tools.
- 3. Click **Services**. The Microsoft Services dialog is displayed. It should include entries for **Aptare Agent**. Start this service if it is not running.

#### On Linux

The installer automatically copies the Data Collector "start" and "stop" scripts to the appropriate directory, based on the vendor operating system.

To start the data collector, use the following command:

etc/init.d/aptare\_agent start

Appendix A

## Firewall Configuration: Default Ports

This appendix includes the following topics:

Firewall Configuration: Default Ports

#### **Firewall Configuration: Default Ports**

The following table describes the standard ports used by the Portal servers, the Data Collector servers, and any embedded third-party software products as part of a standard "out-of-the-box" installation.

Table A-1 Components: Default Ports

Component	Default Ports
Apache Web Server	http 80
	https 443
Linux Hosts	SSH 22, Telnet 23
Managed Applications	Oracle ASM 1521
	MS Exchange 389
	MS SQL 1433
	File Analytics CIFS 137, 139
Oracle	1521
Oracle TNS listener port	

Components: Default Ports (continued) Table A-1

Component	Default Ports
Tomcat - Data Receiver	8011, 8017
Apache connector port and shutdown port for Data Receiver instance of tomcat	
Tomcat - Portal	8009, 8015
Apache connector port and shutdown port for Portal instance of tomcat	
Windows Hosts	TCP/IP 1248
	WMI 135
	DCOM TCP/UDP > 1023
	SMB TCP 445

Storage Vendors: Default Ports Table A-2

Storage Vendor	Default Ports and Notes
Dell Compellent	1433
	SMI-S http (5988)
	SMI-S https (5989)
Dell EMC Elastic Cloud Storage (ECS)	REST API 80/443
Dell EMC Unity	REST API version 4.3.0 on 443 or 8443
EMC Data Domain Storage	SSH 22
EMC Isilon	SSH 22
EMC Symmetrix	SymCLI over Fibre Channel 2707
EMC VNX (CLARiiON)	NaviCLI 443, 2163, 6389, 6390, 6391, 6392
EMC VNX (Celerra)	XML API 443, 2163, 6389, 6390, 6391, 6392
EMC VPLEX	https TCP 443
EMC XtremIO	REST API https 443
HP 3PAR	22 for CLI

Table A-2 Storage Vendors: Default Ports (continued)

Storage Vendor	Default Ports and Notes	
HP EVA	2372	
HPE Nimble Storage	5392, REST API Reference Version 5.0.1.0	
Hitachi Block Storage	TCP 2001	
	For the HIAA probe: 22015 is used for HTTP and 22016 is used for HTTPS.	
Hitachi Content Platform (HCP)	SNMP 161	
	REST API https 9090	
Hitachi NAS (HNAS)	SSC 206	
Huawei OceanStor Enterprise Storage	8080	
IBM Enterprise	TCP 1751, 1750, 1718	
	DSCLI	
IBM SVC	SSPC w/CIMOM 5988, 5989	
IBM XIV	XCLI TCP 7778	
INFINIDAT InfiniBox	REST API TCP 80, 443	
Microsoft Windows Server	2012 R2, 2016	
	WMI 135	
	DCOM TCP/UDP > 1023	
NetApp E-Series	SMCLI 2436	
NetApp ONTAP 7-Mode and Cluster-Mode	ONTAP API	
	80/443	
Pure Storage FlashArray	REST API https 443	
Veritas NetBackup Appliance	1556	

Data Protection: Default Ports Table A-3

Data Protection Vendor	Default Ports and Notes
Cohesity DataProtect	REST API on Port 80 or 443

Data Protection: Default Ports (continued) Table A-3

Data Protection Vendor	Default Ports and Notes
Commvault Simpana	1433, 135 (skipped files)
	445 (CIFS over TCP)
	DCOM >1023
Dell EMC Networker Backup & Recovery	Port used for Dell EMC NetWorker REST API connection. Default: 9090.
EMC Avamar	5555
	SSH 22
EMC Data Domain Backup	SSH 22
EMC NetWorker	■ NSRADMIN TCP 7937-7940
	<ul> <li>WMI Proxy range of ports</li> </ul>
	SSH 22 (Linux)
HP Data Protector	5555 WMI ports SSH 22 (Linux)
IBM Spectrum Protect (TSM)	1500
NAKIVO Backup & Replication	Director Web UI port (Default: 4443)
Oracle Recovery Manager (RMAN)	1521
Rubrik Cloud Data Management	REST API 443
Veeam Backup & Replication	9392
Veritas Backup Exec	1433
Veritas NetBackup	1556, 13724
	WMI ports
	SSH 22 (Linux)

Table A-4 Network & Fabrics: Default Ports

Network & Fabrics Vendor	<b>Default Ports and Notes</b>
Brocade Switch	SMI-S 5988/5989
Cisco Switch	SMI-S 5988/5989

Table A-5 Virtualization Vendors: Default Ports

Virtualization Vendor	Default Ports and Notes
IBM VIO	SSH 22, Telnet 23
Microsoft Hyper-V	WMI 135 DCOM TCP/UDP > 1023
VMware ESX or ESXi,vCenter,vSphere	vSphere VI SDK https TCP 443

Replication Vendors: Default Ports Table A-6

Replication Vendor	Default Ports and Notes
NetApp ONTAP 7-Mode	ONTAP API
	80/443

Cloud Vendors: Default Ports Table A-7

Cloud Vendor	Default Ports and Notes
Amazon Web Services	https 443
Microsoft Azure	https 443
OpenStack Ceilometer	8774, 8777
	Keystone Admin 3537
	Keystone Public 5000
OpenStack Swift	Keystone Admin 35357
	Keystone Public 5000
	SSH 22