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Objectives

Juniper Networks NSMXpress Series II is an appliance version of Network and Security Manager (NSM), a software application that centralizes control and management of your Juniper Networks devices. With NSM, Juniper Networks delivers integrated, policy-based security and network management for network and security devices.

NSMXpress Series II simplifies the complexity of device administration by providing single, integrated management interfaces that control device parameters. Each appliance is preconfigured as either a regional server or central manager.

This guide describes how you can install NSM onto your NSMXpress Series II appliance. In addition, this guide describes how to manage the appliance using the NSM command-line interface (CLI) or the Web interface.

Audience

This guide is intended for system administrators responsible for the security infrastructure of their organization. Specifically, this book provides procedures for firewall and VPN administrators, network/security operations center administrators, and system administrators responsible for user permissions on the network.

Conventions

The sample screens used throughout this guide are representations of the screens that appear when you install and configure the NSM software. The actual screens you see may differ.

All examples show default file paths. If you do not accept the installation defaults, your paths will vary from the examples.
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<td>Informational note</td>
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<td>Caution</td>
<td>Indicates a situation that might result in loss of data or hardware damage.</td>
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<td>🚨</td>
<td>Warning</td>
<td>Alerts you to the risk of personal injury or death.</td>
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<td>🌍</td>
<td>Laser warning</td>
<td>Alerts you to the risk of personal injury from a laser.</td>
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Table 2 on page xvi defines text conventions used in this guide.

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<td>Issue the clock source command. Specify the keyword exp-msg. Click User Objects</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Bold typeface like this</strong></td>
<td>Represents text that the user must type.</td>
<td>user input</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>fixed-width font</strong></td>
<td>Represents information as displayed on the terminal screen.</td>
<td>host1# show ip ospf Routing Process OSPF 2 with Router ID 5.5.0.250 Router is an area Border Router (ABR)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Key names linked with a plus (+) sign</td>
<td>Indicates that you must press two or more keys simultaneously.</td>
<td>Ctrl + d</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Italics</strong></td>
<td>Emphasizes words Identifies variables</td>
<td>The product supports two levels of access, user and privileged. clusterID, ipAddress</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>The angle bracket (&gt;)</td>
<td>Indicates navigation paths through the UI by clicking menu options and links.</td>
<td>Object Manager &gt; User Objects &gt; Local Objects</td>
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<td>Words in plain text</td>
<td>Represent keywords</td>
<td>terminal length</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Words in italics</td>
<td>Represent variables</td>
<td>mask, accessListName</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Words separated by the pipe (</td>
<td>) symbol</td>
<td>Represent a choice to select one keyword or variable to the left or right of</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>this symbol. The keyword or variable can be optional or required.</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Words enclosed in brackets ( [ )</td>
<td>Represent optional keywords or variables.</td>
<td>[ internal</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Words enclosed in brackets followed by and asterisk ( [ ])*</td>
<td>Represent optional keywords or variables that can be entered more than once.</td>
<td>[ level1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Words enclosed in braces ( { )</td>
<td>Represent required keywords or variables.</td>
<td>{ permit</td>
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<tr>
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<td>Describes how to use and configure key management features in the NSM. It provides conceptual information, suggested workflows, and examples. This guide is best used in conjunction with the NSM Online Help, which provides step-by-step instructions for performing management tasks in the NSM user interface (UI). This guide is intended for application administrators or those individuals responsible for owning the server and security infrastructure and configuring the product for multiuser systems. It is also intended for device configuration administrators, firewall and VPN administrators, and network security operation center administrators.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Network and Security Manager Configuring ScreenOS and IDP Devices Guide</td>
<td>Describes NSM features related to device configuration and management. It also explains how to configure basic and advanced NSM functionality, including deploying new device configurations, managing security policies and VPNS, and general device administration.</td>
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PART 1

Using NSMXpress Series II

Part 1 contains the following chapters:

- Getting Started on page 3
- Installing and Configuring NSM from the CLI on page 11
- Configuring NSM from the Web Interface on page 29
CHAPTER 1

Getting Started

This version of NSMXpress Series II comes preconfigured as a regional server or central manager.

This chapter contains the following sections:

- About NSMXpress Series II on page 3
- Hardware Installation on page 4
- Initial Setup Configuration on page 8

About NSMXpress Series II

NSMXpress Series II is an appliance version of Network and Security Manager (NSM). NSMXpress Series II simplifies the complexity of network administration by providing single, integrated management interfaces that control device parameters.

This robust hardware management system installs in minutes with full high availability (HA) support, making it easy to scale and deploy. Enterprise customers with limited resources can benefit significantly from NSMXpress Series II because it eliminates the need to have dedicated resources for maintaining a network and security management solution.

NSMXpress Series II make it easy for administrators to control device configuration, network settings, and security policy settings for multiple families of Juniper Networks devices including:

- IDP Series Intrusion Detection and Prevention Appliances and Firewall and VPN devices running ScreenOS.
- Devices running JUNOS software, such as J Series Services Routers, SRX Series Services Gateways, EX Series Ethernet Switches, M Series Multiservice Edge Routers, and MX Series Ethernet Services routers.
- SA Series SSL VPN Appliances
- IC Series Unified Access Control Appliances

For a complete list of supported device families and platforms, see the Network and Security Manager Administration Guide.

Up to 10 administrators can log into NSMXpress Series II concurrently.
Installation and Configuration Workflow

This guide explains the steps for installing and configuring NSMXpress Series II and for configuring NSM.

1. Install the NSMXpress Series II appliance hardware.
2. Set up the NSMXpress Series II appliance using the serial port.
3. Configure the NSMXpress Series II software using either the CLI or the Web interface.
4. Configure the NSM software which is preinstalled in the NSMXpress Series II appliance, with site-specific parameters.

Hardware Installation

We recommend that you install the NSMXpress Series II appliance on your LAN to ensure that it can communicate with your applicable resources, such as authentication servers, DNS servers, internal Web servers through HTTP/HTTPS, external Web sites through HTTP/HTTPS (optional), the Juniper update server via HTTP, Network File System (NFS) file servers (optional), and client/server applications (optional).

NOTE: If you decide to install an NSMXpress Series II appliance in your DMZ, ensure that it can connect to your internal resources.

NSMXpress Series II Ports

Table 5 on page 5 provides required port information on the NSMXpress Series II appliance.
Table 5: Required Ports on NSMXpress Series II

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Direction</th>
<th>Port</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>LAN</th>
<th>Internet</th>
<th>Depends on Configuration</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>In</td>
<td>22</td>
<td>SSH command-line management</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>443</td>
<td>Web interface for administrator login</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>8443</td>
<td>Web interface for listening for NSM API messages.</td>
<td>LAN</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>7800</td>
<td>Connections from managed devices to the NSM appliance</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>7801</td>
<td>Connections from the NSM GUI Client to NSM</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>7802</td>
<td>Heartbeat between peers in an HA cluster</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>7803</td>
<td>Connections from managed IDP devices to NSM</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>7804</td>
<td>Connections from devices running JUNOS, Secure Access devices, or Infranet Controller devices</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<tr>
<td>Out</td>
<td>22</td>
<td>SSH connection to new managed device</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>23</td>
<td>Telnet connection to new managed device</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td></td>
<td>53</td>
<td>DNS lookups</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
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<td></td>
<td>80</td>
<td>System Security Updates from Juniper Networks</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
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<td></td>
<td>111</td>
<td>Shared Disk portmap lookup</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>123</td>
<td>Network Time Protocol (NTP) time synchronization</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>2049</td>
<td>Shared Disk NFS connection</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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</table>

For more information on ports, refer to the *Network and Security Manager Installation Guide*. 
Installing the NSMXpress Series II Hardware

Follow these steps to unpack the NSMXpress Series II appliance and connect it to your network.

To install NSMXpress Series II:

1. Place the shipping container on a flat surface and remove the hardware components with care.
2. Remove the NSMXpress Series II device from the shipping container and place it on a flat surface.
3. Mount NSMXpress Series II in your server rack using the attached mounting brackets.
4. Plug the power cord into the AC receptacle on the rear panel.

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**Figure 1: Rear Panel of NSMXpress Series II**

![Rear Panel Diagram]

If your NSMXpress contains two power supplies, plug a power cord into each AC receptacle.

5. Plug the other end of the power cord into a wall socket.

If your NSMXpress Series II contains two power supplies, plug each power cord into a separate power circuit to ensure that the NSMXpress Series II continues to receive power if one of the power circuits fails.

6. Plug the Ethernet cable into the network port marked ETH0 on the front panel. See Figure 2 on page 6.

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**Figure 2: Front Panel of NSMXpress Series II**

![Front Panel Diagram]
7. Plug the console cable with the DB9 to RJ45 adapter into the console port. See Figure 2 on page 6. This cable was shipped with your NSMXpress Series II appliance. See Table 7 on page 7.

8. Push the power button on the rear panel. See Figure 1 on page 6.

The green LED on the bottom left corner of the front panel turns on. The NSMXpress Series II hard disk LED turns on whenever the appliance reads data from or writes data to an NSMXpress Series II hard disk.

The internal port uses two LEDs to indicate the LAN connection status, which is described in Table 6 on page 7.

Hardware installation is now complete. The next step is to set up the software, as described in “Initial Setup Configuration” on page 8.

Table 6 on page 7 provides LED information for the Ethernet ports.

Table 6: Ethernet Port LEDs

<table>
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<tr>
<th>LAN Status</th>
<th>LED 1</th>
<th>LED2</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>10 Mbps connection</td>
<td>Off</td>
<td>Off</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>100 Mbps connection</td>
<td>Green</td>
<td>Off</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1000 Mbps connection</td>
<td>Orange</td>
<td>Off</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Data is being transferred</td>
<td>Orange, Green, or Off</td>
<td>Blinking</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>No connection</td>
<td>Off</td>
<td>Off</td>
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Table 7 on page 7 provides RJ-45 Console Connector Pinout information.

Table 7: RJ-45 Console Connector Pinout

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<th>Pin</th>
<th>Signal</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>RTS Output</td>
<td>Request to Send</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>DTR Output</td>
<td>Data Terminal Ready</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>TxD Output</td>
<td>Transmit Data</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4</td>
<td>GND</td>
<td>Chassis Ground</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>GND</td>
<td>Chassis Ground</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6</td>
<td>RxD Input</td>
<td>Receive Data</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7</td>
<td>DSR Input</td>
<td>Data Set Ready</td>
</tr>
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</table>
Initial Setup Configuration

When you first turn on an unconfigured NSMXpress Series II appliance, you need to enter basic network and machine information through the serial console to make your appliance accessible to the network. After entering these settings, you can continue configuring the appliance using the CLI or the Web interface. You are not prompted for the initial setup information again.

This section describes the required serial console setup and the tasks you need to perform when connecting to your NSMXpress Series II appliance for the first time:

- Boot NSMXpress Series II on page 8
- Set Up Your Appliance on page 9

Boot NSMXpress Series II

To configure NSMXpress Series II for the first time, you must attach your NSMXpress Series II appliance to a console terminal running an emulation utility such as HyperTerminal.

1. Configure a console terminal or terminal emulation utility to use the following serial connection parameters:
   - 9600 bits per second
   - 8-bit no parity (8N1)
   - 1 stop bit
   - No flow control

2. Connect the terminal or laptop to the console cable plugged into the NSMXpress Series II appliance console port.

3. Turn on the NSMXpress Series II appliance.

When the NSMXpress Series II appliance is powered on, the serial console displays diagnostic information before proceeding to the boot countdown. When complete, the serial console displays the login prompt terminal emulator.

NSMXpress.juniper.net login:

4. Enter admin as your default login name.

5. Enter abc123 as your default password.

6. Change your default password when prompted. Enter the default password first, followed by your new password. All passwords are case-sensitive.
Set Up Your Appliance

This section provides the minimum information necessary to make your appliance active on the network.

