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Chapter 1: Introduction

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[Audience](#) (see page 13)

[Typical Processes](#) (see page 14)

About This Guide

This guide provides an overview and step-by-step instructions on how to use the CA RCM portal. The CA RCM portal is a web based interface that gives users access to the role management and compliance management features of CA RCM.

Audience

This guide is intended for Role Engineers, system administrators and organizational managers who are in charge of granting and certifying entitlements. Role Engineers are typically well-trained professionals, familiar with the target organization. This manual assumes that the Role Engineer has had professional training on CA RCM client tools and is familiar with the CA RCM documentation that accompanied the client tools installation package.

System administrators should be familiar with the CA RCM software, downloading and uploading of users and resources databases, role discovery and audit operations. This guide is also intended for general administrators and organizational managers who are in charge of various processes, and therefore have to access the portal in the course of their daily activities. Other users will have limited access to the CA RCM Portal's options.

Familiarity with the Microsoft operating system and applications and relevant peripheral and remote equipment is also assumed.

More information:

[Security and Permissions](#) (see page 227)

Typical Processes

The CA RCM Portal provides access to both information and processes necessary for system-wide role management, compliance management, certification campaigns and relevant security management oversight.

Typical processes that users perform in the CA RCM Portal include the following:

Running Campaigns

Campaigns use CA RCM's basic auditing tools to run an enterprise certification and attestation process by designated approvers. The purpose of the campaign is to certify that granted privileges comply with the business and regulatory needs, and that they are not over allocated. This process is supported by the CA RCM Audit Card facility which allows the presentation of out-of-pattern and non-compliance information to the approver. The campaign administrator can apply pattern recognition tools and policy enforcement rules to analyze a configuration and run a comprehensive audit. The output of an audit is the Audit Card, which contains a list of all suspicious records and the type of suspicion involved (currently about 50 different types).

Part of the cleansing process and an important step before starting the role engineering process is for business managers (Approvers) to review the access rights. A manager can be in charge of a team of users, one or more roles or one or more resources. In a business with over 1000 users, the help of the managers is required to speed up the cleansing process. Depending on the campaign definitions, the business managers may be required to review the access rights of their employees and/or resources under their jurisdiction, and report the change requests to the CA RCM Administrator. Campaigns are used not only in the enterprise cleansing phase, but also for periodic certification as required by regulation.

Self-Service

Managers can use the CA RCM Portal to manage their team's role definitions and access to corporate resources. Users can also manage their own personal privileges with regard to system roles and resources.

Entity Browser

This browser aids the administrator/business manager who is using the CA RCM Portal in viewing entities (i.e. users, roles, and resources) associated with a specific Universe under a selected configuration. The information is displayed in table format. The tables contain basic information for each entity.

Running reports

Provides access to a variety of reports, such as reports that list users, resources, or roles, and their links to other entities, reports that track the status of a campaign, and others.

Note: For more information about the reports that CA RCM supports, see [Report Types](#) (see page 142).

Dashboards

Automatically shows users useful statistical information as they go about their tasks. CA RCM includes the following dashboards:

- Configuration dashboard
- Audit card dashboard
- Compliance dashboard
- Roles coverage dashboard
- Certification dashboard

Administration

Administrators can create a universe, generate import/export connectors and define their scheduling. They can also perform other functions available only to senior administrators.

More information:

[Using The CA RCM Portal Interface](#) (see page 17)

Chapter 2: Using The CA RCM Portal Interface

The user interface, menus and options are fully described in this chapter. Not all users will have full administrative privileges and therefore, not all the described options will be available for all users.

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[Language Support](#) (see page 18)

Open the CA RCM Portal

Once you install and start CA RCM, you can open the web-based interface from a remote computer using the URL for CA RCM portal.

To open the CA RCM Portal

1. Open a web browser and enter *one* of the following URLs:
 - To use a non-SSL connection, enter the following URL:

`http://ServerName:Port/eurekiify`

- To use an SSL connection, enter the following URL:

`https://ServerName:HTTPSPort/eurekiify`

The Login screen opens.

2. Enter your credentials.

Note: The Password is case-sensitive.

3. Click Log In.

The CA RCM portal Home page appears.

More information:

[Using The CA RCM Portal Interface](#) (see page 17)

User Interface

You can use the following general usability features in the screens of the CA RCM portal:

- Autocomplete—in fields that reference field names or values of a data file, the portal completes your typing with matching values from the data file. You can also press the Down Arrow key to scroll through a list of available field values.
- Mandatory fields—fields marked with an orange dot are mandatory. You cannot proceed to the next stage of a process without filling in these fields.
- Customizable Tables—click Customize in the header bar of a table to change the columns shown and the order in which they are displayed. Click a column header to sort the table by the values of that column. You can also use the Records per page drop down to limit or extend the size of a long table.

User Interface for Non-Administrators

Several types of users connect to the CA RCM portal:

- Administrators and role engineers use CA RCM to model and maintain the data universe. They configure data connectors that update the universe model and export changes in privilege settings to provisioning endpoints. They define and run certification campaigns to verify user privileges.
- Business managers interact with CA RCM primarily as participants in certification campaigns. They can also use the role management features of the portal to change the privileges related to users or resources they manage. All these tasks are supported using a ticket-based task management system.

When users log in to the CA RCM portal, they can access only the portal features that are relevant to them. Business managers can only access their own Inbox, the Role Management area, and other relevant areas of the portal. Administrators can access all areas of the portal. They can define data universes and connectors and create campaigns.

More information:

[Security and Permissions](#) (see page 227)

Language Support

The CA RCM portal interface appears in the language you selected during installation. To help ensure that text direction, date formats, and other aspects of the user interface conform to the selected language, set the language of your browser to the language of the interface.

Chapter 3: Getting Started

This chapter describes the order of procedures to be carried out when running the CA RCM Portal on a system whose user, role and resource data has not yet been downloaded by the CA RCM system. The step-by-step details, for each step in the procedures mentioned here, are described in later chapters.

This section contains the following topics:

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[Step 3: Import Entity Data](#) (see page 20)

[Step 4: Generating Master/Model Configurations](#) (see page 22)

[Step 5: Creating a Campaign](#) (see page 22)

[Step 6: Exporting Entity Data](#) (see page 22)

Step 1: Creating a Universe

A universe is a virtual location that encompasses the data collected from the enterprise security and identity management systems. This data is stored in the CA RCM configuration files. A universe consists of a specific pair of master-model configurations, enabling tracking of differences between the real-world configuration imported from the system (master) and the desired configuration generated after a campaign (model).

You need the following information to [create a universe](#) (see page 25):

- Master configuration file name and path
- Model configuration file name and path
- (Optional) Approved Audit Card
- Audit Settings file name and path
- Names of the fields (in the configuration files) that contain the following information:
 - Login
 - Email
 - User manager
 - Role manager
 - Resource manager

Note: You can provide names of configuration files that do not yet exist. Because you do not have the field names, you create the master/model configuration files later and then update the universe with the correct field names.

Step 2: Create Import Connectors

After defining the universe that you intend to audit, you can import user and user privileges from various endpoints. This process requires you to define import connectors.

Importing refers to downloading user, resource, and role information from an endpoint system into CA RCM. Exporting refers to uploading changes in user, resource, and role information that is generated after an audit.

Note: For more information about connectors, see the Using Administration Functions section of this guide.

More information:

[Import and Export Connectors](#) (see page 165)

Step 3: Import Entity Data

“Import” refers to downloading the system’s current user, resource and role (when available) configuration data. You can use the import-connector that you created in Step 2 to download the entity data from the enterprise endpoints.

You can also use the Import option on the CA RCM Data Management menu bar to import the entity data (see the *Data Management Guide*).

The output of the import process is a Sage configuration document (.cfg file), which sets the stage for the role discovery process.

Entities and Links: How CA RCM Presents Privilege Information

After you import current user, resource and role (when available) configuration data, CA RCM parses and stores the provisioning and user access information in your enterprise into entities and links.

Entities are the users and resources in your enterprise. Similarly, the roles that CA RCM uses to manage access privileges are entities.

Links are connections between any two entities that define access privileges. For example:

- A link between a user and a resource lets the user access the resource. You review and approve links of this type when you certify the privileges of a worker you manage.
- A link between a role and a resource includes the resource in the role. All users who are assigned the role can access the resource.
- A link between a role and another role defines parent-child relationships in the role hierarchy that CA RCM creates.

Two entities can be linked in the following ways:

Direct links

A single link connects two entities.

Indirect links

Two or more links connect the entities through other entities. For example, when a user is assigned a role that includes a resource, the user and resource are linked indirectly through the role.

Dual links

Both direct and indirect links connect two entities. For example, a direct link grants a user access to a resource, and they are also assigned a role which includes that resource.

Direct links and dual links are examined during the various review processes, for example, during campaigns, or when assigning a role to a specific corporate team. Indirect links are listed for completeness, but are not subject to the review process.

Step 4: Generating Master/Model Configurations

When you create a Universe, you provide the names of two configurations files, one is the master configuration file and the other is the model configuration file. The master configuration file contains the data imported from endpoint systems. The model configuration file is initially a copy of this data, which is processed and updated as the role modeling and audit processes proceed.

Use the instructions in Appendix A: Duplicating a Configuration, to generate the master and model configuration files using the CA RCM DNA module. If necessary, edit the universe so that the listed master and model configurations match the ones you generated.

After you create or edit a universe, enter the users associated with the universe into the CA RCM permissions configuration, so that the users will have access to the CA RCM Portal. Typically this process involves RACI synchronization to assign each user the rights they need on the portal.

More information:

[RACI Operations](#) (see page 218)

Step 5: Creating a Campaign

A campaign is an audit process which entails reviewing links between users, roles, and resources. Managers in charge of various entities are notified that a campaign has begun. The tasks assigned during the campaign are presented to the campaign owner and approvers as tickets. The tickets include information necessary to review, and approve or reject the task.

Step 6: Exporting Entity Data

The differences between the original real-world configuration that was imported from system endpoints (Master) and the updated and corrected configuration that has gone through an auditing process (Model) are exported to the original endpoints, thus updating the corporate and platform user and user privileges information so that they are now in compliance with corporate policies and regulations.

More information:

[Define an Export Connector](#) (see page 173)

Chapter 4: The CA RCM Universe

After you create a universe, you can edit universe-specific settings. To access these settings, go to Administration, Settings, Universe Settings, and click Edit next to the universe you want to edit. The edit universe screen appears and displays multiple tabs for changing various settings related to the universe.

This section contains the following topics:

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[Components of a Universe](#) (see page 24)

[Create a Universe](#) (see page 25)

[Customize Tables for a Universe](#) (see page 27)

[Customize Workflow Display Settings](#) (see page 28)

[Define Default Process Mapping for the Universe](#) (see page 29)

[Pre-Approved Violations](#) (see page 29)

[User Account Information](#) (see page 32)

CA RCM Universe Overview

A *universe* is a view into a management namespace that lets CA RCM administrators manage entities such as users, roles, and resources collected from identity management systems. Entity data is stored in configuration files. A universe contains a pair of master-model configurations, enabling the tracking of differences between the real-world configuration imported from the system (master) and the desired configuration generated (model).

Every connector you configure for data import and export within CA RCM must be associated with its own universe. For example, if you want to import data from CA Identity Manager, using the Connector for CA Identity Manager, that data would be stored and managed in one universe. If you then wanted to import data from a third-party resource into CA RCM using a custom executable connector, you create a separate universe for storing and managing that third-party resource data.

Connectors

Connectors are defined for importing and exporting user and user privileges (entities and the links between them) from corporate systems into CA RCM.

Import connectors are used to collect the data from corporate systems. Once that data is in CA RCM, Role Managers can modify the data based on corporate policies and regulatory compliance.

At the end of change process, CA RCM compares the original configuration to the new configuration and creates a variance log (DIFF file). Export connectors then push the resulting configuration changes back to the corporate system.

Components of a Universe

A universe contains related configuration files and data files. Every universe contains the following configuration files:

- Master configuration—a file that contains real-world user and user privileges information.
- Model configuration—a file that starts as a copy of the Master configuration, but is updated to reflect any user privilege or role hierarchy changes.
Note: All configuration files in a universe share a common structure. When you define a universe, you specify which fields store the unique ID, email, and other data for each user. These fields are used in CA RCM certification, analysis, and report processes. All configuration files in the universe must comply with these field designations. For more information about configuration files, see the CA RCM Data Files appendix.
- RACI configurations—Four files created after analyzing the Model configuration file to determine the users who are responsible, accountable, consulted, and informed for each resource.
- Accounts configurations—files related to the Master and Model configurations; they correlate user accounts defined on endpoints with users in the configuration.

You can define other configuration files that contain subsets of Master and Model data, or newly imported data. Other files associated with a universe can include the following:

- (Optional) Approved Audit Card—a file that defines pre-approved business rule violations that are ignored in the certification processes.
- Audit Settings—a file that determines audit behavior for universe configuration files.

Create a Universe

To manage entities such as users, roles, and resources collected from identity management systems, create a Universe.

To create a CA RCM Universe

1. In the CA RCM Portal, go to Administration, Settings, Universe Settings.
The Universes list appears.
2. Click Add new.
The Create New Universe screen appears.
3. Provide values for the following fields:

Universe Name

Defines the name of the universe.

Note: You cannot change the name of an existing universe.

Master configuration name

Specifies the master configuration of the universe.

