

Adding Intrusion Detection and Prevention Clusters in NSM Overview

In IDP, maximum of two clusters join together to ensure continued network uptime. The device configurations are synchronized, meaning all cluster members share the same configuration settings, enabling an IDP device to handle traffic for another if one device fails.

Adding a cluster is a two-stage process:

- Add the cluster device object.
- Add the members of the cluster to the cluster device object.

For complete details on adding IDP clusters, see the *Network and Security Manager Administration Guide*.

- Related Topics**
- Using Templates and Configuration Groups in NSM Overview
 - NSM and Intrusion Detection and Prevention Device Management Overview

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