To set up your appliance either as a regional server or a central manager, follow these steps:

1. Enter the IP address for interface eth0 and press Enter.
2. Enter the subnet mask for interface eth0 and press Enter.
3. Enter the default route or default gateway address for interface eth0 and press Enter.

Applying changes...
Re-loading database
ip_tables: (C) 2000–2002 Netfilter core team
ip_tables: (C) 2000–2002 Netfilter core team
ip_tables: (C) 2000–2002 Netfilter core team
Done!

Your NSMXpress is now active on the network.
To configure your system via a web browser, connect to:
https://10.150.43.205/administration
To configure your system via command line, type:
nsm_setup

For operation of NSM server, switch to user “nsm”.
Please consult NSM product documentation for details.

[admin@NSMXpress ~]$  

To complete the setup process using the CLI, go to “CLI Configuration” on page 9. To complete the setup process using the Web interface, go to “Web Interface Configuration” on page 10.

CLI Configuration

To finish initial setup from the CLI, use the following steps. If you are logged in, enter nsm_setup at the command prompt.

If you are not logged on, follow these steps:

1. Enter your admin username, and then press Enter.
2. Enter your password and then press Enter.

Juniper NSMXpress OS build 2.105498
NSM 2010.2r1Kernel 2.6.9–55.0.2.ELsmp on an i686

NSMXpress.Juniper.net login: admin
Password:
Last login: Tue May 27 17:20:25 on ttyS0
Run NSMXpress system setup? [y/N]

3. Enter y to run the system setup program from the CLI.
NOTE: These values are not case-sensitive. However, the uppercase N indicates it is the default value. Any keystroke, including Enter but not y or Y, accepts the default value.

4. Go to “Installing and Configuring NSM from the CLI” on page 11 for information about how to install and configure NSM on your NSM appliance from the CLI.

NSMXpress Series II Users

NSMXpress Series II has three user levels. All users log in as the “admin” user. To use the command line to administer NSM, change to the “nsm” user. For advanced administration, change to the “root” user.

The following users are available to manage NSMXpress Series II.

- “admin” user—Logs into the NSMXpress Series II setup program and changes to “nsm” user or “root” user from the command line.
- “nsm” user—Administers NSM services. To change to the “nsm” user from the “admin” user, go to the $ prompt, enter `sudo su - nsm` for the $ nsm prompt, then enter the “admin” password you set when logging into the NSMXpress Series II appliance. To return to the “admin” user, enter `exit` at the $ prompt.
- “root” user—Administers advanced system settings. To change to “root” user from the “admin” user, go to the $ prompt, enter `sudo su - root` for the # root prompt, then enter the “admin” password you set when logging into the NSMXpress Series II appliance. To return to the “admin” user, enter `exit` from the # prompt.

Web Interface Configuration

To finish initial setup from a Web interface, use the following steps.

1. Copy the URL (starting with `https://`) from the terminal emulator after installing NSMXpress Series II:

   ```
   Your NSMXpress is now active on the network.
   To configure your system via a web browser, connect to:
   https://10.150.43.205/administration
   ```

2. Open a Web browser and paste the URL into the address text box.

3. Press Enter to open the NSMXpress Series II login page.

4. Enter the admin user name and password and then click Login.

5. See “Configuring NSM from the Web Interface” on page 29 for details about how to install and configure NSM on your NSMXpress Series II appliance from the Web interface.
CHAPTER 2

Installing and Configuring NSM from the CLI

This chapter describes how to install and configure NSM on your NSMXpress Series II appliance from the command-line interface (CLI). It contains the following sections:

- Navigating the Menus on page 11
- Configuring the NSM Software on page 13
- Configuring a Regional Server on page 14
- Configuring the Central Manager on page 19
- Configuring Standard Configuration Options on page 23
- NSMXpress Series II Default Restoration on page 27

Navigating the Menus

As you configure NSM on your NSMXpress Series II appliance, the following standard navigational menu options are available to you. This section provides information on general options you can use during setup and configuration. These options include:

- General Options on page 11
- Using nsm_setup on page 12

General Options

The NSM Configuration Main Menu has the following options:

NSM Configuration Main Menu

1> Management IP [10.150.43.205]
   The IP address on this server that will be used for management

2> NSM 'super' password []
   Password for 'super' user

3> GUI server one-time password []
   Password to initiate authentication between HA peers and to Central Manager. This password must be the same for all NSM servers in this installation.
NSM License type []
Specify a license file, or select "Base Install"
to use the built-in limited device license.

A> Apply settings
C> Cancel all changes and quit
R> Redraw menu

Choice [1-4,A,C,R]:
To select an option, enter the number at the prompt and then press Enter. The following options are available on most menus:

- Numbered Options—Enter setting options by number (1, 2, and so on) to access individual parameters or open menus.
- Apply settings—Enter A to apply and save any modifications you have made and take you out of the setup program.
- Cancel all changes and quit—Enter C to leave the setup program without saving any changes you made since you last saved.
- Redraw menu—Enter R to redraw the screen text.
- Main Menu/Return to Main Menu—Enter M to return to the main menu. This option is last on most menus.
- Quit—Enter Q to exit from the setup program. You will be prompted to save or cancel any changes you made since you last saved:

  Q> Quit
  R> Redraw menu

  Choice [1-9,Q,R]: Q

Using nsm_setup

After initial setup, you can cancel out of the setup program and later return to it. Follow these steps to return to the NSMXpress Series II setup program. The steps in this procedure assume that NSMXpress Series II is connected to a computer running a terminal emulation program. If not, see “Initial Setup Configuration” on page 8 for details.

NOTE: Run nsm_setup with your “admin” user login only. Do not run nsm_setup as an “nsm” user.

To return to the setup program after the initial setup:
1. Turn on the NSM appliance and wait for the login prompt:

   Juniper NSMXpress NSM 2010.2r1 Kernel 2.6.9-42.0.8.ELsmp on an i686

   NSMXpress.juniper.net logon: admin
   Password:
   Login: Tue May 17 09:43:50 on tty50
   Run NSMXpress system setup? [y/N] N

   To start system setup manually, type:
   nsm_setup

   for operation of NSM server, switch to user “nsm”.
   Please consult NSM product documentation for details.

   [admin@NSMXpress ~]$  

2. Log in using your “admin” user name and password.
3. Enter `nsm_setup` at the prompt.
4. Enter your password and press Enter.
5. From the Settings menu:
   - For a regional server, enter 9, and then enter 1 to display the NSM Configuration
     Main Menu for typical settings, or enter 2 for custom settings.
   - For a central manager, enter 9 to display the Configuration Main Menu.

### Configuring the NSM Software

After you log in as an “admin” user, an initial setup script walks you through additional configuration system settings before finalizing the NSM installation. This section describes that setup process.

The steps in this procedure assume you:

- Have completed all appropriate steps in “Getting Started” on page 3.
- Have a console terminal or terminal emulation utility running.
- See the following command output in the emulation utility window:

   Your NSMXpress is now active on the network.
   To configure your system via a web browser, connect to:
   https://10.150.43.205/administration

   To configure your system via command line, type:
   nsm_setup

   For operation of NSM server, switch to user “nsm”
   Please consult NSM product documentation for details.

   [admin@NSMXpress ~]$
Your NSMXpress Series II appliance comes preconfigured as a regional server or a central manager, as described in the following sections:

- Configuring a Regional Server on page 14
- Configuring the Central Manager on page 19

Configuring a Regional Server

For details on using the general setup menu items, see “Navigating the Menus” on page 11.

To configure the regional server, select one of the following options by number:

- Typical Settings—Enter 1 to select typical settings. This option provides a simplified menu to install a regional server. When using these options neither HA nor statistical report server (SRS) can be in use.
- Custom Settings—Enter 2 to select custom settings. This option provides full access to all configuration options including HA and SRS for regional server.

The following sections provide details of these options:

- Configuring Typical Settings on page 14
- Configuring Custom Settings on page 15

Configuring Typical Settings

This section describes the options that are available for a typical installation for the regional server:

NSM Configuration Main Menu

1> Management IP [10.150.43.205]
   The IP address on this server that will be used for management

2> NSM 'super' password []
   Password for 'super' user

3> GUI server one-time password []
   Password to initiate authentication between HA peers and to Central Manager. This password must be the same for all NSM servers in this installation.

4> NSM License type []
   Specify a license file, or select "Base Install" to use the built-in limited device license.

A> Apply settings
C> Cancel all changes and quit
R> Redraw menu

Choice [1-4,A,C,R]:
You have the following options:
• Management IP—Enter 1 to select interface eth0 or eth1 as the primary IP address for your management server. Once configured, the setup program displays the IP address for the interface you selected.

• NSM ‘super’ password—Enter 2 to specify an NSM super password. This password must be at least eight characters long and is case-sensitive. This password is used by the NSM superuser (also referred to as the NSM administrator). This user has the highest level of privilege in NSM.

• GUI Server one-time password—Enter 3 to specify this password. This password authenticates this server to its peers in a high-availability configuration, and to the central manager.

• NSM License type [Base Install]—Enter 4 to specify the license option. Enter Base Install to use the built-in limited device license for as many as 25 devices. This option is the default. Otherwise, enter the filename of the license file you purchased from Juniper Networks that permits you to manage more than 25 devices.

For additional details about NSM licensing, see the Network and Security Manager Installation Guide.

Configuring Custom Settings

This section describes the custom options that are available for a regional server configuration. The custom options include the typical options described in the previous section as well as the following two options:

5 Menu: High Availability [Off]

6 Menu: Advanced Options
You have the following options:

• High Availability—Enter 5 to open a menu to configure HA.

• Advanced Options—Enter 6 to open a menu of additional configurable options, including the port number for receiving messages through the NSM API, remote database replication details, and the Statistical Report Server (SRS).

The following sections provide details about these options:

• Configuring High Availability on page 15

• Configuring Advanced Options on page 17

Configuring High Availability

NOTE: When installing NSM regional server in a high availability configuration with a shared disk, you must first revert the system to factory default values using the boot menu. See “NSMXpress Series II Default Restoration” on page 27 for details.

The following options are available to configure high availability (HA) on the regional server.
- **High Availability**—Enter 1 to turn HA on or off.
- **Primary Status**—Enter 2 to specify the NSMXpress Series II appliance as either the primary or secondary server. At the next prompt, enter y for the primary server. Enter n for a secondary server.
- **HA Remote IP**—Enter 3 to specify the IP address for the HA peer in the HA cluster.
- **HA Link Failure Detection IP**—Enter 4 to specify the IP address of a machine outside the HA cluster that you can ping to verify connection status.
- **HA Inter-server password**—Enter 5 to specify the heartbeat password used between the primary and secondary servers.
- **Menu: Shared Disk**—Enter 6 to open a menu to help you configure a shared disk. NSMXpress Series II supports shared disks with NFS only. Because of the data-intensive nature of NSM, we recommend gigabit speed links (1000 Mbps) for shared disk usage. For more information on options available to you for custom settings, refer to the *Network and Security Manager Installation Guide*.

  1> Shared Disk: Gui Server [n]
  If 'y', data directory for GUI Server is a shared disk partition

  2> Shared Disk: Device Server [n]
  If 'y', data directory for Device Server is a shared disk partition

  3> Shared Disk Source (NFS) []
  Source of shared disk, e.g. /dev/sdc1 or server:/share

  4> Shared Disk NFS Mount Options [rw]
  Options when mounting shared disk e.g. rw, intr, tcp, soft, timeo=2

  5> Return to High Availability menu

- **Menu: HA Links**—Enter 7 to open a menu to help you configure the second HA link in the HA cluster. Use the items in this menu to set up a redundant link for the HA cluster. If you are going to use a second link, you need to set the IP address for eth1 before configuring this setting (see “Setting Interface Options” on page 24 for more information). Setting a redundant link is optional. For more information on options available to you for custom settings, refer to the *Network and Security Manager Installation Guide*.