Model configuration name

Specifies the model configuration of the universe.

Note the following:

- Master and model configurations must be unique for each Universe. Do *not* create more than one universe that uses the same master or model configuration.
- Example configuration file names: CA_IMmaster.cfg, CA_IMmodel.cfg.
- Configuration file names cannot contain slash ("/" or "\\") characters.
- You can specify configuration files that do not yet exist. They are created with the names you specify when you first import data.

(Optional) Approved Audit Card

Defines the list of [pre-approved violations](#) (see page 29) for the Universe.

Approved Alerts are

Specifies whether pre-approved violations are ignored (hidden) or grayed out in the audit card.

Configuration login field

Specifies the user login ID field in the universe configuration files (located in the user database file).

Note: If you do not have the field names at this stage, the master/model configuration files are still created during the initial import, and you can update the universe with the correct field names at that time.

Configuration email field

Specifies the user email address field in the universe configuration files (located in the user database file).

Configuration user manager field

Specifies the user manager ID field in universe configuration files (user approver).

Configuration role manager field

Specifies the role manager ID field in configuration files of the universe (role approver).

Configuration resource manager field

Specifies the field in universe configuration files that contains the resource manager ID (resource approver).

Configuration resource Application field

Specifies the field in the universe configuration files that identifies the endpoint or source application of a resource.

Audit settings file

Specifies parameters and settings that define the audit and pattern-based checks performed on the master configuration each time an import occurs.

4. Click Save.

The universe is created and appears in the Universes list.

Customize Tables for a Universe

For each universe, you can customize the table layout that the entity browser and role management screens use to display the configuration data.

Note: These table definitions are also applied by default to campaign tickets based on the universe.

To customize entity browser display settings

1. In the CA RCM Portal, go to Administration, Settings, Universe Settings.

The Universes list screen appears.

2. Click Edit beside the universe you want to edit.

The Edit screen appears.

3. Select the Entity Browser - Display Settings tab.

This tab contains three table headers. The Users, Roles, and Resources views display the layout of each entity table in the entity browser.

4. Customize the table layout as follows:

- a. Click Customize on the table header you want to modify.

The Customize dialog appears.

- b. Use the arrow keys to add or remove columns, and to order the columns.

- c. When you finish customizing the columns, click OK.
- d. Click the lock icon next to the column name to make the column mandatory. Users can move a mandatory column, but they cannot remove it.

Note: Mandatory columns appear in red.

5. Click OK.

The entity browser displays configurations of this universe in the table formats you specified.

Customize Workflow Display Settings

For each universe, you can customize the table layout that the Inbox uses to display actions when you open a workflow task under My Tasks.

Mandatory columns cannot be removed from table displays. Red text and a locked padlock icon indicate mandatory columns in customization screens. CA RCM requires some hard-coded mandatory columns by default. Administrators can define additional mandatory columns if necessary.

To customize workflow display settings

1. In the CA RCM Portal, go to Administration, Settings, Universe Settings.

The Universes list screen appears.

2. Click Edit for the universe you want to edit.

The Edit screen appears.

3. Select the Workflow Display Settings tab.

This tab contains four table headers. The General Actions, User Actions, Role Actions, and Resources Actions headers display the table layouts for the My Tasks screen.

4. Customize the table layout as follows:

- a. Click Customize on a table header you want to modify.

The Customize dialog appears.

- b. Use the arrow keys to add or remove columns, and to order the columns.

- c. When you finish customizing the columns, click OK.

- d. Click the lock icon next to the column name to make the column mandatory. Users can move a mandatory column, but they cannot remove it.

Note: Mandatory columns appear in red.

5. Click OK.

The My Tasks screen in the Inbox displays tables in the format you specified.

Define Default Process Mapping for the Universe

To assign process mappings to CA RCM business workflows within a universe, use the Default Process Mapping tab under Universe Settings. CA RCM uses the processes specified to implement business workflows.

Note the following:

- Universe mappings override global default mappings set under Administration, Workflow Settings.
- You can override these default assignments when you apply a specific process mapping to a workflow. Do this in the CA RCM Portal by in Administration, Workflow Settings, Workflow Process Mapping.

To edit a universe default process mapping, click the Default Process Mapping tab. This tab has the following sections:

Certification Campaign

Lists business workflows related to certification campaigns.

Access Request

Lists business workflows related to self-service requests.

Change Approval

Lists business workflows related to configuration changes launched from CA RCM client tools.

Each row represents a type of business workflow. A drop-down list displays available process mappings for that type of workflow.

Pre-Approved Violations

To gray out or ignore (hide) specific violations when performing compliance and pattern checks, you can add pre-approved violations within a specific universe. Pre-approved violations appear on a campaign and self service violation screens.

When adding pre-approved violations, you can provide an expiration date. Once the date expires, the violation is no longer pre-approved and behaves as a regular violation once again. You can also provide a comment to explain the reason to approve the violation.

If a pre-approved violation has an expiration date or explanation provided, both appear in the violation tooltip when you hover over the violation.

A scheduled task runs at a configurable interval, searches through all universes that have an approved audit card, and deletes all expired alerts.

Add Pre-Approved Violations

For each universe, you can set violations as pre-approved. These pre-approved violations are hidden (ignored) or grayed out in compliance and pattern check audit cards.

Note: You need administrator-level rights in the CA RCM Portal to perform this procedure.

To add pre-approved violations

1. In the DNA, connect to the CA RCM server.
2. Open the audit card that contains violations you want to pre-approve.
Note: A violation must be saved to the database before you set it as pre-approved.
3. (Optional) Provide an expiration date or a comment, as follows:
 - a. Right-click the violation and select Edit.
 - b. If you want to provide an expiration date, select the Expiration Date check box and provide a date.
 - c. If you want to provide a reason for the pre-approval, go to the Pre-Approve comment field and enter text.
 - d. Click OK.
4. Right-click the violation you want to pre-approve and select Always Approve this Violation.
5. Verify that the violation appears in the audit card titled *universe_name* Pre-Approved Violations.

Configure Pre-Approved Violations

If you added pre-approved violations to a universe, you can specify whether the violation appears grayed out or is ignored (hidden) altogether. You configure pre-approved violations under Universe Settings.

To configure pre-approved violations

1. In the CA RCM Portal, go to Administration, Settings.
2. Click Universe Settings.
3. Locate the universe with the pre-approved violations to configure, and click Edit.
The Edit screen for the universe appears.

- Next to 'Approved alerts are:', select the display configuration you want for pre-approved violations.

Default: Grayed out

- Click Save.

Configure Cleanup Task for Expired Pre-Approved Violations

In CA RCM, you can enable or disable a scheduled task to search through all universes that have an approved audit card, and delete all expired alerts. This scheduled task can be configured using the CA RCM portal.

To configure the scheduled task to clean up expired violations

- In the CA RCM portal, go to Administration, Settings.
- Click Property Settings.
- Click Edit and change either of the following settings:
 - audit.delete.expired.alerts.enabled—enables or disables the cleanup of expired pre-approved violations
Default: True (enabled)
 - audit.delete.expired.alerts.interval.seconds—second interval between each cleanup
Default: 86400 (one day)
- Click Save.

Note: To override the default behavior for a specific universe, create a universe-specific property, for example, you can create the property `universe.property.Universe \ Name.audit.delete.expired.alerts.enabled` and set it appropriately for that universe. Spaces in a universe name are replaced with a backslash followed by a space (\).

By default, web services do not include pre-approved violations. To include pre-approved violations, set the following property:

```
audit.approved.alerts.webservices.include=true
```

If you want to override the default behavior for a specific universe, create a universe-specific property and set it to true, as follows:

```
universe.property.My\ Universe\  
Name.audit.approved.alerts.webservices.include=true
```

Note: Spaces in a universe name are replaced with a backslash followed by a space (\).

Use Case: Pre-Approved Violations

You need a few people from the Human Resources department to help the Finance department during a busy time at the end of the year.

To help out, the employees from the Human Resources department must access financial resources that would normally generate a violation within CA RCM.

Once you provide the Human Resources employees access to the financial resources, you then test for compliance, and add the resulting violations to the pre-approved violations list. Finally, set the expiration date of each pre-approved violation to the first day of the next year.

Note: Be sure that you enable the scheduled job that deletes expired pre-approved violations.

All violations generated by this temporary work situation are suppressed until the end of the year. Depending on universe settings, these violations are hidden or grayed out in campaign tickets or self-service validation screens based on the universe.

User Account Information

In many environments, user accounts on various endpoints define user access to resources. You can import this account information into special Accounts configuration files in the universe.

The Account configurations are based on the master and model configurations of the universe, and map users to their accounts on provisioning endpoints.

The Account configurations are created automatically when you import account information. These configuration files are named using the following convention:

```
modelconfig_Accounts.cfg  
masterconfig_Accounts.cfg
```

Note: *modelconfig* is the name of the model configuration in the universe. *masterconfig* is the name of the master configuration in the universe.

When you use the entity browser to examine any configuration of a universe that contains Account configurations, the entity browser shows account information for each user.

How CA RCM Imports Account Information from CA Identity Manager Endpoints

CA RCM can import account information from CA Identity Manager endpoints. When you create a connector for CA Identity Manager, the import process identifies changed account information and updates the account configurations with the master and model configurations of the universe.

Note: Account information is retrieved only when you run an import connector from the CA RCM portal. If you run the import from CA RCM Data Management, CA RCM does not retrieve account information. For more information about the connector for CA Identity Manager, see the *Connector for CA Identity Manager Guide*.

Implicit Accounts

When a universe does not have account configurations, or a user has no accounts on external endpoints, account information is not available. CA RCM creates an implicit account to relate resources to users even when account information is not available from external endpoints.

The following system parameters control implicit accounts:

implicit.accounts.enabled

Specifies if CA RCM creates implicit accounts for users.

Valid values; True, False

Default: True

implicit.accounts.field.name

Specifies the field of user records that is used to name implicit accounts. Typically this is the loginID field.

implicit.accounts.field.name.universe

Specifies the field of user records that is used to name implicit accounts in the specified universe. This value overrides the value of the `implicit.accounts.field.name` property for the specified universe.

universe

Defines the universe that uses the field specified to name implicit accounts.

Implicit accounts have the following structure;

- The account name is taken from the field specified in the `implicit.accounts.field.name` property.
- The default mapped endpoint is taken from the Configuration resource application field specified for the universe.

Import CSV Data into an Account Configuration

You can import account information from a file of comma-separated values (CSV) into a special configuration that parallels the model configuration of the universe.

Note: Because file-based import is a one-time process, only use a CSV file for initial import or occasional administrative updates to account information. To keep account information updated, define a data connector job that imports account information from endpoints at regular intervals.

Note: You need administrator-level rights in the CA RCM Portal to perform this procedure.

To import CSV data into an account configuration

1. Prepare the data file.
2. Click Administration, Accounts from the main menu of the CA RCM portal.
The Import Accounts screen appears.
3. Specify the target universe and the CSV file to import, and click Import.
CA RCM copies new, unique records from the CSV file to the Account configurations. Existing information in the Account configurations is preserved.
4. (Optional) To verify imported account data, view the model configuration in the entity browser or open the account configurations in the Data Manager application

CSV File Structure

Each record of the CSV accounts data file must contain the following fields:

PersonID

Defines the user in the target universe who owns the imported account. This field has the same content and format as the PersonID field in the universe.

Endpoint

Defines the name of the endpoint that hosts the account. This field has the same content and format as the Configuration resource Application field specified for the universe.

Account

Defines the account name as it exists on the endpoint.

The first line of the CSV file must be the following header:

```
personID,endpoint,account
```

Each line of the file must contain three values, separated by commas.

Example: CSV accounts data file

The following example shows a CSV file with four data records. The first two records map accounts to the same user, John Meade:

```
personID,endpoint,account  
5467238,UNXMARKT,jmeade  
5467238,NT-Security,john_meade  
7635097,RACFTEST,marcus432  
6523876,NT-Security,kim_bell
```


Chapter 5: Using Business Workflows

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Business Workflows in CA RCM

A *business workflow* is a set of related tasks that fulfill a business requirement, such as certifying user privileges, or requiring approvals for privilege changes.

Business workflows implement a company's procedures for determining compliance with internal and external policies in CA RCM. Implementing these procedures in CA RCM can help ensure that a company has a reliable and repeatable method for validating compliance.

For example, a company wants to perform a quarterly audit of their employees' access to company resources. The compliance officer initiates a certification campaign that requires managers to certify the privileges of their direct reports. The compliance officer further requests that resource owners approve any rejected privileges for the resources they manage. In this example, the certification and approval steps comprise a business workflow. The company can initiate that workflow on a quarterly basis, or more frequently, as required.

You can define business workflows for the following activities in CA RCM:

- Certification campaigns
- Self service requests, such as a manager requesting a privilege change for an employee, or requesting a change to roles that they own
Note: Self service requests are initiated through the Role Management menu in the Portal.
- Approval requests for changes to the role model made through the DNA client tools

Actions, Tasks, and Workflow Processes

A business workflow includes the following components:

Action

An *action* is a single decision taken by a business user in a workflow. The most common action is for a manager or resource owner to approve or reject access privileges related to a user, role, or resource entity. Other examples of actions include starting a certification campaign, or consulting with another user before deciding to approve or reject a privilege.

Note: For more information about actions, see [Types of Actions](#) (see page 39).

One or more actions comprise a task.

