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Expanded Meet-me Conferencing

Reservation-less, Meet-me Audio Conferencing

Avaya Expanded Meet-me Conferencing provides reservation-less, meet-me audio conferencing capability for up to 300 users per system, including up to 300 participants in a single conference. Tightly integrated with Avaya Communication Manager, Expanded Meet-me extends the value of an organization's investment in Avaya infrastructure, by providing convenient access to cost-effective, on-demand conference calls. Using the product, organizations can hold conference calls at any time, without paying recurring or per-use fees for simple reservation-less calls. Most organizations can realize an ROI in 4 to 6 months, and save thousands of dollars monthly, compared with outsourced services.

Enhancements over 6-party Meet-me Conferencing

Expanded Meet-me Conferencing leverages the same features, administrator and user experience found with the current 6-party Meet-me conferencing capability of Communication Manager, including entry and exit tones, and single pass code for entry (participant and moderator). It also provides:

- Expanded capacity up to 300 parties per conference
- Enhanced phone display, including real-time view of participants joining and dropping, and ability to scroll through the list of participants
- Host ability to mute selective participants
- Support for all types of end points: analog, DCP, BRI, H.323, and SIP

The software-based solution runs on an Avaya S8500C server and connects with Communication Manager v3.0 Linux-based servers via encrypted signaling links (TLS - SIP standard), and uses same operating system as CM (RedHat Linux 8.0).

Benefits

- Cost-effective reservation-less conferencing for up to 300 parties per system
- Easy to acquire, configure and use, as it does not change the user experience associated with 6-party Meet-me
- Tight integration with Communication Manager for simple deployment and management
- TLS link for secure connectivity between Communication Manager and the conferencing server



- Same administrator interface and phone display as current 6-party Meet-me conferencing, providing a familiar user experience
- Support for all types of end points: analog, DCP, BRI, H.323 and SIP

Technical Specs

Hardware Requirements

- S8500C server
- S8500C server runs the Expanded Meet-me Conferencing application
- IBM x306 server with SAP
- OS: RedHat Linux 8.0
- Modified version of Communication Manager's HAP
- SIP Trunk interface between Communication Manager and conferencing server (TLS link for secure connectivity)

Software Requirements

- Includes a modified version of Communication Manager's HAP
- SIP Trunk interface between Communication Manager and S6200 server (TLS link for secure connectivity)
- SAMP card required for remote access and restart
- Conference control remains in the Communication Manager, while audio summing and conditioning are done in the Expanded Meet-me server.

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