  If you configure HA with just one heartbeat link, then device management traffic and data replication traffic both use that link. If you configure two links, device management traffic uses the first link and data replication uses the second.

  If the HA link count is set to 1, the only options available are to set the HA link count and to return to the High Availability menu. If the HA link count is set to 2, all options are available.

  1> HA Link count [2]
  Number of heartbeat links between the Primary and Secondary Servers.

  2> HA Link 2 Local IP []
  IP address for this machine's secondary heartbeat link

  3> HA Link 2 Remote IP []
  IP address for the peer's secondary heartbeat link
4> HA Remote Replication IP []
   IP address used for remote HA replications

5> Return to High Availability Menu

- Menu: HA Advanced Settings—Enter 8 to open a menu to configure HA advanced settings. For more information on options available to you for custom settings, refer to the Network and Security Manager Installation Guide.

  1> HA Heartbeat Frequency [15]
     Time interval in seconds between heartbeat messages (Default is 15 seconds)

  2> HA Heartbeat Failure Threshold [4]
     Number of missing heartbeat messages before automatic switchover occurs (Default is 4 missing messages)

  3> HA Data Replication Timeout [1800]
     Rsync Command Replication Timeout (Default is 1800 seconds)

  4> Return to high Availability menu

Configuring Advanced Options
The Advanced Options menu provides the following configuration options:

Menu: Advanced Options

1> https port for NBI service [8443]
   The port number to listen for NBI
   (Default is 8443)

2> Menu: Remote Replication of Database [Off]

3> Menu: SRS [Off]

M> Main Menu
R> Redraw menu

Choice [1-3,M,R]:
You have the following options:

- https port for NBI service—Enter 1 to change the port number for listening for messages for the NSM API. In response to the prompt, enter a value in the range 1025 through 65535. Any number outside this range returns an error message. The default value is 8443.

- Menu: Remote Replication of Database—Enter 2 to display a menu of options for configuring the time of day to take the backup, the location of the backup, and timeout value.

- Menu: SRS—Enter 3 to open a menu to configure Statistical Report Server (SRS).
The following sections provide details about configuring remote backup and SRS:

- Enabling and Configuring Remote Replication of the Database on page 18
- Enabling and Configuring the Statistical Report Server on page 18

**Enabling and Configuring Remote Replication of the Database**

On the Advanced Options menu, enter 2 to open a menu that allows you to mirror the daily backup to an external server. You can toggle it on or off. After you turn it on, use the menu options to configure this option:

1> Remote Replication of Database [n]
If 'y', local backups will be sent to a remote backup machine

2> Hour of day to Replicate Database [02]
Hour to start a backup

3> Remote backup IP [ ]
IP address of a remote backup machine

4> Remote Replication Timeout (seconds) [1800]
Rsync Command Backup Timeout (seconds)
(Default is 1800 seconds)

The screen always shows the current status of the remote backup database. If no status exists, the option has not yet been configured.

- Remote Replication of Database—Enter 1 to turn remote replication on or off. At the next prompt, enter y to change the state.
- Hour of day to Replicate Database—Enter 2 to start the backup at the specified time.
  The valid range is 00-23.
- Remote Backup IP—Enter 3 to specify the IP address of the remote backup machine.
  Backup information is copied to the /var/netscreen/dbbackup directory on the remote server. The “nsm” user must exist on both servers and you must establish an SSH trust relationship. See the Network and Security Manager Installation Guide for details.
- Remote Replication Timeout—Enter 4 to time out the remote backup. The valid range is 1-65535 seconds.

**Enabling and Configuring the Statistical Report Server**

The following options are available to configure the statistical report server (SRS):

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**NOTE:** SRS must be installed on a separate server from NSM.

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1> SRS [n]
Statistical Report Server will be used with this GUI Server

2> SRS DB IP [ ]
Database server IP address

3> SRS DB Type [pgsql]
Database Type

4> SRS Database Name [netscreen]
Database name
Configuring the Central Manager

For details about using the general setup menu items, see “Navigating the Menus” on page 11.

This section describes the options that are available for a central manager configuration. The central manager main menu options are:

NSM Configuration Main Menu

1> Management IP [10.150.43.205]
The IP address on this server that will be used for management

2> NSM 'super' password []
Password for 'super' user

3> GUI server one-time password []
Password for authentication between HA peers and to all Regional Servers

4> Menu: High Availability [Off]

5> Menu: Advanced Options

A> Apply settings
C> Cancel all changes and quit
R> Redraw menu

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Choice [1-5,A,C,R]:
You have the following options:

- **Management IP**—Enter 1 to select interface eth0 or eth1 as the primary IP address for your management server. Once configured, the setup program displays the IP address for the interface you selected.

- **NSM super password**—Enter 2 to specify an NSM “super” password. This password must be at least eight characters long and is case-sensitive. This password is used by the NSM superuser (also referred to as the NSM administrator). This user has the highest level of privileges in NSM.

- **GUI Server one-time password**—Enter 3 to specify this password. This password authenticates this server to its peer in a high-availability configuration, and to regional servers.

- **Menu: High Availability**—Enter 4 to open a menu to configure HA. See “Configuring High Availability” on page 20.

- **Menu: Advanced Options**—Enter 5 to open a menu of additional options, including the port number for receiving messages through the NSM API, and remote database replication details.

The following sections provide procedures for configuring HA and advanced options:

- **Configuring High Availability** on page 20
- **Configuring Advanced Options** on page 22

**Configuring High Availability**

To configure high availability (HA), from the NSM Configuration Main menu, enter 4. The NSMXpress Series II appliance displays the High Availability menu:

1> High Availability [n]
   Whether to enable HA on this server or not

2> Primary Status [y]
   If 'y', this machine is a Primary Server and if 'n' this machine is a Secondary Server

3> HA Remote IP []
   IP address for the peer’s primary heartbeat link

4> HA Link Failure Detection IP []
   IP address outside the HA cluster

5> HA Inter-server password []
   Shared password for heartbeat

6> Menu: Shared Disk [Off]

7> Menu: HA Links

8> Menu: HA Advanced Settings
The following options are available to configure HA.

- High Availability—Enter 1 to turn HA on or off.
- Primary Status—Enter 2 to set NSMXpress Series II as either the primary or secondary server. At the next prompt, enter y for a primary server; enter n for a secondary server.
- HA Remote IP—Enter 3 to set the IP address for the HA peer in the HA cluster.
- HA Link Failure Detection IP—Enter 4 to set the IP address of a computer outside the HA cluster that you can ping to verify connection status.
- HA Inter-server password—Enter 5 to set the heartbeat password used between the primary and secondary servers.
- Menu: Shared Disk—Enter 6 to open the Shared Disk menu.

The options in this menu help you configure a shared disk. NSM supports shared disk via NFS only. Due to the data-intensive nature of NSM, we recommend gigabit speed links (1000 Mbps) for shared disk use. For more information on custom settings, refer to the Network and Security Manager Installation Guide.

1> Shared Disk: Gui Server [n]
   If 'y', data directory for GUI Server is a shared disk partition

2> Shared Disk Source (NFS) []
   Source of shared disk, e.g. /dev/sdc1 or server:/share

3> Shared Disk NFS Mount Options []
   Options when mounting shared disk
   e.g. rw,intr,tcp,soft,timeo=2

4> Return to High Availability menu

- Menu: HA Links—Enter 7 to open the HA Links menu.

The options in this menu help you configure the second HA link in the HA cluster. If you are going to use a second link, you need to set the IP address for eth1 before configuring this setting (see “Setting Interface Options” on page 24 for details). Setting a redundant link is optional. For more information on options available to you for custom settings, refer to the Network and Security Manager Installation Guide.

If the HA link count is set to 1, the only options available are to set the HA link count and to return to the High Availability menu. If the HA link count is set to 2, all options are available.

1> HA Link count [2]
   Number of heartbeat links between the Primary and Secondary Server.

2> HA Link 2 Local IP []
   IP address for this machine's secondary heartbeat link

3> HA Link 2 Remote IP []
   IP address for the peer's secondary heartbeat link

4> HA Remote Replication IP []
IP address used for remote HA replications

5> Return to High Availability menu

- Menu: HA Advanced Settings—Enter 8 to open the HA Advanced Settings menu. For more information about HA advanced settings, refer to the Network and Security Manager Installation Guide.

  1> HA Heartbeat Frequency [15]
  Time interval in seconds between heartbeat messages (Default is 15 seconds)

  2> HA Heartbeat Failure Threshold [4]
  Number of missing heartbeat messages before automatic switchover occurs (Default is 4 missing messages)

  3> HA Data Replication Timeout [1800]
  Rsync Command Replication timeout (Default is 1800 seconds)

  4> Return to High Availability menu

Configuring Advanced Options

To configure advanced options, from the NSM Configuration Main menu, enter 5. NSMXpress Series II displays the Advanced Options menu:

Menu: Advanced Options

1> https port for NBI service [8443]
  The port number to listen for NBI
  (Default is 8443)

2> Menu: Remote Replication of Database [Off]

M> Main Menu
R> Redraw menu

Choice [1-2,M,R]:
You have the following options:

- https port for NBI service—Enter 1 to change the port number for listening for messages for the NSM API. In response to the prompt, enter a value in the range 1025 through 65535. Any number outside this range returns an error message. The default value is 8443.

- Menu: Remote Replication of Database—Enter 2 to display a menu of options for configuring the time of day to take the backup, the location of the backup, and timeout value. See “Enabling and Configuring Remote Replication of the Database” on page 22.

Enabling and Configuring Remote Replication of the Database

On the Advanced Options menu, enter 2 to open a menu that allows you to mirror the daily backup to an external server. You can toggle it on or off. After you turn it on, use the menu options to configure this option:

1> Remote Replication of Database [n]
If 'y', local backups will be sent to a remote backup machine
2> Hour of day to Replicate Database [02]
  Hour to start backup

3> Remote Backup IP []
  IP address of a remote backup machine

4> Remote Replication Timeout (seconds) [1800]
  Rsync Command Backup Timeout (seconds)
  (Default is 1800 seconds)
  The screen always shows the current status of the remote backup database. If no status
  exists, the option has not yet been configured.

  • Remote Replication of Database—Enter 1 to turn remote replication on or off. At the
    next prompt, enter y to change the state.
  
  • Hour of day to Replicate Database—Enter 2, and then specify the hour to start the
    backup. The valid range is 00 through 23.
  
  • Remote Backup IP—Enter 3 to specify the IP address of the remote backup server.
    Backup information is copied to the /var/netscreen/dbbackup directory on the remote
    server. The “nsm” user must exist on both servers and you must establish an SSH trust
    relationship. See the Network and Security Manager Installation Guide for details.

  • Remote Replication Timeout—Enter 4 to change the timeout period for the remote
    backup. The valid range is 1 through 65535 seconds.

Configuring Standard Configuration Options

After the initial setup, continue configuring typical options, including the following tasks. Follow the setup prompts on the main menu to set or modify these options. Your configuration options (with the exception of any password changes) will not take effect until you apply the changes.

Run nsm_setup to access these options on the NSMXpress Series II Settings Menu:

  • Changing the Password on page 23
  • Setting Interface Options on page 24
  • Setting Routing Options on page 25
  • Changing the NSMXpress Series II Hostname on page 25
  • Adding DNS Servers on page 25
  • Setting the System Time on page 25
  • Forwarding Local Status E-mails on page 26
  • Updating System Security on page 26
  • Saving Setup Options on page 27

Changing the Password

To change your password:
1. On the NSMxpress Series II Settings Menu, enter 1 at the prompt.
2. Enter y when prompted to change the password for an “admin” user.
3. Type the new password and press Enter.
4. Retype the new password and press Enter.

   Your password is changed and the setup program returns you to the NSMxpress Series II Settings menu.