Task

A *task* is a collection of actions that CA RCM users must complete to satisfy a requirement in a business workflow. For example, a user certification campaign contains a task for each user under review. Each user certification task consists of review actions for each role or resource that the user can access. CA RCM assigns each action to the appropriate reviewers, tracks responses, and implements any required changes.

A task is associated with a workflow process.

Workflow process

A *workflow process* is a set of activities and decision points in Workpoint process management software (installed with CA RCM) that control the flow of a task. A workflow process is associated with a task type in a business workflow.

Note: Task types are associated with a default workflow process. If the default workflow processes do not address certain business requirements, system administrators can create custom processes. For more information, see the *Programming Guide*.

Types of Actions

CA RCM assigns actions to business users. Most actions involve review of a link which defines an access privilege between two entities. Typically CA RCM assigns an action to a user who is related to the entities under review, such as the manager of a user, or the owner of a role or resource.

The type of an action provides a general idea of its purpose in the workflow, and the task that generated it. The following types of actions are used in CA RCM business workflows:

Certify

Presents an existing link for review. Rejection of the link indicates that a privilege should be removed, and requires a change to the underlying CA RCM database. Typically this task is part of the initial certification phase in a certification campaign workflow.

Suggest

Proposes a new link for the entity under review. Approval of the link indicates that a privilege is added, and requires a change to the underlying CA RCM database. Typically this task is part of the initial certification phase in a certification campaign workflow.

Approve

Presents a new, changed, or deleted link for approval. Typically this task is part of a self-service workflow, or the change approvals phase in a certification campaign workflow. For example, if a manager rejects an existing link between their user and a resource, or requests a new link to the resource - those changes must be approved by the owner of the resource.

Consult

Presents a link to another reviewer for their recommendation. When you accept or reject the link in a Consult action, your decision is returned to the original reviewer. They can see your choice before they submit a decision.

Other/Custom

Presents workflow control decisions or other custom actions generated by a process.

Business Workflow Users

Business workflows include the following types of activities, which different types of users in a company perform:

- Starting and managing business workflows

Users, such as compliance officers, role engineers, role and resource owners, and managers, initiate business workflows in one of the following ways:

- Starting a certification campaign
- Making changes to the role model in the DNA that require approvals
- Requesting a change to their roles or the roles of their employees

During a business workflow, these users can monitor the progress of the tasks in the workflow

- Participating in business workflow tasks

Once a business workflow starts, CA RCM assigns users, such as managers and resource owners, actions. An example of an action is reviewing user privileges and other resource links, and approving or rejecting them, as needed.

Depending on the workflow associated a task, these users may also be able to reassign a task, or consult with other users for more information before approving or rejecting a privilege or resource link.

- Customizing business workflows

CA RCM includes default workflow processes that administrators can map to tasks in a business workflow. In some cases, the default workflow processes do not address all business requirements. System integrators and other advanced users can customize default processes, as needed. For example, a system integrator can create a custom workflow process to support multiple approvers for a certain type of task.

Note: For more information about customizing workflow processes, see the *Programming Guide*.

The Portal provides three interfaces for business users to view and complete business workflow activities:

- The My Requests screen, which is available in the Inbox menu, allows managers and other users to track self-service requests and other workflows that they initiate.
- The My Tasks screen, which is available in the Inbox menu, supports all users who participate in workflows with a personalized "To Do" list. The My Tasks screens organize all the actions that CA RCM assigns to an individual.
- The Workflows screen, which is available in the Administration menu, allows administrators to track and control active business workflows.

Availability of Workflow Administration, My Requests, and My Task screens depends on the permissions defined for each user account on the CA RCM server. Typically, all CA RCM users have a My Tasks list, but only users with administration-level permissions can access the workflow administration screens.

Business Workflow Process

The following process describes the high level steps in a business workflow:

1. CA RCM initiates a business workflow when one of the following events occur:

- An administrator starts a certification campaign
- A manager or other business user submits a request for a resource or a role
- An administrator makes changes in the DNA that changes the role model and initiates an approval process

Each business workflow includes a set of tasks that must complete before the business workflow completes.

Each type of task is associated with a workflow process, which specifies the actions and decisions required to complete the task.

2. CA RCM creates actions for the users involved in the business workflow in the My Tasks screen in the Portal, and sends emails to notify the users of pending work.

3. Users view a list of their actions in the My Tasks screen.

The actions are grouped by entity.

Users can open each item in the list to view the actions that they are assigned, make decisions about each action, or consult with other users.

4. Once all of the users complete the work required for an action, the action moves to the next step as defined in the workflow process, or completes.

Participating in a Business Workflow

Managers and other business users in the company receive email notifications when CA RCM assigns them actions. When they log in to the CA RCM portal, these actions are listed in their My Tasks screen.

In most cases, users complete actions in the interactive display of the My Tasks screen.

For example, the My Tasks queue for each business manager participating in a certification campaign shows a personalized list of the privilege links that they must review. Each manager indicates their review decisions, and submits the completed actions to CA RCM.

Complete Workflow Actions

You complete workflow actions in My Task screens. You can complete their required actions at one time, or complete some actions, save their progress, and complete their work at a later time.

To complete workflow actions

1. In the CA RCM portal main menu, go to Inbox, My Tasks.

The My Tasks screen appears. This screen provides an overview of the actions that are assigned to you.

The tables group actions based on the entity under review. For example, The Role Tasks table lists actions related to users, resource, or other roles linked to roles. Each line of the table represents an action or group of actions of one type, from one workflow, for one role.

2. (Optional) [Filter the actions](#) (see page 43) that are displayed.

Note: Filters determine which actions are displayed. They do not determine which actions are assigned to you. Entries hidden by a filter remain active.

3. Click the Open button beside a group of actions.

An action details screen displays an action or group of actions of one type, from one workflow, related to one primary entity. The title of the screen indicates the type of the actions that are listed the screen, and the primary entity under review. For example, a screen of user certification actions shows a table of roles linked to the user, and a table of resources linked to the user.

4. Use the [information fields and interactive options](#) (see page 56) of the screen to review links.

5. The following decisions complete your handling of an action:

- Approve the link
- Reject the link
- Reassign the action to another reviewer

Note: You can choose other options for [Consult actions](#) (see page 48) or [Workflow Control actions](#) (see page 44).

6. Do one of the following:

- Click Save to save the review decisions and other operations you performed, without submitting them to CA RCM. CA RCM displays these decisions the next time you log in to the portal.
- Click Submit to submit your decisions to CA RCM. Completed actions are removed from your My Tasks queue.
- Click Cancel to return to the overview screen without saving your decisions.

The My Tasks overview screen appears.

Filter the My Tasks Queue

You can filter the actions displayed in the My Tasks screen. This can help you organize your work. For example, you can identify actions related to specific workflows, or handle review actions of the same type in a single session.

You can also combine filters. For example, you can view only Consult actions related to a certain workflow.

To filter the My Tasks Queue

1. Click the Filter button on the My Tasks page header.

The Filter Actions dialog appears.

2. Select actions related to specific workflows:

- a. Select the Specific Workflows option and click the plus icon.

The Select Workflows dialog appears.

- b. Under Available Workflows, choose the type of workflow you want, specify a starting date, and press Search.

The table lists workflows that match the search criteria.

- c. Select workflows and click the Add arrow.

The workflows appear in the Selected Workflows list.

- d. (Optional) Repeat the search with different conditions, and add more workflows to the Selected Workflows list.

- e. Click OK to define the filter.

Only actions related to the selected workflows are displayed.

The Filter Actions screen appears.

3. Select the types of actions to display. Select the All option to select all types of actions, or to clear your selection.

Note: this filter is applied in addition to any other filter you define.

4. Select the Action States to display. The following options are available:

Pending

Actions that you did not yet submitted to CA RCM.

Complete

Actions that you submitted to CA RCM.

Note: this filter is applied in addition to any other filter you define.

5. Click OK.

The My Tasks screen displays only actions that meet your filter criteria.

Complete General Tasks

When you click Open in the General table of the My Tasks overview screen, a screen appears that shows actions you can take to control the progress of the workflow.

Only a few of the [action information fields and operations](#) (see page 56) are relevant to these workflow control actions. The Show Related Info operation displays the progress of related tasks and actions in the workflow. This information can help you decide what control actions to take, and when to take them.

Example: Start Change Approvals in a Certification Campaign

Standard CA RCM certification campaigns have distinct certification and change approval phases. Approval actions for changed links are held until all certification actions are complete.

When a campaign launches, the campaign owner receives a workflow control action. The action stops initial certification actions, and begins change approvals.

The Related Info displayed for this action shows the progress of the certification phase of the campaign.

When the campaign owner submits this workflow control action, the approval phase of the workflow begins, and any incomplete certification actions are canceled.

Example: Create New Role

When users requests new roles, they specify an owner for the new role.

This owner receives a workflow control action. The action approves creation of the role.

The Related Info displayed for this action shows the progress of child actions that approve the privileges associated with the new role.

When the role owner submits this workflow control action, CA RCM creates the role with currently approved privileges. Privileges that are not yet approved are not included in the new role.

Reassign Links to Another Reviewer

You can transfer review actions that CA RCM assigns to you to another reviewer. Reassign options and controls appear in My Tasks and My Requests queues, and in the Workflow Management screens used by administrators.

Note: The CA RCM administrator can selectively enable these options and controls in the portal.

To reassign actions in these screens, do one of the following:

- Click the Reassign icon beside an action or group of actions.
- To reassign all items in a table, select the checkbox in the Reassign column header of the table.
- In My Requests and Workflow Management screens:
 - a. Click the Reviewers icon beside a link under review.
 - b. A dialog lists all the reviewers for that link.
 - c. Click the Reassign icon beside reviewers you want to change.

When you reassign an action or group of actions, the target user appears beside the Reassign icon. The action is reassigned to this user. The Default Assignee field at the bottom of the screen indicates the default target for reassigned actions.

Note: In some My Request dialogs, the default reviewer is the workflow owner or their manager.

To change the target user, do one of the following:

- Click the Default Assignee field to select another user. When you reassign tasks, they target the new Default Assignee.

Note: The target user of previously reassigned actions does not change when you change the Default Assignee.

- Click the target user of an individual link to change its value.

Reassignment decisions are saved when you click Save in your My Tasks queue. When you click Submit, the actions are moved to the My Tasks queue of the target user. The reassigned links count toward your progress in handling actions.

How to Attach a Comment, File, or Link

You can attach data files with supporting information to an action or group of actions. Similarly, you can add text comments to an action or group of actions.

The following examples show typical uses for this additional information:

- Delegation: Add data or comments when you reassign the action to another reviewers.
- Consultation: When a review action is shared with other reviewers, you can share additional information to support the decision process.
- Mandatory Documentation: In some campaigns, you are required to comment on your decisions - for example, you may be asked to justify approval for a link that violates business policy rules.

Each link under review has one comment queue and one attachment queue. All comments and attachments are visible to all entity owners, consultants, and reviewers.

You can attach a comment or file to a group of actions, such as the groups listed in the My Tasks screen. In this case the attachment is associated with the *common entity* of the group. For example, if you attach a comment to a group of links related to a single user, the comment is associated with that user.

Attach a Comment

You can add text comments to an action or group of actions to assist yourself or other reviewers.

To attach a comment:

1. Click the Comment icon beside an action, group of actions, or link under review.
The Comments pop-up appears.
2. Edit your comment.
3. Click OK.
The Comment icon shows the number of comments.

Attach a File

To support review decisions, you can attach data files to an action or group of actions

To attach a file

1. Click the Attachment icon beside an action or group of actions.
The Attachments pop-up appears.
2. Enter a description and browse to a file.
3. Click Upload.
File contents are uploaded to the CA RCM database. The file is added to the Attachments list as a clickable link.
4. Click Close.
The Attachment icon shows the number of attachments.

Consult Other Reviewers

You can consult with others when you review a link or entity. Consulted reviewers indicate their review decision, and can share notes or attach files of supporting data. You can view these decisions and supporting information when you make your decision.

To consult other reviewers

1. In an action details screen, click the Consult icon beside a link or workflow control action.

The Consult dialog appears.

2. Select consultants:

- a. Click the plus icon to add a consultant.

The Select Consultant dialog appears.

- b. Use the drop-down fields to define a filter, and click Search.

CA RCM filters the list of users.

- c. Click Select beside the user you want to consult, and click Apply.

The user appears in the To field of the Consult dialog.

Repeat these steps to select additional consultants.

Click the minus icon beside a name in the To field to delete a consultant.

3. (Optional) Enter a short message to the consultants in the Comment field.
4. Click Send

CA RCM places a copy of the action in the My Tasks queue of each consultant. Each consultation appears in the Consulting Queries list.

5. Click Close.

The Consult dialog closes. The consult icon indicates the number of consultants and the number of responses.

6. (Optional) attach data files, links, or additional comments to the action. Consultants can view this supporting information.

7. Monitor the action.

Note: You can submit your review decision at any time, whether consultants respond or not. If you submit your decision before a consultant responds, CA RCM displays the consultant's action as canceled in [workflow progress charts](#) (see page 55).

8. When the Consult icon indicates that consultants have responded, click the icon.
The Result field indicates the recommended decision of each reviewer.
The Comment and Attachment fields indicate comments or files attached by consultants.
Note: When a consultant dismisses the consult action without responding, the Result field is empty.
9. Click Close.
10. In the action details screen, indicate your decision for the action.