### Setting Interface Options

NSMxpress Series II has two ports labeled ETH0 and ETH1. During initial setup, you specify the eth0 interface options. Use this menu to set interface options for eth1 or modify either interface.

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**NOTE:** If you are going to use a second link, you need to configure an IP address for eth1 before configuring this setting.

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To set or modify interface options:

1. On the NSMxpress Series II Settings menu, enter 2 at the prompt. The menu shows the existing status of each interface.
2. Set or modify options for one of the interfaces by selecting one of the following options:
   - 1 to modify eth0.
   - 2 to set or modify eth1.
3. Make the following selection for interface options by selecting one of the following options:
   - 1 to change the IP address and return to the NSMxpress Series II Settings menu.
   - 2 to go to the next step.
4. Make the following selection for physical parameters (such as interface speed) by selecting one of the following options:
   - 1 to set the autonegotiate option and return to the main menu.
   - 2 to set the physical parameters manually and go to the next step.
5. Select the interface speed by entering one of the following options:
   - 1 for 10 Mbps and go to the next step.
   - 2 for 100 Mbps and go to the next step.
   - 3 for 1000 Mbps and go to the next step.
6. Enter 1 for full duplex or 2 for half duplex, and then return to the NSMxpress Series II Settings menu.
Setting Routing Options

To set or modify routing options:

1. On the NSMXpress Series II Settings menu, enter 3 at the prompt.
2. Enter one of the following options:
   - 1 to change default gateway options.
     Follow the prompts to change the IP address of the default gateway and return to the NSMXpress Series II Settings menu.
   - 2 to change the static routing options.

Follow the prompts to add a new static route and return to the NSMXpress Series II Settings menu.

Changing the NSMXpress Series II Hostname

To change the hostname:

1. On the NSMXpress Series II Settings menu, enter 4 at the prompt.
2. Enter y at the verification prompt to continue.
3. Enter the new hostname and press Enter to return to the Settings menu.

**NOTE:** If a hostname consisting of 4 or more labels is changed to a different hostname, also with 4 or more labels, the previous hostname alias might remain in the /etc/hosts file. This condition can be corrected by manually editing the /etc/hosts file.

Adding DNS Servers

You can add up to three DNS servers. Enter each one using dotted decimal notation. Each addition returns you to the main menu. If you want to add more DNS servers, repeat the following procedure.

To add the DNS servers:

1. On the NSMXpress Series II Settings menu, enter 5 at the prompt.
2. Enter 1 to add a name server.
3. When prompted, enter the new nameserver in dotted decimal notation.

Setting the System Time

You can change time zones or the Network Time Protocol (NTP) configuration. The default time zone is set for Pacific Standard Time (PST)/Pacific Daylight Time (PDT). Select time zones in the following order:

- Continent or ocean
- Country
Region

NOTE: NTP is disabled by default. We recommend that you enable this option to ensure that the time is always accurate.

To change time options:

1. On the NSMXpress Series II Settings menu, enter 6 at the prompt.
2. Enter 1 to change the time zone.
   Follow the prompts to find the time zone you want based on the options listed earlier. The final selection returns you to the NSMXpress Series II Settings menu.
3. Enter 2 to set NTP servers.
   NTP servers automatically set the system clock based on external time sources.
4. Enter one of the following values at the prompt:
   - 1 to enable or disable NTP.
   - 2 to add an NTP server.
   The remaining numbered options allow you to remove an NTP server from the list.
5. Follow the prompts to enable, set, or delete the NTP servers and return to the NSMXpress Series II Settings menu.

Forwarding Local Status E-mails

You can use this option to forward all local root e-mail messages to an e-mail address. You can add an unlimited number of e-mail addresses in addition to mailing lists to help manage large numbers of recipients.

To set the Forward Local Status:

1. On the NSMXpress Series II Settings menu, enter 7 at the prompt.
2. Enter 1 to add or change the recipient.
3. Enter 2 to remove the recipient.

Updating System Security

System security updates are NSMXpress Series II operating system-level patches that protect the system against any future reported security vulnerabilities. NSMXpress Series II checks for new updates daily by connecting to Juniper Networks.

To manage system security updates:

1. On the NSMXpress Series II Settings menu, enter 8 at the prompt.
2. Enter one of the following values to select the option:
• 1 to check for and install security updates now.
• 2 to enable or disable automatic security updates.
• 3 to check for and install the latest available NSMXpress Series II version.
• 4 to set the proxy for security update check.

3. Follow the prompts to manage security updates, and then return to the NSMXpress Series II Settings menu.

**Saving Setup Options**

Before you configure the regional server or the central manager, NSMXpress Series II opens the Apply Change submenu. If you quit out of a menu after making changes, NSMXpress Series II also opens this screen and prompts you to save your changes. Updates are enabled by default.

Select a change to cancel it:
1> IP Change: eth1 is 192.168.1.78 / 255.255.255.0
2> Add route: 192.168.0.0 /255.255.0.0 -- eth1 : [192.168.1.254]
3> DNS add: 192.168.2.2
4> Enable NTP
5> Security updates: automatic check Disabled

A> Apply all changes
B> Make more changes
C> Cancel all changes and quit
R> Redraw menu

Choice [1–5,A,M,C,R]:

You have three options for saving changes:

• At the prompt, enter one of the following menu options:
  • A to apply all the new changes.
  • M to make more changes before configuring the regional server or the central manager.
  • C to cancel all new changes and quit the NSMXpress Series II setup program. After you cancel a change, the Change Apply submenu reappears.
  • Enter the number next to a displayed change to cancel only the selected change.
  • Highlight one of the options you modified and delete it.

**NSMXpress Series II Default Restoration**

When you reinstall NSMXpress Series II, it is completely reimaged. No user data remains on the system. If you want to preserve your database, back it up before reinstalling.

To reinstall NSMXpress Series II, use the following procedure. The steps in the procedure assume the NSMXpress Series II is connected to the computer with a console cable. If not, refer to the section “Initial Setup Configuration” on page 8 for details.
To reinstall the NSMXpress Series II configuration:

1. Turn on NSMXpress Series II.

2. Press any key while the Booting NSMXpress countdown scrolls through the screen to access the boot menu:
   
   Press any key to enter the menu
   
   Booting NSMXpress
   Booting NSMXpress
   Booting NSMXpress
   Booting NSMXpress
   Booting NSMXpress
   in 4 seconds...

3. Use the arrow keys to select Re-install current-version-number, and then press Enter:
   
   NSMXpress
   Rescue
   Re-Install <current-version-number>
   Re-Install <previous-version-number>
   Rescue Boot from Secondary Drive

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**NOTE:** If you have not updated the recovery partition through the Web UI, only the Re-install option (option to install the previous version) is displayed.

4. Read the paragraph, and then press Enter.

   Booting 'Re-Install'
   
   Using this option will completely erase your appliance and load the factory default image. No data recovery is possible after re-installing. To confirm erase and re-install, type “erase” as the password prompt. To abort and boot into Rescue mode, just hit <Enter> at the password prompt. Press any key.

5. Enter erase at the prompt to erase the disk. This task will take a few minutes.

   When reinstallation is finished, you are prompted to login.
CHAPTER 3

Configuring NSM from the Web Interface

This chapter describes how to configure NSM from the NSMXpress Series II Web interface. It contains the following sections:

- Configuring the NSM Software on page 29
- Managing NSM Administration on page 37
- Managing System Administration on page 42
- Maintaining NSMXpress Series II on page 59
- Troubleshooting on page 61
- Viewing System Information on page 67

Configuring the NSM Software

After logging in as an "admin" user, an initial setup script walks you through additional configuration system settings before finalizing the NSM installation. This chapter describes that setup process.

Your NSMXpress Series II comes preconfigured as a regional server or a central manager. Most installation and configuration steps in this section are identical for both types of server. All exceptions are noted.

After logging into the NSMXpress Series II Web interface, you have the following installation options:

- Configuring Basic Settings on page 29
- Configuring High Availability on page 32
- Advanced Options on page 34
- Installing NSM Software on page 37

Configuring Basic Settings

To install the regional server or central manager software using the minimum requirements:

1. Complete all appropriate steps in “Getting Started” on page 3.
2. Enter the https://<ip>/administration URL for your appliance in a Web browser. See “Web Interface Configuration” on page 10 for details.
3. Log in to the Web interface. The System Info page opens.

4. Click the Install NSM Regional Server link to view the Install NSM Regional Server page (see Figure 3 on page 30) or click the Install NSM Central Manager link to view the Install NSM Central Manager page (see Figure 4 on page 31) as the case may be.

NOTE: The “admin” user default username is admin and the password is the one you created in Step 6 of “Boot NSMXpress Series II” on page 8.
5. Enter the primary IP address of your management server for eth0 (the default). You can use the default IP address next to the first radio button or select the second radio button and then enter a different IP address. Each IP address you add (in addition to the default IP address) will be available in the drop-down list after you click the second radio button.

6. Enter the NSM superuser password in the top text box, and then reenter it in the text box below it. This password must be at least eight characters long and is case-sensitive. This password is used by the NSM superuser (also referred to as the NSM administrator). This user has the highest level of privileges in NSM.

7. Enter the GUI Server one-time password in the top text box, and then reenter it in the text box below it. This password is used to authenticate this NSM server with other NSM servers with which it communicates. Regional servers use this password to authenticate peer servers in an HA configuration and to authenticate the central manager. The central manager uses this password to authenticate its peer server in an HA configuration and any regional servers it manages. NSM servers must have the same GUI Server one-time password, or the authentication will fail.

8. Select the license option. (This option is available only for regional servers.)
   a. Select **Base Install** to use the built-in limited device license for as many as 25 devices.
   b. Click **Upload license file** to upload the license file you generated using the Juniper License Management System (LMS), which permits you to manage more than 25 devices. This license file must be located on your local hard drive.
See the Network and Security Manager Installation Guide for more information about NSM licensing.

9. Click Submit to save any changes, and then click Install to install the software.

Configuring High Availability

To configure high availability (HA) settings:

1. On the NSM Configuration Main Menu, click Menu next to High Availability to access HA options. See Figure 5 on page 32.

2. Use the High Availability option to turn HA on (y) or off (n). The default is off.

3. Use the Primary Status option to set your NSMXpress Series II as either the primary or secondary server in the HA cluster. If you select y, it is the primary server (the default). If you select n, it is the secondary server.

4. Use the HA Remote IP option to enter the IP address for the HA peer in the HA cluster.

5. Use the HA Link Failure Detection IP option to enter the IP address of a computer outside the HA cluster that you can ping to verify connection status.

6. Use the HA Inter-server password option to enter the heartbeat password used between the primary and secondary servers.

7. Click Submit to save the changes.

8. (Optional) Click Menu next to Shared Disk (see Figure 5 on page 32) to configure a shared disk for regional servers (see Figure 6 on page 33) or for central managers (see Figure 7 on page 33).
NSMXpress Series II supports shared disk via NFS only. Due to the data-intensive nature of NSM, we recommend gigabit speed links (1000 Mbps) for shared disk use. For more information about custom settings, refer to the Network and Security Manager Installation Guide.

9. (Optional) Click Menu next to HA Links (see Figure 5 on page 32) to configure the second link in the HA cluster (see Figure 8 on page 33).

Figure 8: HA Links Options

Use the options in this menu to set up a redundant link for the HA cluster. If you are going to use a second link, you need to set the IP address for eth1 before configuring this setting (see “Configuring the Network” on page 43 for details). Setting a redundant link is optional. For more information about custom settings, refer to the Network and Security Manager Installation Guide.

If you configure HA with just one heartbeat link, then device management traffic and data replication traffic both use that link. If you configure two links, device management traffic uses the first link and data replication uses the second.
If you set the HA link count to 2, an expanded menu appears to configure the second link as shown below:

Figure 9: Redundant Links

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Menu: HA Links</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>HA Link count</td>
</tr>
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</table>

Number of heartbeat links between the Primary and Secondary Servers.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>HA Link 2 Local IP</th>
</tr>
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</table>

IP address for this machine’s secondary heartbeat link.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>HA Link 2 Remote IP</th>
</tr>
</thead>
</table>

IP address for the peer’s secondary heartbeat link.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>HA Remote Replication IP</th>
</tr>
</thead>
</table>

IP address used for remote HA replications.

10. (Optional) Click Menu next to HA Advanced Settings (see Figure 5 on page 32) to configure HA advanced settings (see Figure 10 on page 34).

For more information about custom settings, refer to the Network and Security Manager Installation Guide.

Figure 10: HA Advanced Settings

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Menu: HA Advanced Settings</th>
</tr>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>HA Heartbeat Frequency</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Time interval in seconds between heartbeat messages (Default is 15 seconds) (Range is 5 to 300).

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>HA Heartbeat Failure Threshold</th>
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</table>

Number of missing heartbeat messages before automatic switchover occurs (Default is 4 missing messages) (Range is 1 to 10000).

<table>
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<tr>
<th>HA Data Replication Timeout</th>
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</table>

Rsync Command Replication Timeout (Default is 1800 seconds) (Range is 1 to 86535).

11. Click Submit to save the HA options and return to the NSM Configuration Main Menu.

Advanced Options

To display the Advanced Options menu, on the NSM Configuration Main Menu, select Menu next to Advanced Options. The Advanced Options menu appears as shown in Figure 11 on page 34.

Figure 11: Advanced Options Menu

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Menu: Advanced Options</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>https port for NBI service</td>
</tr>
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</table>

The port number to listen for NBI (Default is 8443).

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Remote Replication of Database</th>
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On or Off

<table>
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<tr>
<th>SRS</th>
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On or Off

Advanced installation options include:
• **https port for NBI service**—Allows you to configure a port to listen for messages for the NSM API. By default, this value is 8443. You can configure it to any port number from 1025 to 65535.

• **Remote Replication of Database**—Mirrors the daily backup to an external server. You can toggle it on or off. After you turn it on, use the menu options to configure this option.

• **SRS Enabled Options (regional server only)**—Opens a menu to enable and configure Statistical Report Server (SRS). These options enable the NSM appliance to interface with SRS. You can toggle it on or off. When it is on, a menu with additional options is available.

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**NOTE:** SRS must be installed on a separate server from NSM.

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The following sections provide details about the remote replication and SRS options:

- Enable and Configuring Remote Replication of the Database on page 35
- Enable and Configuring SRS (Regional Server Only) on page 36

**Enabling and Configuring Remote Replication of the Database**

To configure remote replication of database settings:

1. On the Advanced Options menu, click **Menu** next to Remote Replication of Database (see Figure 5 on page 32) to configure daily backups (see Figure 12 on page 35).

   **Figure 12: Remote Replication of Database Options**

<table>
<thead>
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<th>Menu: Remote Replication of Database</th>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Remote Replication of Database</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td>If “y”, local backups will be sent to</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Hour of day to Replicate Database</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Hour to start a backup</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Remote Backup IP</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>IP address of a remote backup machine</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Remote Replication Timeout (seconds)</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Rsync Command Backup Timeout (seconds) [Default is 1800 seconds] [Range is 1 to 65535]</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

2. Use the **Remote Replication of Database** option to turn remote replication on (y) or off (n). The default is off.

3. Use the **Hour of day to Replicate Database** option to start the backup. The valid range (in hours) is 00–23. The default is 2 AM.

4. Use the **Remote Backup IP** option to enter the IP address of the remote backup server.

   Backup information is copied to the `/var/netscreen/dbbackup` directory on the remote server. The “nsm” user must exist on both servers and you must establish an SSH trust relationship. See the *Network and Security Manager Installation Guide*, for details.
5. Use the **Remote Replication Timeout** option to set up a timeout for Rsync. The valid range (in seconds) is 1-65535. The default is 1800 seconds.

6. Click **Submit** to save the options and return to the main menu or continue with the other advanced installation options.

**Enabling and Configuring SRS (Regional Server Only)**

(This option is not available on a central manager.) To configure statistical report server (SRS) settings:

1. On the Advanced Options menu, click **Menu** next to SRS (see Figure 5 on page 32) to open the SRS menu (see Figure 13 on page 36).

**Figure 13: SRS Menu**

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Menu: SRS</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>SRS</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Statistical Report Server will be used with this GUI Server</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>SRS DB IP</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Database server IP address</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>SRS DB Type</strong></td>
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<td>Database type</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>SRS Database Name</strong></td>
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<td>Database name</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>SRS DB Owner Name</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td>Database user name</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>SRS DB Owner Password</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Database password</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

2. Use the **SRS** options to turn SRS on (y) or off (n). The default is off. If you turn on this feature, the server is used with the GUI Server.

3. Use the **SRS DB IP** option to enter the IP address for the server on which you have installed the SRS database server.

4. Use the **SRS DB Type** option to select the database type. The values are pgsql (the default), oracle, or mssql.

5. Use the **SRS Database Name** option to enter the name of the SRS database. The default value is netscreen. To enter another name, click the radio button next to the blank text box and enter the name in the text box.

6. Use the **SRS DB Owner Name** option to enter the owner’s name of the SRS database. The default value is netscreen. To enter another name, click the radio button next to the blank text box and enter the name in the text box.
7. Use the **SRS DB Owner Password** option to enter the SRS database password. The password requires a minimum of eight characters and is case-sensitive. Reenter the password in the second text box.

8. Click **Submit** to save the options and return to the NSM Configuration Main Menu.

**Installing NSM Software**

After you submit all your configuration options, click **Install** to install the NSM software on your NSMXpress Series II appliance. Installation takes a few minutes. A status indicator shows the progress of the installation. Wait until installation is finished before continuing to use the Web interface.

**Managing NSM Administration**

Expand **NSM Administration** in the left navigation tree to access the options described in this section. These options are available only after installing NSM.

The following sections explain how to use each of the NSM Administration options:

- Changing the Superuser Password on page 37
- Downloading NSM MIBS (Regional Server Only) on page 38
- Exporting Audit Logs on page 38
- Exporting Device Logs (Regional Server Only) on page 38
- Generating Reports (Regional Server Only) on page 39
- Modifying NSM Configuration Files on page 39
- Backing Up the NSM Database on page 40
- Changing the NSM Management IP on page 41
- Scheduling Security Updates on page 41

**Changing the Superuser Password**

To change the superuser password, select **NSM Administration > NSM Super User Password**. See Figure 14 on page 37.

**Figure 14: Change Superuser Password**

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Change Password for Super User</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>Change Password for Super User</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Password:</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Confirm Password:</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Change Super User Password</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Clear</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Downloading NSM MIBS (Regional Server Only)

To download any available MIBs, select **NSM Administration > Download NSM MIBS**, and then click **Download MIB**. See Figure 15 on page 38. This option is not available on the central manager.

![Figure 15: Download NSM MIBs](image)

Exporting Audit Logs

To export audit logs, select **NSM Administration > Export Audit Logs**. See Figure 16 on page 38.

![Figure 16: Export Audit Logs](image)

To export an audit log to a **csv** file, select **csv** in the drop-down list box, and then enter the **csv** file name in the text box.

To export an audit log to a system log server, select **syslog** in the drop-down list box, and then enter the server IP address, if it is not the local host.

Exporting Device Logs (Regional Server Only)

To export device logs, select **NSM Administration > Export Device Logs**. See Figure 17 on page 38. This option is not available on the central manager.

![Figure 17: Export Device Logs](image)
Generating Reports (Regional Server Only)

To generate reports, select **NSM Administration > Generate Reports**. See Figure 18 on page 39. This option is not available on the central manager.

**Figure 18: Generate Reports**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Generate Reports</th>
</tr>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>The Reports need to be created by logging in through the UI, before running the script below.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Domain:</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Eg: global</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>User:</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Eg: global/super</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Schedule Reports:</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Minutes:</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**NOTE:** The user is an NSM administrator and not an NSM appliance user. Enter a user name as domain/user, such as global/super.

Modifying NSM Configuration Files

To manually edit the **GuiSrv.cfg**, **DevSrv.dfg** and **HaSvr.cfg** files, select **NSM Administration > Modify NSM Configuration Files**. The example in Figure 19 on page 40 shows the option to modify the **GuiSrv.cfg** file.
Figure 19: NSM Configuration Files

**NSM Configuration Files**

*GuiSvr.cfg  *DevSvr.cfg  *HaSvr.cfg*

The page allows you to manually edit the `/usr/netscreen/GuiSvr/var/guiSvr.cfg`. Be careful, as no syntax checking will be done on your edits.

The server will be restarted once the changes are made.

```bash
# this file contains just enough info for the processes
# to start up. Each process should pull its complete
# configuration from the URL DB

setuid.user NSM
clientId 0
peerGuiSvrId 3
clientOneTimePassword do6008ws

default.printLevel warn
default.printProperties where=file,sync=0,maxfilenum=15
#statusMonitor.printLevel debug
#statusMonitor.printProperties where=file,sync=1,maxfilenum=150
#guiSvrLicenseManager/printLevel debug
#guiSvrMasterController debug
guiSvrLicenseManager.licenseFile /usr/netscreen/GuiSvr/var/license/license.txt

guiSvrManager.printLevel debug

Save
```

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**NOTE:** If you subsequently change the NSMXpress Series II configuration by using the `nsm-setup` utility, all manual changes to the configuration files are lost.

### Backing Up the NSM Database

To configure backups of the NSM database, select **NSM Administration > NSM Database Backup** link under NSM Administration. See Figure 20 on page 41.
Figure 20: Database Backup

Database Backup

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>NSM Backup Configuration Parameters</th>
</tr>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Local Backup Enabled</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Remote Backup enabled</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Hour of Day to Replicate Database</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Remote Backup IP</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Submit

Execute Backup Now

Download Database Backup Files

File to Download: /var/netscreen/dbbackup

Changing the NSM Management IP

To change the IP address of the NSM management server, select NSM Administration > NSM Management IP link under NSM Administration. See Figure 21 on page 41.

Figure 21: Change Management IP

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>NSM Management IP</th>
</tr>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Management Ip</td>
</tr>
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</table>

Scheduling Security Updates

To schedule security updates, select NSM Administration > Schedule Security Updates. See Figure 22 on page 42.
Managing System Administration

Use the options on the System Administration menu to perform the tasks described in the following sections:

- Rebooting or Shutting Down NSMXpress Series II on page 42
- Changing the User Password on page 43
- Configuring the Network on page 43
- Managing RADIUS Servers on page 45
- Monitoring with SNMP on page 48
- Forwarding Syslog Messages on page 51
- Changing the System Time on page 54
- Installing Updates on page 54
- Managing Users on page 55
- Configuring the Web Interface on page 58

Rebooting or Shutting Down NSMXpress Series II

To reboot or shut down the NSMXpress Series II, select System Administration > Bootup and Shutdown, and then click either Reboot System or Shutdown System. See Figure 23 on page 42.

Figure 22: Schedule Security Updates

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Security Update</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Select Post Action:</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>update-devices</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

User: ____________________  Password: ____________________

Eg: global/super

Schedule Security Updates:

Minutes: [ ]  Hour: [ ]  Day: [ ]  Month: [ ]  Week: [ ]

Run Security Update

Figure 23: ReBoot or Shut Down

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Bootup and Shutdown</th>
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</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Reboot System</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Shutdown System</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Changing the User Password

To change the user password, select System Administration > Change User Password, fill out the form shown in Figure 24 on page 43, and then click Change.

Figure 24: Change User Password

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Changing NSMXpress user password</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Changing password for admin</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Old password</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>New password</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>New password (again)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Clear form</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Change</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Configuring the Network

To access options that allow you to configure the network, select System Administration > Network Configuration. The Network Configuration window appears as shown in Figure 25 on page 43.