How to Handle Consult Actions

Other reviewers can request your opinion about a link under review or other actions. These requests appear in your My Tasks queue as Consult actions.

You handle these actions like your own review actions. When you click Submit, CA RCM displays your decision to the original reviewer as a recommendation. The original reviewer makes the final review decision.

The original reviewer can include comments or attachments to direct you. Similarly, you can add comments or attachments to support your recommendation.

In addition to typical review options, the following option is available for Consult actions:

Dismiss

Removes a Consult action from your My Tasks queue without returning a response to the original reviewer. This is the equivalent of refusing to consult. Comments or attachments you add to the link under review are visible to the other reviewers.

Customize Columns in My Task Tables

You can customize the table layouts that CA RCM uses to display workflow actions.

Mandatory columns cannot be removed from table displays. Red text and a locked padlock icon indicate mandatory columns in customization screens and dialogs. Some mandatory columns are hard-coded defaults in CA RCM. Administrators can define additional mandatory columns.

To customize columns in task tables

1. Click Customize on a table header you want to modify.
The Customize dialog appears.
2. Use the arrow keys to add or remove columns, and to order the columns.

Note: Mandatory columns appear in red. You cannot remove these columns from the table.

3. Click OK.

CA RCM displays tasks or actions for this entity in the table format you specified.

Managing Requests

Managers and other business users can initiate workflows by requesting a privilege change for an employee, or requesting changes to roles that they own.

The My Requests screens in the Inbox menu allow these users to monitor the progress of their requests.

Filter the Workflow List

You can filter the list of workflows to help you find specific workflows or groups of workflows.

To filter the workflow list

1. Click Filter in the page header.

The Filter Workflows dialog appears.

2. Define filter criteria as follows:

Due Date

Use the From and To fields to specify a time period. The filter selects workflows with a due date within that period.

Workflow Types

Select the types of workflows to display. Select the All option to select all types of workflows, or to clear your selection.

Workflow States

Select the states of workflows to display. Select the All option to select all states, or to clear your selection. The filter selects workflows that are currently in the specified states.

Note: You can combine these filter criteria.

3. Click OK.

The list displays only workflows that meet your filter criteria.

Monitor Your Requests

Use the My Requests interface to monitor business flows that you initiate.

To monitor your CA RCM workflows

1. In the CA RCM portal main menu, go to Inbox, My Requests.

The screen lists the active workflows that you initiated. You can [customize the fields](#) (see page 48) displayed in the table.

2. (Optional) [Filter the workflows](#) (see page 49) that appear in the list.

3. Click a workflow to view its details.

The workflow detail screen appears. It contains the following tabs:

- Overview - shows the progress of the flow in graphs and charts. This tab is open by default.
- Flow Progress by Affected Entities - lists tasks by the entities under review in each task, and shows their progress.
- Flow Progress by Reviewers - lists actions by their reviewers, and shows their progress.

4. (Optional) Click Customize to modify the charts of the Overview tab.

5. Click one of the Flow Progress tabs.

Actions are listed in groups. The table shows the progress of each group.

Note: When the scope of the workflow is large, or additional large workflows are active, the progress bars may not update immediately. It may take several minutes for submitted actions to be counted as complete in the progress bars.

6. Click the Open button beside a group.

A table lists actions in the group.

7. Click the Open button or the Reviewers icon.

An action details screen displays an action or group of actions of one type, from one workflow, related to one primary entity.

Actions that are already submitted to CA RCM are dimmed.

8. Use the [information fields and interactive options](#) (see page 56) of the screen to review links.

Only Reassign, Comment, and Attachment operations are available for actions that are assigned to others.

Approve and Reject options are available only for actions that are assigned to you.

9. Do one of the following:
 - Click Submit to submit your decisions to CA RCM.
 - Click Cancel to return to the overview screen without saving your decisions.

View Workflow Progress by Entities or Reviewers

The My Requests and Workflows screens present two ways to view the progress of a workflow.

- The Workflow Progress by Affected Entities tab groups *tasks* of the workflow by the entities under review in each task. The entries in these tables are tasks generated by CA RCM for the workflow, based on the workflow type, base configuration, scope of entities under review, and other settings.
- The Workflow Progress by Reviewer tab groups *actions* of the workflow by the reviewer to whom they are assigned, and shows their progress. The entries in these tables are actions generated by the Workpoint jobs that implement tasks of the workflow.

When a workflow is in progress, you can drill down from either tab to view individual actions. The Workflow Progress by Affected Entities tab displays high-level tasks created by CA RCM. The main views of this tab are populated when CA RCM completes its analysis of the links under review in the workflow.

Each of these tasks spawns many Workpoint jobs when they are implemented. The Flow Progress by Reviewer tab displays the resulting low-level Workpoint jobs, and the reviewers that were assigned to each link. This tab is populated only when Workpoint jobs are initiated, and its contents depend on the logic implemented for each task by the corresponding Workpoint process.

Administer Business Workflows

Role engineers and administrators use the Workflows screen to track and control campaigns and other active CA RCM workflows.

The Workflow screens are similar to the My Requests screens, however, they provide additional management and control options that are not available in the My Requests screens.

To use this screen, users must have Admin-level permissions in the CA RCM portal.

To administer business workflows

1. In the CA RCM portal main menu, go to Administration, Workflows.

The screen lists the active CA RCM workflows. When a workflow concludes, it is removed from the list.

2. (Optional) [customize the information fields](#) (see page 48) displayed in the table.
3. (Optional) [Filter the workflows displayed in the table](#) (see page 49).
4. Click a workflow to view its details.

The workflow detail screen appears. It contains the following tabs:

- Overview - a dashboard that shows the progress of the flow in graphs and charts. This tab is open by default.
- Administration - provides advanced workflow control options to stop or restart the workflow, or to [send escalation emails](#) (see page 54) for incomplete actions.
- Workflow Progress by Affected Entities - lists tasks by the entities under review in each task, and shows their progress.
- Workflow Progress by Reviewers - lists actions by their reviewers, and shows their progress.

5. Manage workflow tasks and actions in detail:

- a. Click one of the Workflow Progress tabs.

Actions are listed in groups. The table shows the progress of each group.

Note: When the scope of the workflow is large, or additional large workflows are active, the progress bars may not update immediately. It may take several minutes for submitted actions to be counted as complete in the progress bars.

- b. Click the Open button next to a group.

A table lists actions in the group.

- c. Click the Open button or the Reviewers icon to view more detail.

An action details screen displays an action or group of actions of one type, from one workflow, related to one primary entity.

Actions that are already submitted to CA RCM are dimmed.

6. Use the [information fields and interactive options](#) (see page 56) of the screen to review links.

Only Reassign, Comment, and Attachment operations are available for actions that are assigned to others.

Approve and Reject options are available only for actions that are assigned to you.

7. Do one of the following:
 - Click Submit to submit your decisions to CA RCM.
 - Click Cancel to return to the overview screen without saving your decisions.

Filter the Workflow List

You can filter the list of workflows to help you find specific workflows or groups of workflows.

To filter the workflow list

1. Click Filter in the page header.

The Filter Workflows dialog appears.

2. Define filter criteria as follows:

Due Date

Use the From and To fields to specify a time period. The filter selects workflows with a due date within that period.

Workflow Types

Select the types of workflows to display. Select the All option to select all types of workflows, or to clear your selection.

Workflow States

Select the states of workflows to display. Select the All option to select all states, or to clear your selection. The filter selects workflows that are currently in the specified states.

Note: You can combine these filter criteria.

3. Click OK.

The list displays only workflows that meet your filter criteria.

Manage Workflows in the Administration Tab

You can manage business workflows in the Administration tab of the Workflows screens, which are located in the Administration Menu. The Administration tab lets you review general workflow information, and start, stop, and archive a workflow. This tab contains the following options:

Start Workflow

Launches a campaign created with the Disabled option.

Stop Workflow

Suspends a workflow. Actions of this workflow appear in the My Tasks queues of participants, but Approve, Reject, and Reassign options are not available. Changes resulting from campaign decisions are no longer exported to provisioning endpoints.

Note: You cannot re-start a workflow after you stop it.

Archive

Removes the workflow from all My Task queues, and stores the current state of the workflow. Changes resulting from campaign decisions are no longer exported to provisioning endpoints.

Escalation Emails

Lets you [define and send reminder email](#) (see page 54)s during a campaign. This option is only available for campaign workflows.

Define and Send Escalation Emails

Administrators can send emails to remind reviewers to complete their tasks for a certification campaign.

To define and send escalation emails

1. In the Workflows screen, select an active workflow.

The workflow details screen appears.

2. Click the Administration tab.

3. Click Escalation Emails.

The Escalation Emails pop-up appears.

Note: The Escalation Emails button appears for certification campaigns only.

4. Configure the following information for each email you want to send:

- Completion criteria
- Email template
- Email target

5. To add more emails, click the plus icon. To remove emails from the set, click the x icons.
6. (Optional) To save email criteria, complete the following steps:
 - a. Click Save.
The Save Escalation criteria pop-up appears.
 - b. Define a name for the email criteria, and click Save.
The email criteria are saved.
7. (Optional) To load email criteria, complete the following steps:
 - a. Click Load.
The Load Escalation criteria pop-up appears.
 - b. Select a set of email criteria, and click Load.
The email criteria are loaded.
8. Click Send Now.
Escalation emails are sent to reviewers with task completion that satisfies the criteria.

Monitor Workflow Progress

Workflow owners can monitor the progress of a workflow process that they initiate by using the Overview tab in a workflow details screen. Users access the Overview tab by opening Administration, Workflows, and selecting a workflow process to view its details.

The Overview tab displays workflow progress in charts. You can view progress in each chart as a percentage or as a value by selecting the appropriate option above each chart. If you select Value, CA RCM displays workflow progress based on the number of completed tasks in the workflow.

To update the chart to reflect the current status without reopening the Overview tab, click Draw Chart.

Note: To view additional details about tasks in a workflow progress, use the [Workflow Progress by Reviewers and the Workflow Progress by Affected Entity tabs](#) (see page 51).

View Workflow Progress by Entities or Reviewers

The My Requests and Workflows screens present two ways to view the progress of a workflow.

- The Workflow Progress by Affected Entities tab groups *tasks* of the workflow by the entities under review in each task. The entries in these tables are tasks generated by CA RCM for the workflow, based on the workflow type, base configuration, scope of entities under review, and other settings.
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When a workflow is in progress, you can drill down from either tab to view individual actions. The Workflow Progress by Affected Entities tab displays high-level tasks created by CA RCM. The main views of this tab are populated when CA RCM completes its analysis of the links under review in the workflow.

Each of these tasks spawns many Workpoint jobs when they are implemented. The Flow Progress by Reviewer tab displays the resulting low-level Workpoint jobs, and the reviewers that were assigned to each link. This tab is populated only when Workpoint jobs are initiated, and its contents depend on the logic implemented for each task by the corresponding Workpoint process.

Fields in Workflow Screens

Use the following information fields and interactive options to handle CA RCM workflow actions. The operations available for a specific action or group of actions depend upon the type of each action, the assigned reviewer, and workflow or system settings.

The following fields identify the parent workflow that generated the actions:

Workflow ID

Displays the unique numerical identifier that CA RCM assigns to each workflow.

Workflow

Displays the name of the workflow that generated the actions.

Workflow Description

Hover over the icon in the Flow Description field to view the Description text of the workflow that generated the actions.

Workflow Type

Displays the type of workflow that generated the actions.

Initiator

Displays the PersonID field value of the user who initiated the workflow.

Due Date

Displays the date by which the workflow initiator expects you to complete the actions.

The following fields and operations apply to a group of actions in the My Tasks overview screen, or to individual actions:

Action

Indicates the [type of action](#) (see page 39) for this action or group of actions.

User/Role/Resource

Identifies the primary entity common to all actions in a group. Click this field to view the entity record for the entity.

User Name/Role Name/Resource Name

Identifies the secondary entity unique to each link under review. For example, in a screen of user certification links, this column shows roles and resources linked to the user under review. Click this field to view the entity record for the entity.

Progress

Indicates your progress in handling this group of actions.

Comment

Click the icon in the Comment column to [add a comment](#) (see page 45) to an action or group of actions.

Attachment

Click the icon in the Attachment column to [attach a file](#) (see page 45) to an action or a group of actions.

Alert

Indicates whether the link or group of links violates audit card or business process rules. The value in this field indicates the number of rules that the link violates. Click the field value to review a detailed list of violations.

Action ID

Displays the unique numerical identifier that CA RCM assigns to each action.

Approve

Click the icon in the Approve column to approve a link between the entity under review and another entity.

Note: If group selection is enabled for the campaign, click the checkbox in the Approve column header to approve all links in the table.

Reject

Click the icon in the Reject column to reject a link between the entity under review and another entity.

Note: If group selection is enabled for the campaign, click the checkbox in the Reject column header to reject all links in the table.

Reassign

Click the icon in the Reassign column to [transfer an action to another reviewer](#) (see page 44).

Note: If group selection is enabled for the campaign, click the checkbox in the Reassign column header to reassign all links in the table.

Related Info

Click the Show button to display other actions related to this action and additional information relevant to this task.

Membership

Indicates whether a direct link, an indirect link, or dual links connect the entities under review . For suggested links, this field has the value Not Linked.

Reviewers

Click the icon in the Reviewers column to view a list of other reviewers for this link.