Figure 25: Network Interfaces Options

The following sections describe each of the options available in the Network Configuration window:

- Network Interfaces on page 43
- Routing and Gateways on page 44
- Hostname and DNS Clients on page 44
- Host Addresses on page 45

Network Interfaces

Use this option to manage the network interfaces. See Figure 26 on page 44.
Figure 26: Network Interfaces

Interfaces Active Now

Select all | Invert selection | Add a new interface

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Name</th>
<th>Type</th>
<th>IP Address</th>
<th>Netmask</th>
<th>Status</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>eth0</td>
<td>Ethernet</td>
<td>172.24.68.111</td>
<td>255.255.252.0</td>
<td>Up</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>lo</td>
<td>Loopback</td>
<td>127.0.0.1</td>
<td>255.0.0.0</td>
<td>Up</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Select all | Invert selection | Add a new interface

Interfaces Activated at Boot Time

Select all | Invert selection | Add a new interface | Add a new address range

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Name</th>
<th>Type</th>
<th>IP Address</th>
<th>Netmask</th>
<th>Activate at boot?</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>eth0</td>
<td>Ethernet</td>
<td>172.24.68.111</td>
<td>255.255.252.0</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>eth1</td>
<td>Ethernet</td>
<td>From DHCP</td>
<td>Automatic</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>lo</td>
<td>Loopback</td>
<td>127.0.0.1</td>
<td>255.0.0.0</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Select all | Invert selection | Add a new interface | Add a new address range

Delete Selected Interfaces | Delete and Apply Selected Interfaces | Apply Selected Interfaces

Routing and Gateways

Use this option to configure and manage routes and gateways. See Figure 27 on page 44.

Figure 27: Routes and Gateways

Routing configuration activated at boot time

Default routes

Act as router?

Static routes

Local routes

Save

Active Routes

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Destination</th>
<th>Gateway</th>
<th>Netmask</th>
<th>Interface</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>172.24.68.0</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>255.255.252.0</td>
<td>eth0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>169.254.0.0</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>255.255.0.0</td>
<td>eth0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Default Route</td>
<td>172.24.68.1</td>
<td></td>
<td>eth0</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Hostname and DNS Clients

Use this option to configure and manage hostnames and DNS clients. See Figure 28 on page 45.
Figure 28: DNS Client Options

Host Addresses
Use this option to manage host addresses, See Figure 29 on page 45.

Figure 29: Host Address

Managing RADIUS Servers

The NSMXpress Series II WebUI supports authentication of users defined in the RADIUS servers, in addition to authentication of locally defined admin users.

When a user logs into NSMXpress Series II using the WebUI, the software first checks the UNIX user database and then the WebUI user database to authenticate the user. If the user is not a locally defined admin user, the software contacts the RADIUS servers added to the RADIUS server list in the Web UI to authenticate the user. The RADIUS servers are contacted in the order of priority set in the RADIUS server list. If any of the RADIUS servers authenticates the user, the user is logged in with the privileges that are associated with the user profile. If none of the servers authenticates the user, the user login fails.

NOTE: NSMXpress Series II must be configured as a RADIUS client on a RADIUS server so that the RADIUS server responds to authentication requests from appliance. Select any Juniper Make or Model in the Make/Model field while adding NSMXpress Series II as a RADIUS client. You will need to update the Juniper dictionary file (juniper.dct) in the RADIUS server with the Juniper defined Vendor-Specific Attribute (VSA) for NSMXpress Series II: ATTRIBUTE Juniper-Nsmxpress-Profile Juniper-VSA(6, string) r . You also need to add NSMXpress Series II users with their associated user profiles (SysAdmin, NSMAdmin, Operator, Guest), to the RADIUS database. For more details see Steel-Belted Radius Documentation.

NOTE: You need System Administration or NSM Administration permission to manage RADIUS servers in the NSMXpress Series II WebUI.
The following sections explain how to manage a RADIUS server.

- Adding a RADIUS Server on page 46
- Changing the Priority of RADIUS Servers on page 47
- Deleting a RADIUS Server on page 47
- Editing RADIUS Server Parameters on page 47

**Adding a RADIUS Server**

To add a RADIUS server:

1. Select **System Administration > RADIUS Management**. The RADIUS Servers dialog box appears listing the RADIUS Servers that have been added. See Figure 30 on page 46.

**Figure 30: RADIUS Servers Dialog Box**

2. Click **Add** to add a RADIUS Server to the WebUI. The Add RADIUS Server dialog box appears. See Figure 31 on page 46.

**Figure 31: Add RADIUS Server Dialog Box**

3. Configure the following parameters in the Add RADIUS Server dialog box:
   
   a. **Name**: The name of the user to be authenticated by the RADIUS server
   
   b. **Server address**: The IP address or the hostname of the RADIUS Server.
   
   c. **Shared secret**: The shared secret NSMXpress Series II and the RADIUS server use for secure authentication.
   
   d. **Auth Port**: The RADIUS authentication software port. (We recommend UDP port 1812)
e. **Acct Port**: The RADIUS accounting software port. (We recommend UDP port 1813)

f. **Disconnect/CoA port**: The change of authorization or disconnect port.

g. **Timeout (sec)**: Automatic time out in second(s) of the RADIUS access-request after which the request is retransmitted, if applicable. Enter a value between 1 and 10 seconds.

h. **Retries**: The number of times the RADIUS access-request must be retransmitted for RADIUS authentication. Enter a value between 1 and 5.

4. Click **Add**. The RADIUS Servers dialog box appears with the RADIUS Server you added listed.

**Changing the Priority of RADIUS Servers**

To change the priority of RADIUS servers:

1. Select **System Administration > RADIUS Management**. The RADIUS Servers dialog box appears listing the RADIUS Servers that have been added.

2. To increase the priority of a RADIUS server, select the check box next to the name of the server whose priority you want to increase, and click **Move Up**.

   To decrease the priority of a RADIUS server, select the check box next to the name of the server whose priority you want to decrease, and click **Move Down**.

**Deleting a RADIUS Server**

To delete a RADIUS server:

1. Select **System Administration > RADIUS Management**. The RADIUS Servers dialog box appears listing the RADIUS Servers that have been added.

2. Select the check box next to the name of the server you want to delete, and click **Delete Selected**.

**NOTE**: You need System Administration permissions to delete RADIUS servers.

**Editing RADIUS Server Parameters**

To edit the parameters of a RADIUS server:

1. Select **System Administration > RADIUS Management**. The RADIUS Servers dialog box appears listing the RADIUS Servers that have been added.

2. Select the name of the server whose properties you want to edit. The Edit RADIUS Server dialog box appears. See Figure 32 on page 48.
Monitoring with SNMP

You can configure NSMXpress Series II for SNMP monitoring from a network operations server. The server can then issue periodic SNMP Get instructions to return the status of the NSMXpress Series II appliance.

You configure SNMP on NSMXpress Series II appliances with access credentials for either SNMP v2c or SNMP v3. NSMXpress Series II appliances support read-only access to the System Descriptor (sysDescr) and Host Resource MIB.

This section provides instructions for configuring NSMXpress Series II for SNMP monitoring. You must provide access credentials for the SNMP server, a list of IP addresses from which logon requests will be accepted, and the trap conditions to be reported to the SNMP server.

To configure SNMP monitoring of your NSMXpress Series II appliance, select System Administration > SNMP Monitoring. The SNMP window appears. This window contains the tabs described in the following sections:

- SNMP Configuration on page 48
- SNMP System Information on page 49
- SNMP Trap Configuration on page 50

**SNMP Configuration**

To configure SNMP:

1. Select System Administration > SNMP Monitoring.
2. Select the SNMP Config tab, which is shown in Figure 33 on page 49.
3. Select the version of SNMP to be used, either v2c or v3.

4. Provide authentication information:
   - If you selected SNMP v2c, enter a username.
   - If you selected SNMP v3, enter a username and password.
     The password must be at least 8 characters long.

   NSMXpress Series II implements a single username and password, which is effective only for SNMP communication and is not related to any other username and password used on the NSMXpress Series II appliance.

5. To limit SNMP Get requests to specific servers, select Only, and then enter the IP addresses of the permitted servers.

6. Click Save.

**SNMP System Information**

To configure SNMP system information:

1. Select System Administration > SNMP Monitoring.

2. Select the System Info tab, which is shown in Figure 34 on page 49.

**Figure 34: Configuring SNMP System Information**

3. Enter the following information, with is required for any SNMP-managed device:
   - Contact—Contact information for the appliance.
   - Location—Location of the appliance.
SNMP Trap Configuration

To configure SNMP trap conditions:

1. Select System Administration > SNMP Monitoring.
2. Select the SNMP Traps tab, which is shown in Figure 35 on page 50.

Figure 35: Configuring SNMP Traps

3. In the Manager IP field, enter the IP address of the SNMP management server.
4. Select from the following trap conditions:

   - **Disk space low**
     Enter the percentage of free disk space below which SNMP issues a trap.

   - **Memory low**
     Enter the percentage of free memory below which SNMP issues a trap.

   - **CPU high**
     Enter the percentage of CPU use over which SNMP issues a trap.

   - **NSM start/stop**

   - **Admin Logon/Logoff**

   - **External IP unreachable**
     Enter the IP address of the required device.

5. Click **Save**.
Forwarding Syslog Messages

NSMXpress Series II provides a simple mechanism for configuring syslog messaging between NSMXpress Series II and a syslog receiver running rsyslog, syslog-NG, or basic syslog. This mechanism simplifies choosing syslog receivers, data sources of the messages you want to log, and the message transport used.

For the type of message transport, you can choose among TCP, SSL, and UDP. For rsyslog or syslog-NG implementations use TCP or SSL. SSL adds security to TCP; if you select SSL, NSMXpress Series II creates a secure tunnel to the syslog receiver. UDP messaging is available for basic syslog implementations.

The following sections provide procedures for managing syslog message forwarding:

- Viewing Syslog Receivers on page 51
- Adding and Configuring Syslog Receivers on page 52
- Editing Syslog Receiver Configurations on page 54
- Deleting Syslog Receivers on page 54

Viewing Syslog Receivers

To view the syslog receivers configured on your NSMXpress Series II appliance, follow these steps:

1. Select System Administration > Syslog Forwarding. The Syslog Forwarding window appears. Figure 36 on page 53 shows an example.

Syslog Forwarding

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Received Address</th>
<th>Type</th>
<th>System</th>
<th>Device Server</th>
<th>GUI Server</th>
<th>HA Server</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>server1</td>
<td>UDP</td>
<td>updates</td>
<td>datacollector.log, dfhrep.log, dfhaclDaemon0.log, deviceService.log, generateMPK0.log, generateGDM.log, license.log, statusMonitor0.log</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>server2</td>
<td>UDP</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Delete selected receivers
2. View the configured syslog receivers in the table in the top portion of the window. Table 8 on page 52 describes the fields.

Table 8: Viewing Syslog Receivers

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Field</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Receiver</td>
<td>A name provided by the network administrator to identify the syslog receiver</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>IP Address</td>
<td>The IP address of the syslog receiver</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Type</td>
<td>The protocol used for forwarding messages: UDP, TCP, SSL</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Data sources</td>
<td>The data sources configured for forwarding</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>System</td>
<td>The system logs configured to be sent to this receiver.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Device Server</td>
<td>The Device Server logs configured to be sent to this receiver.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GUI Server</td>
<td>The GUI Server logs configured to be sent to this receiver.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>HA Server</td>
<td>The HA Server logs configured to be sent to this receiver.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Adding and Configuring Syslog Receivers

To add and configure a syslog receiver, follow these steps:

1. Select **System Administration > Syslog Forwarding**.

2. In the Data Sources section, select the syslog facility for each GUI Server log, Device Server log, and HA Server log. The syslog facility is a field included in the syslog message to help identify the data source.