Usage

Indicates the level of usage based on information from CA Enterprise Log Manager.

Note: This information is only displayed when CA RCM [integrates with CA Enterprise Log Manager in your environment](#) (see page 193).

Consult

Click the icon in the Consult column to [get advice about an action](#) (see page 47) from other reviewers.

Dismiss

Removes a Consult action from your My Tasks queue without returning a response to the original reviewer. This is the equivalent of refusing to consult. Comments or attachments you add to the link under review are visible to the other reviewers.

Save

Saves your review decisions and reassign, consult, and other operations, and returns to the My Actions overview screen. These decisions count toward your progress in handling the group of actions. Your decisions to approve or reject links are not yet submitted to CA RCM, and you can review and change these decisions the next time you log in to CA RCM.

Submit

Passes your decisions to approve or reject links to CA RCM, and removes these actions from your My Actions screens.

Cancel

Exits the My Actions detail screen without saving your review decisions or other operations.

More information:

[Administrator View / User View](#) (see page 162)

Chapter 6: Running Certification Campaigns

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Certification Campaigns

Certification campaigns open the role hierarchy, user privileges, and business rules you define in CA RCM to review. When you initiate a certification campaign, CA RCM automatically invites managers to review and certify the access privileges of the users or resources they administer. CA RCM provides tools to customize, track, and manage the certification process, and to implement changes indicated by reviewers.

Certification campaigns support the following business cases:

- Confirm data security compliance—Where there is a legal requirement to demonstrate data security measures, certification campaigns document periodic review of access to data by employees.
- Refine Role-based Access Control—Review of the resources and child roles included in each role confirms that the role hierarchy suits actual patterns of usage, and that role definitions are useful.

How to Use Campaigns

You can customize certification workflows to support many business needs. The basic campaign process is as follows:

1. A role engineer or high-level administrator creates the campaign in CA RCM based on business needs. The campaign owner specifies the following information for the campaign:
 - The universe on which the campaign is based, and additional data such as audit cards and member lists that the campaign uses.
 - Filters that reduce the scope of the campaign to a subset of entities or links in the configuration.
 - How the campaign identifies reviewers for each entity and privilege link.
 - How to handle changes made by reviewers.

CA RCM creates the campaign, and automatically assigns the entities and links under review to managers and administrators.
2. When the campaign launches, CA RCM sends these managers email invitations that include links to the CA RCM server. Managers log in to the CA RCM portal to perform the review actions assigned to them.
3. When certifiers reject existing links or suggest new links, the configuration file must be changed. CA RCM contacts the managers of the entities involved, and requests approval of the change. Approved changes are then implemented in the target configuration file.

Example: Certify User Privileges Following an Acquisition

New users and resources were added to the CA RCM model configuration following an acquisition. Administrators run a certification campaign to verify that the privileges assigned to these new users are appropriate.

The stages of the campaign are as follows:

1. The role engineer creates a campaign that certifies user entities and their privilege links. The role engineer defines user attribute filters that limit the scope of the campaign to the new employees. A member list maps managers to the new users and resources.
2. Each manager reviews the privileges assigned to their workers. Bob Smith reviews the privileges given to Hector Torres, and suggests access to a database that Hector needs in his new position.
3. CA RCM sends an email to Deepak Chamarti, the owner of the database. Deepak approves the change, and CA RCM updates the configuration file. Hector Torres now can access the database.

Define and Launch a Campaign

Use the campaign creation wizard as follows to create a campaign, assign data files, and configure filters and other aspects of the campaign.

1. Plan the [type, scope, and other features of the campaign](#) (see page 72) to meet your strategic business needs.
2. Verify that the data used in the campaign is updated and accurate, and create additional files needed for the campaign. These files can include:
 - Configuration files based on the model configuration of the universe
 - Audit cards that provide violation alerts or suggested links in the campaign
 - Member lists and RACI configuration files that map reviewers in the campaign
 - Customized email templates for the various messages CA RCM sends to campaign participants
3. In the CA RCM portal, go to Administration, Add Campaign.
The campaign creation wizard appears.
4. Specify the following parameters of the campaign in the Scope screen of the wizard:
 - The type of campaign to create.
 - The target universe
 - Audit cards and other data sets of the campaign.
5. Specify the following aspects of the campaign in the [Basic information](#) (see page 66) screen of the wizard:
 - A name and short description of the campaign
 - Estimated duration of the campaign.
 - Whether to [include audit card violations](#) (see page 91) in the campaign.
6. [Define the entities and links to include in the campaign](#) (see page 92) in the [Filter screen](#) (see page 66) of the wizard.
7. Specify [how a certifying reviewer is assigned](#) (see page 82) to each link or entity under review. These settings appear in the Reviewers screen of the wizard. You can also allow reviewers to certify groups of entities, or require them to review and certify each entity individually.
8. In this screen, you can also allow reviewers to apply review decisions to groups of links or entities.

9. Specify how suggested changes to the configuration are implemented. You can configure the following behaviors:
 - [Custom Workflow Processes](#) (see page 68) - each task of the campaign is implemented using a predefined process. When administrators have defined alternative processes, you can specify which set of processes control the execution of campaign tasks.
 - [Rolling Approvals](#) (see page 90)—you can aggregate approval tasks in a second phase of the campaign, or implement approval/change processes on a rolling basis.
 - Implement Changes target - when you base a campaign on a configuration file other than the model configuration of the universe, you can implement changes from the campaign in the referenced configuration, or in the model configuration.

These settings appear in the Execution screen of the wizard.

10. Specify [how CA RCM sends e-mails](#) (see page 70) to campaign participants, and what e-mail templates are used. These settings appear in the Notifications screen of the wizard.

11. The Properties screen of the wizard displays optional campaign behaviors. The options displayed depend on the type of campaign, and the process mapping used to implement the campaign. By default, CA RCM displays the following standard option areas:

Notifications

CA RCM can automatically export changes that result from the campaign to the relevant provisioning endpoints. Select the Enable model change notifications for export option to export changes to endpoints.

Approvals administration

Select options related to the change approval review phase of the campaign.

- [Bypass Approval Processes](#) (see page 90)—you can implement changes directly, without a secondary change approval process.
- [Redundant Approvals](#) (see page 69) - you can avoid redundant review actions when the initial certifier of an entity also reviews changes to the entity.

In this screen you can also specify how CA RCM assigns reviewers for changes that are proposed in the certification review. The following areas of the screen let you specify how reviewers are selected for each type of entity:

Resource changes reviewer selection

Specify reviewer selection criteria for changes to resource entities.

Role changes reviewer selection

Specify reviewer selection criteria for changes to resource entities.

User changes reviewer selection

Specify reviewer selection criteria for changes to resource entities.

12. Customize the table layout in task tickets of the campaign.
13. Create and [launch the campaign](#) (see page 72) in the Summary screen. You can launch the campaign immediately, or schedule launch for a later time.

The campaign appears in the Workflows screen in the Administration menu.

CA RCM generates review actions based on the previous campaign settings, distributes them to the My Tasks queues of participating reviewers, and notifies these reviewers by email of the new actions items.

CA RCM also generates workflow control actions, which appear in the My Tasks queue of the campaign initiator.

Basic Information Screen

Use this screen of the campaign creation wizard to specify a name, description, and other information for the campaign. The following fields are not self-explanatory:

Estimated Time

Defines the estimated duration of the campaign. After this time period, tickets related to the campaign are flagged as overdue, but the campaign continues.

Audit Card Alerts

Specifies whether to [include violations from an audit card](#) (see page 91) in the campaign. Options include the following:

None

Campaign does not include audit card information.

From this Audit Card

Campaign tickets flag links under review that appear in the specified audit card.

Generate an Audit Card for the campaign

During campaign initialization, an audit card is generated using the audit settings file specified for the target universe. Campaign tickets flag links under review that appear in this audit card.

Require comments when approving privileges with violations

If reviewers approve a link with audit card violations, they must add a comment that explains their decision to approve the link. This option is only available when you choose to apply an audit card to the campaign.

Filter Screen

Use this screen to limit the scope of entities and links that are included in a certification campaign. Depending on the type of campaign you create, the following areas appear in the screen:

Select Users/Roles/Resources

Defines which entities to include in the campaign based on attribute values.

Links

Specifies which direct, indirect, or dual links to include in the campaign.

Suggested Links

Specifies whether CA RCM suggests new links to certifiers in this campaign, based on links in the audit card, and which suggested links to include in the campaign.

When you specify an audit card for the campaign, the following fields appear:

Filter by Audit Card

Specifies how audit card data is used to filter the links that are included in the campaign. Options include:

No Audit Card Filter

Audit card violations are not used to filter the links in the campaign.

Include if in Audit Card

The campaign includes only links that are listed in the Audit Card. This campaign reviews links that violate business rules.

Include if not in Audit Card

The campaign includes only links that are not listed in the Audit Card.

For recertification and differential campaigns, the following fields appear:

Select States

Specifies which links are included in a recertification or differential campaigns, based on their last status in the previous campaign. Options include:

Pending

Includes links that were not reviewed in the previous campaign.

Approved

Includes links that were approved in the previous campaign.

Rejected

Includes links that were rejected in the previous campaign.

When you specify the Approved or Rejected options, specify one of the following options to specify how the decisions of the previous reviewers are handled:

Reset Approver's Selection

Omits the decisions of previous reviewers from the current campaign.

Keep Approver's Selections

Displays the decisions of previous reviewers in tickets of the current campaign. Reviewers can override the previous decision. This is the default setting.

Update Links

Specifies whether to add links from the configuration that were not in the previous campaign. Options include:

Add links that were not included in the source campaign

New and excluded links in the configuration are included in this campaign. An icon indicates these new links in certification tickets of the campaign.

Do not update

This campaign includes only links that were in the previous campaign.

Enable Grouped Review of Actions

CA RCM administrators can let participants in a campaign handle related actions as a group. When group handling is enabled, My Tasks screens that list campaign actions display checkboxes in the Approve, Reject, and Reassign column headers. Reviewers check these boxes to apply a decision to all the links in the table.

To enable group handling of related campaign actions, check the Enable managers to select an entire column option in the Reviewers screen of the Add Campaign wizard.

Custom Workflow Processes in a Campaign

CA RCM uses a set of predefined processes to execute the tasks of a campaign. Administrators can create alternative processes, which change how CA RCM implements campaign tasks. For example, administrators can define a set of processes that involve higher management levels in certification reviews. When you create a campaign, you can specify which set of processes controls the execution of campaign tasks.

Before you can apply alternative processes to your campaign, administrators must create the processes, import them to CA RCM, and map them to tasks of the campaign business workflow.

Specify the process mapping for your campaign in the Execution screen of the campaign creation wizard. The following options are available under Processes:

System defaults

Uses the default workflow processes installed with CA RCM to implement the campaign. Standard campaign behaviors are executed.

Customized Processes

Uses the process mapping set you select from the drop-down to implement the campaign.

Processes

Displays the processes that CA RCM invokes to execute the major tasks of the campaign, based on your selection.

Automatic Handling of Redundant Reviews

Often the same reviewer participates in both the initial certification review and the subsequent change approval review.

For example, during certification review a manager changes the privileges of a worker in their team. To approve those changes, the campaign assigns reviewers based on the RACI configuration - but this manager is commonly designated as the Accountable user for the worker in the RACI configuration. Following the logic defined for the campaign, CA RCM assigns the change approval review to the same manager who initially requested the change.

By default CA RCM automatically assumes that the reviewer approves the change that they requested during certification. When you create a campaign, you can force reviewers to re-examine the changes that they requested earlier.

Note: A review task can require input from several reviewers. This option automatically determines the response of previous reviewers - it does not automatically approve the change.

Use the following options in the Approvals administration area of the Properties screen to control this behavior:

Request reviewer(s) for modifications

When new or deleted links result from initial certification review, CA RCM initiates change approval review before it modifies the configuration file.

Initial certifier of a suggested link automatically approves addition of the link

Reviewers who approved a suggested link in initial certification review are automatically assumed to approve addition of the link to the configuration file.

Initial certifier of an existing link automatically approves changes to the link

Reviewers who rejected an existing link during initial certification review are automatically assumed to approve its deletion from the configuration file.

More information:

[Bypass Approval Processes for a Campaign](#) (see page 90)

Define E-mail Behavior for a Campaign

CA RCM uses a set of pre-defined templates to send e-mail notifications related to the campaign. Administrators can create alternative templates for one or more email trigger events in campaigns. When you create a campaign, you can specify which template to use for each email trigger event of the campaign.

Before you can assign alternative templates for your campaign, administrators must create the templates.

You specify the e-mail templates to use in the Notifications screen of the campaign creation wizard. This screen lists e-mail events that are relevant to the type of campaign you create.

Set e-mail behavior for each e-mail event as follows:

1. Select the Active box beside an email event to enable email notifications for that event.
2. Select an email template for the event from the Template drop-down list for the event.

More information:

[Default Email Templates](#) (see page 187)

[How to Customize Email Behavior](#) (see page 184)

Customize Display of Campaign Actions

You can customize the table layout that is used to display campaign actions.

Table layouts for workflow actions are defined at three levels:

- Per Universe: Administrators define default table layouts for all workflows based on the universe.
- Per Campaign: Campaign initiators can define table layouts for the actions of a campaign. Customization at this level takes precedence over universe defaults.
- Per User: Users can customize the table layouts in the action details screens of their My Tasks queue. Customization at this level takes precedence over campaign settings or universe defaults.