3. Click **Save**.

4. Click **Add new Receiver**.

   The syslog receiver configuration window appears as shown in Figure 36 on page 53.
In the Name field, enter a name for the syslog receiver. This is the name that the syslog receiver will be known by within NSM.

6. In the IP field, Enter the IP address of the syslog receiver.

7. In the Transport field, select the type of syslog receiver:
   - Select **UDP** for basic syslog implementations.
   - Select **TCP** for rsyslog or syslog-NG implementations.
• Select SSL to create a secure tunnel to a syslog receiver in rsyslog or syslog-NG implementations.

• In the System Logs section of the Data Sources table, select the sources of data from which system messages will be forwarded to the syslog receiver. These sources can include NSMXpress Series II system messages, package updates, and mail logs.

• In the NSM section of the Data sources table, select each GUI Server log, Device Server log, and HA Server log to be forwarded to the syslog receiver.

8. Click Save to save and apply the configuration.

Editing Syslog Receiver Configurations

To edit a syslog receiver configuration, follow these steps:

1. Select System Administration > Syslog Forwarding.

2. In the Syslog Receivers window, click the name of the syslog receiver you want to edit.

   The syslog receiver configuration window appears for the selected receiver.

3. Make the desired changes to the configuration.

4. Click Save to save and apply your edits to the configuration of this syslog receiver.

Deleting Syslog Receivers

To delete a syslog receiver configuration, follow these steps:

1. Select System Administration > Syslog Forwarding.

2. In the Syslog Receivers window, check the box next to each syslog receiver you want to delete.

3. Click Delete selected receivers.

   NSMXpress Series II deletes the selected syslog receivers and any secure tunnels configured for their use.

Changing the System Time

To set the system time, select System Administration > System Time. From the System Time window, you can perform the following functions:

• Set or change the system time.

• Set the time zone.

• Configure an NTP server to synchronize the system time with an external clock.

Installing Updates

Select System Administration > System Update to perform the following tasks:
Managing Users

The NSMXpress Series II WebUI allows you to create multiple users with role-based access control to the WebUI. You can create a user in the WebUI and associate the user to a predefined user profile. You can also map a user created in the NSMXpress Series II OS to a predefined user profile in the WebUI. However, this user profile is only applicable to the local OS user in the WebUI.

NOTE: You need System Administration permission to create users.

This topic contains the following sections:

- Creating New NSMXpress Series II Users on page 55
- Deleting a User on page 56
- Editing User Attributes on page 57
- Understanding User Profiles on page 57

Creating New NSMXpress Series II Users

To create a local OS user:

1. Select **System Administration > User Management**. The NSMXpress Users dialog box appears listing all NSMXpress users. See Figure 37 on page 55.

2. Click **Create a new NSMXpress User**. The Create NSMXpress user dialog box appears. See Figure 38 on page 56.
3. Enter the user name in the **Username** text box.

4. Select **Unix authentication** from the **Password** drop-down list. The Password and Confirm Password text boxes are then disabled since the password is fetched from the local OS.

5. From the **User Profile** drop-down list box, select the user profile you want to associate with the local user in the WebUI.

6. Click **Submit**. The NSMXpress Users dialog box appears with the new NSMXpress Series II user listed.

### To create a WebUI user:

1. Select **System Administration > User Management**. The NSMXpress Users dialog box appears listing all the NSMXpress Series II users. See Figure 39 on page 56.

2. Click **Create a new NSMXpress User**. The Create NSMXpress user dialog box appears.

3. Enter a user name in the **Username** text box.

4. Select **Set to** from the password drop-down list and enter the password you want to set in the password text box.

5. Reenter the password in the **Confirm Password** text box.

6. Select the user profile you want to associate with this user from the **User Profile** drop-down list box.

7. Click **Submit**. The NSMXpress Users dialog box appears with the new NSMXpress Series II user listed.

### Deleting a User

To delete a user:

1. Select **System Administration > User Management**. The NSMXpress Users dialog box appears listing all NSMXpress Series II users.

2. Select the check box next to the name of the user you want to delete and click **Delete Selected**. Click **Delete User** in the Delete Users confirmation dialog box that appears.

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**NOTE:** You cannot delete admin users or change their user profiles.
**Editing User Attributes**

To edit user attributes:

1. Select **System Administration > User Management**. The NSMXpress Users dialog box appears, with all the NSMXpress Series II users listed.
2. Click on the name of the user whose attributes you want to edit. The Edit NSMXpress Users dialog box appears.
3. Edit the parameters you want to change and click **Submit**. You can change the password and the user profile.

**Understanding User Profiles**

NSMXpress Series II provides four predefined user profiles that allow you to implement role-based access control over the NSMXpress Series II WebUI. A user created via the WebUI or in the RADIUS server can be associated with any one of the following profiles:

- **System Administrator**—System Administrators are superusers who have full access to all the modules in the NSMXpress Series II WebUI.
- **NSM Administrator**—NSM Administrators have access to NSM Administration, RADIUS Management, Maintenance and Troubleshooting modules.
- **Network Operator**—Network Operators have access to Network Utilities and Report Generation Modules.
- **Guest User**—Guest Users have read access to System Information and System Statistics modules.

When a user logs in, the NSMXpress Series II modules are displayed or hidden based on the user profile and the permissions associated with the profile. For more details about user profiles and permissions, see Table 9 on page 57.

**Table 9: NSMXpress Series II WebUI User Profiles and Permissions**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>NSM Appliance Modules</th>
<th>System Administrator</th>
<th>NSM Administrator</th>
<th>Network Operator</th>
<th>Guest User</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>System Administration</strong></td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Bootup and Shutdown</strong></td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Change User Password</strong></td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Network Configuration</strong></td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>RADIUS Management</strong></td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>SNMP Monitoring</strong></td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Syslog Forwarding</strong></td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>System Time</strong></td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Table 9: NSMXpress Series II WebUI User Profiles and Permissions (continued)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>NSM Appliance Modules</th>
<th>System Administrator</th>
<th>NSM Administrator</th>
<th>Network Operator</th>
<th>Guest User</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>System Update</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>User Management</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>WebUI Configuration</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>NSM Administration</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Change NSM Super User Password</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Download NSM MIBs</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Export Audit Logs</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Export Device Logs</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Generate Reports</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>NSM Configuration Files</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>NSM Database Backup</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>NSM Management IP</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Schedule Security Updates</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Maintenance</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>System Statistics</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Troubleshooting</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Action Audit Logs</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Error Logs</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Network Utilities</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Tech Support</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>System Information</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Configuring the Web Interface

To specify which NSM client computers can access NSMXpress Series II through the Web interface, select System Administration > WebUI Configuration. The Allowed IP Addresses window appears as shown in Figure 40 on page 59.
Maintaining NSMXpress Series II

The Maintaining section of the NSMXpress Series II navigation tree allows you to perform the tasks described in the following sections:

- Viewing System Statistics on page 59
- Upgrading the Recovery Partition on page 60

Viewing System Statistics

To view system statistics, select System Administration > Maintenance > System Statistics. The system Statistics window appears as shown in Figure 41 on page 59.

CPU
Select CPU to view graphs that monitor the CPU activity hourly, daily, weekly, monthly, or on a customizable basis.

Log Rate
Select lograte to view graphs that monitor the log rate hourly, daily, weekly, monthly, or on a customizable basis.

CPU Load
Select Load to view graphs that monitor the CPU load hourly, daily, weekly, monthly, or on a customizable basis.
Memory Data
Select Memory to view graphs that monitor the memory activity hourly, daily, weekly, and monthly.

Network Data
Select either eth0 or eth1 to view graphs that monitor network activity hourly, daily, weekly, and monthly.

Process Count
Select Process to view graphs that monitor the number of processes hourly, daily, weekly, and monthly.

Disk Data
Select Disk to view graphs that monitor the file system disk space usage hourly, daily, weekly, and monthly.

Tile All Graphs
Select Tile all graphs to display all the statistical graphs for the system in one window.

Upgrading the Recovery Partition

The recovery partition contains all files necessary to perform a clean installation of the NSMXpress Series II OS and its applications with default settings. It provides a last-resort recovery mechanism. When NSMXpress Series II is shipped from the factory, the recovery partition files match the version of the NSMXpress Series II OS with factory default settings.

Using the Recovery Upgrade option, you can make the current version of NSMXpress Series II available for recovery, displacing the existing files in the recovery partition. The factory default recovery files are retained as an alternative recovery choice. Other versions are deleted.

Recovery upgrade uses two sets of packages to create a set of files from which you can perform a clean installation. One set makes up the NSMXpress Series II OS, the other a set of upgrade script packages. Both sets are usually retained in the local file system. The NSMXpress Series II OS set can also be downloaded from the Juniper Networks software repository.

The recovery upgrade process is split into a preparation phase and an upgrade phase. In the preparation phase, NSMXpress Series II assembles a copy of the current version of the image files in a temporary workspace. In the upgrade phase, NSMXpress Series II replaces the old recovery image files, and installs the current version of the image files from the temporary workspace into the recovery partition. By splitting the process into two phases, NSMXpress Series II minimizes the period of vulnerability while the upgrade itself takes place.

To upgrade the recovery partition, follow these steps:

If the new recovery partition files have already been prepared, then the Upgrade screen appears. Proceed with the upgrade phase as described in step 5.

If the upgrade files have not yet been prepared, the Upgrade Preparation window appears. Proceed with the preparation phase in step 2.

2. Enter the location of the NSMXpress Series II Regional server or Central Manager upgrade zip file, downloaded from the Juniper Customer Support Center when upgrading NSM, on the local file system.

3. If the NSMXpress Series II Offline server upgrade file is available on the local file system, enter its location and name of the file in the System upgrade source field. If the NSMXpress Series II offline server upgrade file is not available on the local file system and the appliance has access to the Juniper Update site, select Online.

4. Click Prepare System.

The Preparation Progress screen shows the progress of the operation.

Errors are reported if the required files are unavailable, disk space is not sufficient, or the previous version files are invalid.

When preparation is completed, the Upgrade window appears.

5. In the Upgrade window, enter the admin Web UI password and then click Start Update.

The upgrade process usually takes less than one minute.

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**CAUTION:** Do not interrupt the upgrade process. If you do, your NSMXpress Series II appliance might not boot normally.

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**Troubleshooting**

Use the options in the Troubleshooting section to access the following information and utilities:

- Auditing User Operations on page 61
- Error Logs on page 63
- Network Utilities on page 64
- Tech Support on page 66

**Auditing User Operations**

You can audit all user operations performed in NSMXpress Series II. Users with System Administrator and NSM administrator permissions can view all Actions Logs in NSMXpress Series II.
To view Action Audit Logs:

1. Select **Troubleshooting > Action Audit Logs**. The NSMXpress Actions Log dialog box appears. See Figure 42 on page 62.

Figure 42: NSMXpress Actions Dialog Box

2. Select the Action Audit Logs that you want to view:

   - **Actions by NSMXpress Users**: Select the **By any user** check box to select actions by all users. Select the **By user** check box and choose a username from the drop-down list to specify actions by a particular user. Select **By any user except** and choose a username from the drop-down list to exclude actions by a specific user.

   - **Actions by User Profile**: Select the **By any profile** check box to select actions by all user profiles. Select the **By profile** check box and choose a profile from the drop-down list to specify actions by a specific user profile. Select **By any profile except** and choose a profile from the drop-down list to exclude actions by a user profile.

   - **Actions by authentication mechanism**: Select the **By any authentication** check box to select actions by all authentication mechanisms. Select the **By authentication** check box and choose an authentication mechanism from the drop-down list to specify actions by a specific authentication mechanism. Select **By any authentication except** and choose a profile from the drop-down list to exclude actions by an authentication mechanism.

   - **Actions in module**: Select the **In any module** check box to select actions in all modules. Select the **In module** check box and choose a module from the drop-down list to specify actions in a particular module.