Mandatory columns cannot be removed from table displays. Red text and a locked padlock icon indicate mandatory columns in customization screens and dialogs. Some mandatory columns are hard-coded defaults in CA RCM. Administrators can define additional mandatory columns.

To customize campaign display settings

1. In the Summary screen of the Add Campaign wizard, open the Display Settings header.

This section contains four table headers. The General Actions, User Actions, Role Actions, and Resources Actions headers show the table layouts used to display actions in My Tasks detail screens.

2. Customize the table layout as follows:
 - a. Click Customize on a table header you want to modify.
The Customize dialog appears.
 - b. Use the arrow keys to add or remove columns, and to order the columns.
 - c. When you finish customizing the columns, click OK.
 - d. Click the lock icon next to the column name to make the column mandatory. Users can move a mandatory column, but they cannot remove it.

Note: Mandatory columns appear in red.

3. Click OK.

CA RCM displays actions for this campaign in the table formats you specified.

Launch Options for Campaigns

You can choose when to launch a campaign. The following launch options appear in the final Summary screen of the campaign creation wizard:

Auto Start

Specifies how the campaign is launched. Options include:

Manual Start

CA RCM generates the campaign, but does not send notifications to participating reviewers. The campaign owner launches the campaign from the workflow control action in their My Tasks list.

Immediate Start

CA RCM generates the campaign and sends notifications to participating reviewers.

Scheduled Launch

CA RCM generates the campaign, but only sends notifications to participating reviewers at the scheduled date and time.

Note: If you specify Manual Start or Scheduled Launch, all data processing for the campaign is done immediately, based on the current contents of the configuration and other data files.

When you create a recurring series of campaigns, only the Manual Start and Immediate Start options are available. These options control launch of the first campaign in the series. In addition, use the following fields to define recurrence of the series:

First Recurrence

Defines the date and time at which CA RCM initiates the second campaign in the series.

Recur Every

Defines the interval, in days, between campaigns in the series.

Iterations

Defines the number of campaigns in the series.

Types of Campaigns

Certification campaigns support various business needs. CA RCM provides the following types of certification campaigns:

- Entity Certification—Certify the links associated with selected user, role, or resource entities.
- Recertification—Repeat the certification process based on a previous campaign.

Entity Certification Campaigns

Entity certification campaigns let reviewers examine and certify links between user, role, and resource entities in a CA RCM configuration.

Each entity certification campaign focuses on one type of entity, and its links. The following campaigns are possible:

- User-centric campaigns certify the roles and resources linked to each user. These links define the privileges assigned to each user. Typically, managers review the privileges of their workers.
Use this type of campaign to document compliance with legally-mandated data security measures.
- Role-centric campaigns certify the resources, parent or child roles, and users linked to each role. Typically, the owner of each role reviews the links that define their role, and the users who were assigned the role.
Use this type of campaign to maintain the role hierarchy.
- Resource-centric campaigns certify the users and roles that link to each resource. Typically, the administrator of each resource reviews the roles and users that have access to the resource.
Use this type of campaign to monitor access to resources.

To implement an entity certification campaign, select the User Privileges, Role Definitions, or Resource Links option in the Campaign type field of the campaign creation wizard.

Self-Attestation Campaigns

A self-attestation campaign is a user certification campaign in which each user under review certifies their own privileges.

This type of campaign satisfies some legal requirements for data security certification. This type of campaign is also useful during construction of the role hierarchy, and as a starting point for subsequent certification by managers.

When you plan your campaign, consider how you want to use the campaign results. Typically, the active configuration is not changed based on self-certification. If you want to create a configuration file that reflects user changes, base the campaign on a copy of the desired configuration file.

To implement a self-attestation campaign, select the Self-Attestation option in the Campaign type field of the campaign creation wizard. The wizard presents options relevant to this type of campaign:

- Because each user is their own reviewer, you cannot assign reviewers based on a member list or RACI configuration. These options are not available in the Reviewers screen of the wizard. However, you can specify a default reviewer for the campaign.
- By default, approval and implementation tasks are aggregated into a second, later phase of the campaign, which you must launch manually. The campaign owner receives a workflow control action that allows them to initiate the approvals phase.

Depending on your business goals, you can export information from the finished campaign as an Audit Card for further processing, or implement changes from the campaign on the target configuration. You can also use the campaign as the basis for a recertification or differential campaign.

Recertification Campaigns

A recertification campaign creates a set of certification tasks based on a previous campaign.

Use this type of campaign when you require multiple reviews before changes are implemented. For example, you can recertify a user self-attestation campaign, with managers instead of workers. The managers can see the results of user self-certification as they perform their review.

To implement a recertification campaign, select the Recertification option in the Campaign type field of the campaign creation wizard. The wizard presents options relevant to this type of campaign:

- The wizard prompts you to specify an existing campaign in the universe. The recertification campaign is based on this previous campaign.
- Because the base set of review actions is inherited from the previous campaign, you cannot filter included links by entity attributes.
- You can specify which [direct, indirect, or dual links to include](#) (see page 93) in the campaign.
- You can filter included links [by the final state of each review task](#) (see page 75) in the previous campaign.
- You can have CA RCM suggest new links based on the audit card specified for the campaign.
- You can [update the campaign](#) (see page 95) with links in the configuration that were not included in the previous campaign. An icon indicates new links.
- To [assign reviewers](#) (see page 82), you can use the reviewer from the previous campaign, or the manager of the previous reviewer.

- By default, approval and implementation tasks are aggregated into a second, later phase of the campaign, which you must launch manually. The campaign owner receives a workflow control action that allows them to initiate the approvals phase.

Depending on your business goals, you can export information from the finished campaign as an Audit Card for further processing, or implement changes from the campaign on the target configuration. You can also use the campaign as the basis for a recertification or differential campaign.

Previously Reviewed Links

When you create a recertification campaign, you can filter the review tasks carried forward to the new campaign based on their status in the old campaign. In the Filter screen of the campaign creation wizard, select any of the following options under States:

Pending

Includes link certification actions that were not decided in the previous campaign.

Approved

Includes links that were approved in the previous campaign.

Rejected

Includes links that were rejected in the previous campaign.

Note: Recertification campaigns do not duplicate campaign control actions from the reference campaign. Only link or entity certification tasks are duplicated.

When you include previously approved or rejected links, the following options control how the decisions of previous reviewers are handled.

Reset Approver's Selections

Previous review decisions are not carried forward into the recertification campaign.

Keep Approver's Selections

Show Approver's Selections

Reviewers in the recertification campaign see previous review decisions.

The following system property controls how previously reviewed links are presented to reviewers in recertification campaigns.

campaign.settings.recertification.allowOneClickResubmit

Determines if previous review decisions are presented as live choices in recertification tasks. Valid values are:

True

Previous Approve or Reject decisions are selected by default in recertification tasks. Reviewers in the recertification campaign can accept these decisions by clicking Submit in the My Tasks screen. The campaign creation wizard displays the option Keep Approver's Selections.

False

Previous Approve or Reject decisions are indicated by grayed icons in recertification tasks, but these decisions are not selected by default. Reviewers in the recertification campaign must select a review decision for each link under review. The campaign creation wizard displays the option Show Approver's Selections.

Differential Campaigns

A differential campaign is a recertification campaign that certifies new links added to the configuration that were not included in a previous campaign.

To implement a differential campaign, select the Differential option in the Campaign type field of the campaign creation wizard. The wizard presents options relevant to recertification campaigns, with the following special settings:

- No links from the previous campaign are included.
- The campaign includes only links that were added to the configuration after the previous campaign was created.

Depending on your business goals, you can export information from the finished campaign as an Audit Card for further processing, or implement changes from the campaign on the target configuration. You can also use the campaign as the basis for a recertification or differential campaign.

Recurring Campaigns

You can define a series of recertification campaigns that repeat at regular intervals. Each campaign in the series is based on its predecessor.

To implement a recurring campaign, select the Recertification option in the Campaign type field of the campaign creation wizard. The wizard presents options relevant to this type of campaign:

- You can define a naming convention for campaigns in the series. Timestamp variables in the naming convention give each campaign in the series a unique name.
- You can define the time intervals at which CA RCM implements the campaigns in the series.
- You can apply all optional filters and configurations that apply to recertification campaigns. For example, you can create a series of differential campaigns that certify only new entities and links.

Depending on your business goals, you can export information from the finished campaign as an Audit Card for further processing, or implement changes from the campaign on the target configuration. You can also use the campaign as the basis for a recertification or differential campaign.

Naming Conventions for Recurring Campaigns

Every campaign must have unique values for the Name and Description fields.

When you create a series of recurring campaigns, you use system variables to give each campaign in the series unique Name and Description values. Typically these fields are based on the source campaign for the series. CA RCM replaces system variables with actual text and date values when it creates each campaign.

Use the following system variables to create string values for the Name and Description fields:

\$sourceCampaignName

Inserts the text string in the Name field of the source campaign for the series.

\$reoccurring

Inserts a number that indicates what iteration the named campaign is in the series.

\$date

Inserts the date that the named campaign is created.

\$sourceCampaignDescription

Inserts the text string in the Description field of the source campaign for the series.

Example: Recurring Campaign Names

When you create a recurring series in the campaign creation wizard, the Name field of the Basic Information screen is automatically populated with the following formula:

```
$sourceCampaignName Recurring # $reoccurring @ $date
```

If the source campaign is named UserCert and the series repeats daily, the first three campaigns in the series are named as follows:

```
UserCert Recurring # 1 @ 12Nov2010  
UserCert Recurring # 2 @ 13Nov2010  
UserCert Recurring # 3 @ 14Nov2010
```

What You Can Do During a Campaign

During an active campaign, the administrator can perform the following actions:

- Review and certify any links directly assigned to them
- Reassign review tasks
- Attach a comment, file or link to a group of tasks
- Monitor campaign progress
- Send escalation emails to participating reviewers
- Suspend and restart the campaign
- [Save certification decisions](#) (see page 80) to an audit card
- Initiate the approval and implementation phase of the campaign

A certifying reviewer can perform the following actions:

- Review and certify any links directly assigned to them
- Reassign review tasks
- Attach a comment, file or link to a task or group of tasks

More information:

[Initiate the Approval Phase of a Campaign](#) (see page 79)

[Re-Use of Certification Decisions](#) (see page 80)

Initiate the Approval Phase of a Campaign

By default, certification campaigns are divided into [certification and change approval phases](#) (see page 82). The campaign initiator or CA RCM administrator manually stops the certification phase and initiates the change approvals phase.

If you configured rolling approvals for the campaign, review and approval tasks are not separated into distinct phases, and you do not need to manually initiate change approvals.

Important! When you initiate the approval phase, all incomplete certification tasks are canceled. This can affect the completeness of the certification campaign and the usability of its results. Use the Workflow Administration interface to check the progress of the campaign before you initiate approval of changes.

To initiate the change approval phase of a campaign

1. Open the workflow control action for the campaign:
 - Campaign owners: In your My Tasks queue, click the action related to the campaign that appears in the General Tasks table.
 - Administrators: In the Workflow Administration screen, click the Flow Progress By Reviewers tab and apply the Other action type filter to locate the workflow control action.

The action displayed has the following Message field:

Press Start Approvals to stop the campaign certification and continue the approval process.

2. (Optional) Click Reassign to transfer control of the campaign to another user.
3. In the Related Info column, click Show to review campaign progress. Verify that certification tasks have progressed sufficiently for your business goals.
4. In the Custom column, select Start Approvals.
5. Click Submit.

CA RCM cancels certification actions that are not yet completed, and removes them from the My Tasks queues of participating reviewers.

CA RCM initiates approval review for any changes to entities or links under review that were requested during initial certification.

Re-Use of Certification Decisions

You can save the decisions made by certifiers in a campaign to a data file. This data can form the basis for additional campaigns or analytical processes.

The data file is a variation of the standard audit card format. This audit card records the results of the initial certification review. The audit card does *not* filter those decisions based on the final approval phase of the campaign. All certification decisions are saved, even if resource owners or managers did not allow the requested changes.

Save Certification Decisions to an Audit Card

You can save the decisions certifiers make in a campaign to a data file. This data can form the basis for additional campaigns or analytical processes.

To save certification decisions to an audit card

1. In the CA RCM portal, go to Administration, Campaign Administration.

The Campaign Administration screen appears.

2. Click Export Campaign Progress to Audit Card.

Note: To export from a campaign created in CA RCM release 3.2, click Export v3.2 Campaign to Audit Card.

The Export Campaign Progress to Audit Card screen appears.

3. Select an active campaign, and enter the name of the audit card that contains saved data.

Note: If you specify an existing audit card, its data is overwritten.

4. Click Export.

An audit card is created that records the initial certification phase of the campaign you specified. The audit card does *not* contain decisions from the final approval phase of the campaign.

Import Certification Decisions Into a Campaign

You can import the decisions certifiers made in a previous campaign into a new campaign.

To import certification decisions into a campaign

1. Create a campaign. In the Summary screen of the campaign creation wizard, specify the Disabled option in the Auto Start field.

CA RCM generates the campaign, but does not launch it.

2. In the CA RCM portal, go to Administration, Campaign Administration.

The Campaign Administration screen appears.

3. Click Import Certification Progress from Audit Card.

The Import Certification Progress from Audit Card screen appears.