   - **Actions on dates**: Select the **At any time** check box to select actions at any time. Select the **For today only** check box to select today’s actions. Select the **For yesterday only** check box to select yesterday’s actions. Select the **During the last week** check box to select last week’s actions. Select the **Between** check box and
enter the start date and end date in the drop-down list to view actions within the specified time period.

3. Click **Search**. The Search Results dialog box appears with the result of your query. See Figure 43 on page 63.

**Figure 43: Search Results Dialog Box**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Action</th>
<th>Module</th>
<th>User</th>
<th>User profile</th>
<th>User Authentication</th>
<th>Client Address</th>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Time</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Added RADIUS Server user</td>
<td>Radius Management</td>
<td>admin</td>
<td>SysAdmin</td>
<td>User</td>
<td>10.206.144.216</td>
<td>14Aug2010 10:52</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Created HS/NN user user</td>
<td>User Management</td>
<td>admin</td>
<td>SysAdmin</td>
<td>User</td>
<td>10.206.144.216</td>
<td>14Aug2010 10:52</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Error Logs

To review error logs, select **Troubleshooting > Error Logs**. Figure 44 on page 63 shows an example.

**Figure 44: Review Error Logs**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Log File</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>View</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>File $ASM$screen/DevScreen/errorLog/gsysSDM.log</td>
<td>Device Server Error Log</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>File $ASM$screen/DevScreen/errorLog/procDcm.log</td>
<td>Device Directive Manager Error Log</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>File $ASM$screen/DevScreen/errorLog/rwLogWalker.0</td>
<td>Log Walker Error Log</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>File $ASM$screen/DevScreen/errorLog/profilesMgr.0</td>
<td>Profiler Manager Error Log</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>File $ASM$screen/DevScreen/errorLog/statusMonitor.0</td>
<td>Status Monitor</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>File $ASM$screen/GuiScreen/errorLog/guiDomain.0</td>
<td>Gui Server Error Log</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>File $ASM$screen/GuiScreen/errorLog/gui mmc.log</td>
<td>Master Controller Error Log</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>File $ASM$screen/GuiScreen/errorLog/gsysSDM.log</td>
<td>Gui Directive Manager Error Log</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>File $ASM$screen/GuiScreen/errorLog/statusMonitor.0</td>
<td>GuiScreen Status Monitor Error Log</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>File $ASM$screen/HAScreen/errorLog/highAvail.0</td>
<td>High Avail Error Log</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

To view details of an individual error log, select the file you want to view and click **View**. Figure 45 on page 64 shows sample error log details.
Network Utilities

To access basic network utilities (ping, traceroute, and nslookup) for TCP/IP Networking, select **Troubleshooting > Network Utilities**. These tools also provide an IP subnet calculator. See Figure 46 on page 64.

**Figure 46: Network Utilities Options**

- **Ping**
- **Traceroute**
- **Lookup**
- **IP Subnet Calculator**

**Ping**

Ping is a tool for checking network connectivity. The NSM appliance prompts you with questions so you can focus your search.

Figure 47 on page 64 shows an example.

**Figure 47: Ping Utility**

- **Hostname**
- **Verbosity Output?**
- **Numeric Output only?**
- **Bypass routing tables?**

**How Many Packets?**

Enter the number of packets this ping command will send. The default is 5. The values range from 1-99.
Packet Size
Enter the packet size (in bytes) this ping command will send. The default is 56. The values range from 1-9999.

How Many Sec Between Sending Each Packet
Enter how much time (in seconds) ping should wait between sending each packet.

Patterns to Send (Hex)
The data sent by ping contains a hexadecimal pattern. If you leave this option blank, ping will fill it with random data. This option is useful if you do not have problems with connectivity itself but with data loss.

Verbosity Output
The NSM appliance lists the ICMP packets (other than ECHO_Response) that have been received.

Numeric Output Only
Check this option if you do not want any attempts to be made to look up symbolic names for host addresses.

Bypass Routing Tables
If the host is not a directly attached network, an error is returned. This option can be used to ping a local host through an interface that has no route through it.

Traceroute
Traceroute is a tool to print the route a packet takes to a network host. See Figure 48 on page 65.

Figure 48: Traceroute Utility

NOTE: The only required field is Hostname. The value can be either a hostname or an IP address.
Lookup

Use the lookup tool to obtain the IP address from a hostname and the hostname from an IP address (see Figure 49 on page 66). The query type drop-down list contains several types of records found in the DNS database. Enter a nameserver or select the default. If you choose the default, nslookup uses the server on which NSMXpress Series II is installed.

Figure 49: Lookup Utility

IP Subnet Calculator

Use the IP subnet calculator to calculate the netmask for a TCP/IP-network. You can calculate a netmask by class and subnet bits or by the number of hosts (see Figure 50 on page 66). When you calculate a netmask by the number of hosts, NSMXpress Series II returns the smallest network available.

Figure 50: IP Subnet Calculator

Tech Support

To get contact information for Juniper Networks technical support, select Troubleshooting > Tech Support. To help analyze problems, select a detail type in the drop-down list box, and then click Run Tech-Support Script. NSMXpress Series II creates a file you can download and send to Juniper Networks technical support. See Figure 51 on page 67.
Viewing System Information

Use the System Information menu item to display information about the server, including CPU load and memory use, as shown in Figure 52 on page 67.

Figure 52: System Information

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>System hostname</th>
<th>NSM/gpress.juniper.net</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Operating system</td>
<td>Juniper NSM/gpress 0.03.01r</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Server Uptime</td>
<td>Tue Aug 12 06:14.57 2008</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CPU load averages</td>
<td>0.08 (1 min) 0.02 (5 mins) 0.01 (15 mins)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Real memory</td>
<td>3.96 GB total, 106 MB used</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Virtual memory</td>
<td>7.81 GB total, 0 bytes used</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
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Rack-Mounting the NSMXpress Series II Appliance

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Rack-Mounting the NSMXpress Series II Appliance

This section lists the rack types and describes the procedures for mounting the NSMXpress Series II appliances on the Juniper UNIMOUNT rack-mount systems.

The NSMXpress Series II appliance supports the following rack types:

- 19” 4-post rack
- 19” 2-post rack

The rack-mount system is flexible and offers several options for rack-mounting the hardware. The different options include:

NOTE: If you are installing multiple NSMXpress Series II appliances in one rack, you should install the lowest one first and proceed upward in the rack. Install heavier NSMXpress Series II appliances in the lower part of the rack.

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Front-Mounting Flush to Rack

To mount the appliance using this option:

1. Attach the chassis to the equipment rack using 4 rack-mount screws on each side of the system. See Figure 53 on page 72.
2. Verify that the mounting screws on one side of the rack are aligned with the mounting screws on the opposite side and that the appliance is level.

Figure 53: Front-Mounting flush to rack

Front-Mounting Recessed in Rack

This option allows sites with no front-of-rack clearance to recess the NSMXpress Series II system in the equipment rack.

To mount the appliance using this option:

1. Remove the rear screws on each side of the system's front rails and the two small screws towards the front of the chassis.

2. Loosen the side rail screws of the chassis and slide the front rails of the system forward, as far as they will move. See Figure 54 on page 72.

3. Tighten the side rail screws. Insert the two small screws in the recessed holes on the front rails and tighten.

4. Insert 4 rack-mount screws on each side of the system to secure the chassis to the rack-mount system.

5. Verify that the mounting screws on one side of the rack are aligned with the mounting screws on the opposite side and that the appliance is level.

Figure 54: Front-Mounting recessed in rack

Mounting bracket, positioned forward for recessed mounting.
The recessed position allows network and console cables to be routed through the sides of the equipment rack and through the holes of the recessed front rails on either side of the unit. This enables easy cable routing on the racks with limited cable management.

**Front-Rear-Mounting Flush to Rack**

This option is used for larger chassis that require additional support when mounted on the rack-mount system.

To mount NSMXpress Series II using this option:

1. Insert 4 rack-mount screws on each side of the system to secure the front of the chassis to the equipment rack.
2. Slide the rear mount rail brackets into the backs of the front rails on either side of the chassis and align with your rear equipment rack posts. Secure the rear mount rail brackets to your equipment rack with 2 rack mount screws each.
3. Insert locking screws on the sides of the rear mount brackets to secure the front and rear mounting brackets in place. See Figure 55 on page 73.
4. Verify that the mounting screws on one side of the rack are aligned with the mounting screws on the opposite side and that the appliance is level.

**Figure 55: Front-Rear-Mounting flush to rack**

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**Front-Rear-Mounting Recessed in Rack**

This option provides additional front clearance in the equipment rack. It is used for larger chassis, that requires additional support when mounted on the rack-mount system.

To mount the appliance using this option:

1. Remove the rear screws on each side of the system’s front rails and the two small screws towards the front of the chassis.
2. Remove the rear screws on each side of the system’s front rails and the two small screws towards the front of the chassis.
3. Tighten the side rail screws. Insert the two small screws in the recessed holes on the front rails and tighten.
4. Slide the rear mount rail brackets into the backs of the front rails on either side of the chassis and align with your rear equipment rack posts. Secure the rear mount rail brackets to your equipment rack with 2 rack mount screws each. See Figure 56 on page 74.

5. Insert locking screws on the sides of the rear mount brackets to secure the front and rear mounting brackets in place.

6. Verify that the mounting screws on one side of the rack are aligned with the mounting screws on the opposite side and that the appliance is level.

**Figure 56: Front-Rear-Mounting recessed in rack**

The recessed position allows network and console cables to be routed through the sides of the equipment rack and through the holes of the recessed front rails on either side of the unit. This enables easy cable routing on the racks with limited cable management.

**Mid-Mount in Two Post Equipment Rack**

This option is suitable for a two post equipment rack. It allows the appliance to be mid-mounted so that there is even clearance on the front and rear of the rack.

To mount the appliance using this option:

1. Remove the two front mount rails from either side of the chassis.
2. Insert one mid-mount bracket to the center on either side of the chassis.
3. Attach the chassis to the equipment rack and insert the other two mid-mount brackets on either side of the system to secure the chassis to the backs of the post. See Figure 57 on page 75.
4. Verify that the mounting screws on one side of the rack are aligned with the mounting screws on the opposite side and that the appliance is level.
Attach the front bracket to the chassis, and secure the chassis to the post. Attach the rear bracket to the other side of the post, and secure the chassis to the rear bracket, adjusting the bracket width as needed.
This appendix describes the LEDs on the NSMXpress appliance.

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NSMXpress LEDs

The front panel of the NSMXpress appliance has the following LEDs:

- Power LED
- Hard Disk LED
- Hardware LED
- Hard Disk Tray LEDs

Table 10 on page 77 describes their states.

**Table 10: NSMXpress LEDs**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>LED</th>
<th>Color</th>
<th>Condition</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Power</td>
<td>Unlit</td>
<td>The appliance is not receiving power.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Green</td>
<td>The appliance is receiving power.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Hard Disk</td>
<td>Unlit</td>
<td>No hard disk activity.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Blinking yellow</td>
<td>Hard disk activity.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Hardware</td>
<td>Unlit</td>
<td>Normal operation.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Blinking fast (1/sec)</td>
<td>A fan has failed.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Blinking slow (4/sec)</td>
<td>A power supply has failed.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>On steadily</td>
<td>Warning that the system is overheating and is about to power off.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Table 10: NSMxpress LEDs (continued)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Hard Disk Tray LEDs</th>
<th></th>
<th></th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Hard Disk Activity LED</td>
<td>Blinking green</td>
<td>Hard disk activity</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Hard Disk Failure LED</td>
<td>On steadily (Red)</td>
<td>Hard disk failure</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**NOTE:** This is applicable for NSM 3000 RAID configurations and not for non-RAID configurations (NSMxpress/NSMCM).

|       | Blinking red | Hard disk recovery or rebuild |

**NOTE:** For information on LAN LEDs, see Table 6 on page 7
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