4. Specify the inactive campaign and the audit card that contains saved data.

5. (Optional) Select the Delete Unchanged Tasks option to delete entities and links that do not match decisions in the audit card from the campaign.

The campaign contains only decisions that appear in the audit card.

Note: To use this option effectively, create a campaign that closely matches the scope and settings of the original campaign.

6. Click Import.

Review decisions from the audit card that reference entities and links in the campaign are copied to the campaign.

7. Go to your My Tasks list to launch the campaign.

Certification and Approval Stages of a Campaign

Most certification campaigns involve two phases:

- **Certification**—Managers and resource owners review the links of the users, roles, and resources they administer. For example, a manager reviews the privileges of their staff members, or a role owner examines the resources included in the role.
- **Approval**—If a link is rejected during the review phase, or a new link is suggested, the manager of the linked resource must approve the proposed change. For example, if a manager rejects access to a certain resource for their worker, the owner of that resource must approve the change. Only rejected links or new links trigger approval tasks, because they change the base configuration.

By default, campaigns have distinct review and approval phases. Approval tasks are held until all certification tasks are complete. The campaign owner initiates the approval phase from the root ticket of the campaign. Approval tasks and notifications are consolidated, simplifying the work of resource owners.

You can configure the campaign so that approval tasks are initiated immediately when a reviewer submits a rejected link. The review and approval phases of the campaign overlap, and both review and approval tasks are active throughout most of the campaign. This campaign structure has several disadvantages, especially for campaigns with a large scope. Because approval tasks are not consolidated, resource owners and managers receive a separate email notification for each change they must approve. The approval phase is extended, and the volume of notifications and approval tasks can be distracting and unmanageable. Resource owners cannot assess the overall impact of changes resulting from the campaign.

How CA RCM Assigns Certifiers

CA RCM analyzes entity attributes to locate a manager or resource owner for each entity or link under review.

In entity certification campaigns, CA RCM can assign reviewers as follows:

- Search a predefined member list in the server for a user related to the entity.
- Search the RACI configuration of the universe for a user who is Accountable or Responsible for the entity.

Note: In user certification campaigns, CA RCM first queries the Configuration user manager field defined in the target universe to identify the manager of each user.

- Assign the task to a default reviewer defined for the campaign.
- Let users approve their own links. This option is only relevant to self attestation campaigns.

In recertification and differential campaigns, CA RCM can assign reviewers as follows:

- Search a predefined member list in the server for a user related to the entity.
- Search the RACI configuration of the universe for one of the following:
 - A user who is Accountable or Responsible for the entity in the current configuration
 - The reviewer who was assigned in the previous campaign
 - The manager of the previous reviewer, based on the Configuration user manager field specified for the target universe.
- Assign the task to a default reviewer defined for the campaign.

When you create a campaign you can define which of these techniques CA RCM uses to locate a certifier, and in what order they are used.

Example: Assign a Reviewer

You can specify the following sequence to find reviewers for an entity:

1. CA RCM first consults a member list. If a reviewer is found in the member list, the process stops.
2. If no reviewer is found in the member list, CA RCM then consults the RACI configuration. If a reviewer is found, the process stops.
3. If no reviewer is found in the RACI configuration, the certification task is assigned to a default reviewer.

Member Lists

A member list is a data set that contains user names and attributes. You use a member list to assign reviewers in a certification campaign.

Each record in a member list contains the following three fields:

Login

Defines a user account in CA RCM. This field has the same content and format as the LoginID field of a user or configuration file.

Category

Defines a user, role, or resource attribute. This field can have a different value for each record in the member list. To match entities in the campaign, specify attributes that exist in the configuration file on which the campaign is based.

Value

Defines the value of the attribute listed in the Category field.

To assign a reviewer for an entity, CA RCM scans the member list, comparing attribute values in the member list to the attribute values of the entity. CA RCM assigns review tasks for the entity to the user specified by the *first* record in the member list that matches an attribute value of the entity.

Note: A member list can only contain attributes for one entity type—user, role, or resource. However, one member list can contain attributes and values from several universes. Only the LoginID field must be uniformly defined in all universes that are used with the member list.

You can import member list files into CA RCM or use administrative screens of the portal to create and edit member lists.

Example: Match Reviewers to Resource Attributes

The following member list associates users with various resource attribute values:

Login	Category	Value
DOMAIN\Hector_Torres	ResName3	Solaris
DOMAIN\Anna_Chui	Location	Atlanta
DOMAIN\Alex_Patrick	ResName3	WinNT
DOMAIN\Kim_Bell	Organization	Marketing Sun Server

This member list is used to assign reviewers in a resource certification campaign. The following resources are under review:

- The Domain_Users resource with the following attribute values:
ResName3 = Solaris
Location = Atlanta
CA RCM uses the *first* matching record in the list, and assigns Hector Torres to review links for this resource.
- The Purchasing resource with the following attribute values:
Organization = Headquarters
No records in the member list match this entity. CA RCM cannot assign a reviewer based on the member list.

More information:

[Create a Member List](#) (see page 85)

[Create a Member List from a CSV File](#) (see page 86)

[Clone a Member List](#) (see page 87)

[Edit a Member List](#) (see page 87)

[Special Characters for Member Lists](#) (see page 89)

Create a Member List

You use a member list to assign reviewers for a campaign. There are several ways to create a member list. Use this procedure to interactively create a member list in the CA RCM portal.

To create a member list

1. From the CA RCM portal main menu, click Administration, Workflow Settings, Manage Member Lists.

The Member List main screen appears.

2. In the Add Member List area, define a new member list. the following field is not self-explanatory:

Campaign Type

Specifies the type of campaign that uses the member list. For example, a member list that contains role attributes works with a role certification campaign.

3. Unselect the Use CSV file option.
 4. Click Add.
- The Edit member list screen appears.
5. Use the [Add, Edit, and Delete options](#) (see page 87) to compose the member list.
 6. Click Save.

Changes are saved to the member list. The main Member lists administration screen appears. The new list appears in the table of member lists.

More information:

[Create a Member List from a CSV File](#) (see page 86)

[Clone a Member List](#) (see page 87)

[Edit a Member List](#) (see page 87)

[Special Characters for Member Lists](#) (see page 89)

Create a Member List from a CSV File

You use a member list to assign reviewers for a campaign. There are several ways to create a member list. Use this procedure to create a member list based on an imported file of comma-separated values.

To create a member list from a CSV file

1. Prepare the data file. The first line of the CSV file must be the following header:

```
login,category,value
```

Note: Use only lower-case letters in this header line.

Each line of the file must contain three values, separated by commas. The following example shows a CSV file with two data records:

```
login,category,value  
DOMAIN\Alex_Patrick,ResName3,WinNT  
DOMAIN\Kim_Bell,Organization,Marketing Sun Server
```

2. From the CA RCM portal main menu, click Administration, Workflow Settings, Manage Member Lists.

The Member List main screen appears.

3. In the Add Member List area, define a new member list. the following field is not self-explanatory:

Campaign Type

Indicates the type of campaign that uses the member list. For example, a member list that contains role attributes works with a role certification campaign.

4. Select the Use CSV file option and browse to the CSV file you prepared.
5. Click Add.

CA RCM creates a member list file based on the CSV file. The member list is stored in the CA RCM database, and the new file appears in the list of member lists.

6. (Optional) Click Edit beside the new file to verify or modify its contents.

Clone a Member List

You use a member list to assign reviewers in a campaign. There are several ways to create a member list. Use this procedure to create a member list based on a copy of an existing member list.

To clone a member list

1. From the CA RCM portal main menu, click Administration, Workflow Settings, Manage Member Lists.

The Member List main screen appears. A table lists the member lists in the CA RCM database.

2. Click the Copy icon of the member list that you want to copy.

The Copy member list screen appears.

3. Define a new name for the member list, and click OK.

Note: You cannot edit this name after the list is created.

A new member list appears in the table, with the name you defined. The list contains the same records as the base list.

4. Click the Edit icon of the new list.

The Edit member list screen appears.

5. Use the [Add, Edit, and Delete options](#) (see page 87) to modify the list.

6. Click Save.

Changes are saved to the member list. The main Member lists administration screen appears.

Edit a Member List

You use a member list to assign reviewers in a campaign. Use this general procedure to edit member lists in the CA RCM portal.

To edit a member list

1. From the CA RCM portal main menu, click Administration, Workflow Settings, Manage Member Lists.

The Member List main screen appears. A table lists the member lists in the CA RCM database.

2. Click the Edit icon of the member list you want to edit.

The Edit member list screen appears.

3. Add a new record to the member list as follows:
 - a. Select the configuration file on which this record is based. The drop-down lists available configurations.
 - b. Click Add.
The Add entry pop-up appears.
 - c. Select a user, attribute field, and value. Only values in the base configuration are available.
 - d. Click OK.
The record is added to the member list, and appears in the table.
4. Edit a record in the member list as follows:
 - a. Find the record in the table, and click the Edit icon of that record.
The Edit pop-up appears.
 - b. Select a user, attribute field, and value. Only values in the base configuration of this record are available.
 - c. Click OK.
The record is updated. New values for this record appear in the table.
5. To delete a record, find the record in the table, and click the Delete icon of that record.
The record is deleted from the member list.
6. Click Save.
Changes are saved to the member list. The main Member lists administration screen appears.

Special Characters for Member Lists

The following system properties define special characters used to parse comma-separated values (CSV) files for member lists.

memberlist.csv.reader.separator

Defines the character that separates fields in each line of the file. The comma (,) character is used by default.

memberlist.csv.reader.quotechar

Defines the character that encloses field values that have spaces or other special characters. The double-quote (") character is used by default.

memberlist.csv.reader.escape

Defines the escape sequence used in the file. The backslash (\) character is used by default.

Example: Backslash Characters in CSV Input

Often CSV input for a member list contains backslash characters in pathnames, as in the following example:

```
Login, Category, Value
DOMAIN\Hector_Torres, ResName3, Solaris\HTorres
DOMAIN\Alex_Patrick, Location, Atlanta
```

By default, the CSV parser in CA RCM treats the backslash character as an escape character. The resulting member list omits backslashes, as follows:

```
Login, Category, Value
DOMAINHector_Torres, ResName3, SolarisHTorres
DOMAINAlex_Patrick, Location, Atlanta
```

To include the backslash character in field values, edit the `memberlist.csv.reader.escape` system property to define a different escape character.

Note: Select an escape character that does not appear in your data. Do not use the double quote character as an escape character.

Immediately Invoke Approval Processes

You can create a campaign that initiates approval tasks immediately when each reviewer submits changes. The review and approval phases of the campaign overlap, and both certification and change approval actions are active throughout most of the campaign.

To immediately invoke approval processes, select the *As each certifier submits changes* option in the Execution screen of the campaign creation wizard under *Initiate Approvals*.

CA RCM initiates change approval reviews immediately, as each certifier submits their changes.

Bypass Approval Processes for a Campaign

Typically, when changes result from a certification review, the owners of the entities involved must approve the changes. You can bypass this approval process in a campaign. CA RCM immediately implements all changes indicated during the certification review.

Important! Bypassing change approval reviews can corrupt the data in the target configuration. Only an experienced campaign manager should implement such a campaign, after consultation with the role engineer.

Because of the increased possibility of mistakenly overwriting configuration data, we recommend that you bypass approvals only in campaigns that are based on a copy or subset of configuration data. Do not use this option with campaigns that are based on the model configuration of the active universe or an original version of a configuration file.

To bypass approval processes for a campaign:

1. Verify that the value of the `allowModifiedCampaignProcess` system property is `True`.

allowModifiedCampaignProcess

Specifies whether campaign processes that bypass the approval task are available in the portal.

True

Makes review processes that bypass approval available during campaign creation.

False

Hides review processes that bypass approval. Only standard review processes - which include approval tasks - can be selected during campaign creation.

2. Copy a configuration file or create a partial file containing relevant data.

3. Create a campaign based on the configuration file you created.
4. In the Properties screen of the campaign creation wizard, clear the checkbox for the following option:

Request reviewer(s) for modifications

Initiates secondary approval review for any changes requested by certifiers in the campaign.

Audit Card Violations in a Campaign

Audit cards list entities and links that are out-of-pattern or violate business process rules. This information can be useful to the certifier as they review entities and links during a campaign.

When you define a campaign, you can include information from an audit card in the base universe, or generate an audit card for the campaign. If a violation in the audit card refers to an entity under review, the entity is flagged in certification tickets of the campaign. Certifiers can click the item to view details of the violation.

How Campaigns Apply Pre-approved Violations

When a list of pre-approved violations has been defined for the universe, the list filters violations in all campaigns based on that universe.

In this case there are two audit cards: the audit card you specify as a source of violations when you create the campaign, and the audit card of pre-approved violations specified for the universe. Audit card violations are processed as follows for the campaign:

1. CA RCM identifies entities and links under review that appear in the audit card you specify when you create the campaign.
2. CA RCM filters this group of entities and links based on the audit card of pre-approved violations in the universe. If a violation from the campaign audit card appears in the pre-approved audit card, it is handled as configured for pre-approved violations in the universe: the alert is either ignored and not displayed, or it is dimmed.

More information:

[Pre-Approved Violations](#) (see page 29)

The Scope of a Campaign

When you create a campaign, you can define filtering criteria that limit the entities and links included in the campaign. The filters you define can dramatically alter the character of the campaign to support specific business needs. For example, you can restrict campaigns to subsets of users or resources using geographical location or other attributes. You can also combine multiple filters based on different criteria.

The [Filter screen](#) (see page 66) of the campaign creation wizard displays filter options relevant to the type of campaign you create.

Attribute Value Filters

You can filter the entities included in a campaign using entity attribute values.

You can also combine several attribute-based criteria.

Define these filters in the Filter screen of the campaign creation wizard.

Example: Roles Pending Approval

To certify roles that have been proposed, but not yet approved, define a role certification campaign with the following entity filter:

- Select roles with the Approval Status field equal to Pending Approval.

The campaign includes only roles that have not yet been approved.

Example: User Certification by Function and Location

To certify the privileges of sales staff in the Texas region, define a user certification campaign with the following entity filters:

- Select users with the Organization field equal to Sales.
- Select users with the Location field equal to Texas.
- Specify the All conditions option.

The campaign includes only users that match both conditions.

Link Type Filters

You can limit the scope of a campaign to certain types of links.

Entities in a configuration can be connected in three ways:

Direct Connection

Only an explicit, direct link connects two entities. There are no implicit links between them due to parent-child inheritance in the role hierarchy.

Indirect Connection

Two entities are connected only through a role, or through parent-child inheritance of links in the role hierarchy. There is no direct link between them.

Dual Connection

Two entities are linked both directly through an explicit link, and indirectly through the role hierarchy.

Define these filters in the Filter screen of the campaign creation wizard. In the Select Links area of the screen, specify the direct, indirect, and dual links you want to include in the campaign. To refine your selection, open the Direct, Indirect, and Dual fields to show a tree of links relevant to the type of campaign you are creating.

Audit Card Filters

If you associate an Audit Card with the campaign, you can use the audit card to filter which links are included in the campaign. The following options are available:

- No audit card filter—Audit card information is used to flag violations, but not to limit the scope of the campaign.
- Include only links that are in the audit card—Use this option to create a campaign that focuses on violations.
- Exclude links that are in the audit card—Reviewers do not waste time on links that are likely to be deleted.
- Suggest new links—Typically, reviewers certify the existing links between entities in a configuration. CA RCM can also suggest new links based on the audit card associated with the campaign. If a reviewer approves a suggested link, it is added to the configuration.

Previously Reviewed Links

When you create a recertification campaign, you can filter the review tasks carried forward to the new campaign based on their status in the old campaign. In the Filter screen of the campaign creation wizard, select any of the following options under States:

Pending

Includes link certification actions that were not decided in the previous campaign.

Approved

Includes links that were approved in the previous campaign.

Rejected

Includes links that were rejected in the previous campaign.

Note: Recertification campaigns do not duplicate campaign control actions from the reference campaign. Only link or entity certification tasks are duplicated.

When you include previously approved or rejected links, the following options control how the decisions of previous reviewers are handled.

Reset Approver's Selections

Previous review decisions are not carried forward into the recertification campaign.

Keep Approver's Selections

Show Approver's Selections

Reviewers in the recertification campaign see previous review decisions.

The following system property controls how previously reviewed links are presented to reviewers in recertification campaigns.

campaign.settings.recertification.allowOneClickResubmit

Determines if previous review decisions are presented as live choices in recertification tasks. Valid values are:

True

Previous Approve or Reject decisions are selected by default in recertification tasks. Reviewers in the recertification campaign can accept these decisions by clicking Submit in the My Tasks screen. The campaign creation wizard displays the option Keep Approver's Selections.

False

Previous Approve or Reject decisions are indicated by grayed icons in recertification tasks, but these decisions are not selected by default. Reviewers in the recertification campaign must select a review decision for each link under review. The campaign creation wizard displays the option Show Approver's Selections.

Updated Links

Recertification campaigns are based on the review tasks of a previous campaign. When you create a recertification campaign, you can include links in the configuration that were not part of the previous campaign. These links can be new links that did not exist when the previous campaign was initiated, or existing links that were excluded from the previous campaign.

Usage Information from CA Enterprise Log Manager in a Campaign

When CA Enterprise Log Manager is deployed in your environment, CA RCM can display usage information drawn from CA Enterprise Log Manager in the tickets of a campaign. Reviewers can use this information when they certify links.

In campaign tickets, a colored icon indicates frequency of use. Reviewers can click the icon to open a window with more detailed usage information from CA Enterprise Log Manager. This window shows all usage data for the entity under review—CA Enterprise Log Manager does not filter usage data based on the CA RCM user hierarchy.

Note: The connection between CA RCM and CA Enterprise Log Manager is protected by a security certificate. Reviewers are prompted to install the security certificate on their computers the first time they view information from CA Enterprise Log Manager.

Data polling between CA RCM and CA Enterprise Log Manager is enabled and configured separately for each universe. When you enable polling of CA Enterprise Log Manager for a universe, all campaigns based on that universe display usage information.

More information:

[CA Enterprise Log Manager Integration](#) (see page 193)

DNA-based Approval Process

You can create an Audit Card in CA RCM client tools that reflects changes between two configurations. When you submit the audit card, CA RCM initiates approval actions for the changes.

Note: When you delete a role directly in the client tools, the resulting audit card contains a general Delete Role action and separate child actions for each user, role, or resource link associated with the deleted role. Submit only the parent Delete Role action to the CA RCM server. CA RCM automatically generates the child actions associated with the role.

How to Upgrade Campaigns from Earlier Versions

Certification campaigns that you created using release 12.5 SP1 or earlier of CA RCM are incompatible with the data schemas, system properties, and campaign management controls of this release. You can upgrade these campaigns and continue working with their data.

- For 4.x releases, and release 12.0, 12.5, and 12.5 SP1—use the Upgrade Legacy Campaigns screen in the CA RCM portal.
- For 3.x releases—save campaign data to an audit card, and apply this data to a new campaign.

Note: For more information, see the relevant upgrade section of the *Installation Guide* for this release.

Chapter 7: Using Dashboards

Dashboards use graphs and charts to provide a useful overview of role-based configurations and the results of statistical and rule-based analysis.

Click Dashboards on the CA RCM portal main menu to access these screens.

Some of these screens are also displayed by default on your home page.

Depending on the content of the dashboard, some or all of the following controls appear in the headers of the dashboard:

Settings

Opens a dialog you use to select data sets to include in the dashboard.

Customize

Opens a dialog you use to change how graphs and charts are displayed.

Draw Charts

Regenerates the graphs and charts of the dashboard.

Value, Percent

Specifies if graphs show absolute values or percentages.

This section contains the following topics:

[Configuration Dashboard](#) (see page 98)

[Audit Card Dashboard](#) (see page 99)

[Compliance Dashboard](#) (see page 100)

[Roles Coverage Dashboard](#) (see page 100)

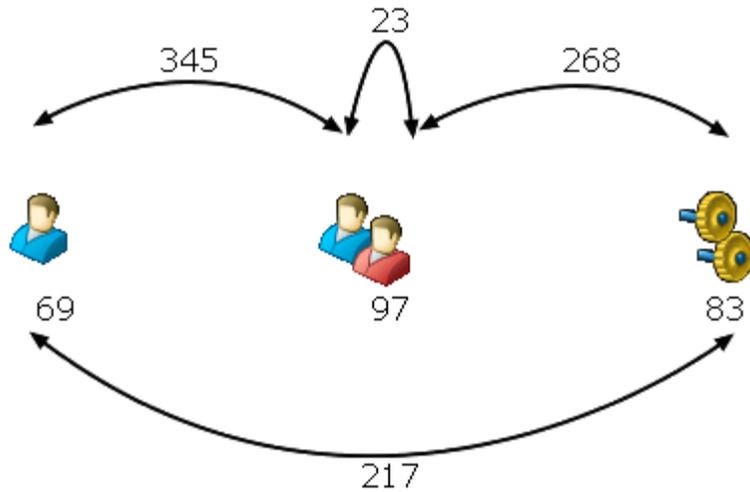
[Certification Dashboard](#) (see page 100)

Configuration Dashboard

The configuration dashboard is a portal page that provides a graphical overview of the entities (users, resources, and roles) in a specified configuration, and the connections between them.

The Customize button invokes the Settings window where you can set bar and pie chart parameters. See [Configuration Dashboard Settings](#) (see page 99)

A graphic at the top of the page summarizes the users, resources, and roles in the specified configuration.



In the configuration shown, there are 69 users, 97 roles, and 83 resources. There are 345 user-role connections, and the role hierarchy contains 23 role-role connections.

A series of bar charts summarize the connections between users, roles, and resources. The following types of links are described:

Direct Connection

Only an explicit, direct link connects two entities. There are no implicit links between them due to parent-child inheritance in the role hierarchy.

Indirect Connection

Two entities are connected only through a role, or through parent-child inheritance of links in the role hierarchy. There is no direct link between them.

Dual Connection

Two entities are linked both directly through an explicit link, and indirectly through the role hierarchy.

Configuration Dashboard Settings

The Configuration Dashboard bar and pie charts can be customized by the user for display purposes.

- Bar Charts - The following parameters can be set in the Bar chart histogram:
 - Max number - The maximum number of histogram chart bars displayed.
 - Auto - CA Role & Compliance Manager determines the histogram chart members displayed.
 - Fixed - Set the desired number in the chart of displayed values.
 - No Zero - Do not display in the chart values that include zero members.
- Pie Charts - The following parameters can be set in the Pie charts:
 - Type - Select 2D or 3D display type.
 - Transparent - Set the desired displayed transparency value with the drop down arrow.
 - Slice Control - Determine how pie chart information as slices are displayed. Use the drop down arrow to set the desired value for minimal and maximum number of slices.

Audit Card Dashboard

The audit card dashboard is a portal page that provides a graphical overview of the analytical alerts recorded in a specified audit card. By reviewing these violations, the Role Engineer can determine the current role configuration's goodness of fit and decide which direction to take to refine the configuration.

Note: The alert criteria reported in the audit card dashboard reflect the pattern analysis settings used to generate the selected audit card. For detailed information about these pattern analysis options, refer to the Sage DNA User Guide.

Compliance Dashboard

The compliance dashboard is a portal page that provides a graphical summary of possible violations of Business Policy Rules (BPRs).

Typically several audit cards affiliated with the same configuration file are selected for display on the dashboard. Use these graphs to compare the impact of different BPR rulesets, and to identify business policies that generate significant violations in the role configuration.

To populate the dashboard, scroll to the bottom of the page, select an audit card from the CA RCM database, and click **Add** to include the audit card's BPR alerts in the dashboard's graphs.

Note: The compliance dashboard accepts only audit cards that contain alerts related to Business Policy Rules (BPRs). Only BPR-related alerts are graphed; pattern-based alerts in the audit card are ignored.

Roles Coverage Dashboard

The roles coverage dashboard is a portal page that provides a graphical summary of the current role hierarchy, and how well the role hierarchy matches the underlying user, resource, and permission data.

The graphs of the dashboard show key measures in two related areas:

- **Coverage Indicators**—What portion of the actual user and resource privileges in the enterprise are included in the role hierarchy? How complete is the role hierarchy, and how well does it reflect actual permission patterns?
- **Quality Indicators**—How well-formed and efficient is the defined set of roles and business process rules? What portion of roles are sparsely populated with users, or in conflict with BPRs?

Certification Dashboard

The certification dashboard provides a graphical summary of the certification campaigns you participate in. It provides information about approved, rejected, reassigned, and pending review tasks for each campaign, and lists information about the performance of reviewers and approvers.

You can filter campaigns by type or by start date, and select individual campaigns to include in the dashboard.

Chapter 8: Running Self-Service Tasks

The CA RCM Portal's Self-Service feature provides local managers with the ability to do their own provisioning and/or provision their team-members on-the-fly, by adding or removing links between themselves/their team members and the corporation's roles and resources. The Self-Service tasks include the ability to create new roles or update existing one (only available to managers with appropriate permissions). Each task involves the functionality of one or more screens, which will be documented in this chapter.

In Adding Campaigns, we stated that managers do not update entity links during campaigns. They are limited to approving or rejecting the current links. At times, either following a campaign or following changes in corporate regulations or policies, it is necessary to update the actual links between the corporate users and the systems' roles and resources, or to generate new roles. This need is fulfilled by using the Self-Service tasks.

Note: The general functionality available in Self-Service task screens is already documented in [Using the CA RCM Portal Interface](#) (see page 17), and therefore, will not be documented in this chapter.

This chapter documents all the Self-Service tasks available via the CA RCM Portal. Managers will have access only to those features for which they have been provisioned. For the purpose of this manual, the Self-Service tasks are divided into two groups:

Provisioning Tasks

Includes all the tasks that manage a user's roles/resources:

- Manage my team's role assignments
- Manage my role assignments
- Manage my team's resource assignments
- Manage my resource assignments

Defining Roles Tasks

Includes the role definition tasks:

- Request a new role definition
- Request changes to a role definition

Note: If you find it necessary to run a Self-Service task that does not appear in your Self-Service menu, please report this to your system administrator.

The CA RCM Portal lets you add links to your favorite Self-Service tasks on the Home Page under My Business Processes.

This section contains the following topics:

- [General Self-Service Functions](#) (see page 103)
- [Manage My Team's Role Assignments](#) (see page 106)
- [Manage My Role Assignments](#) (see page 112)
- [Manage My Team's Resources](#) (see page 116)
- [Manage My Resources](#) (see page 123)
- [Defining a New Role](#) (see page 127)
- [Updating Role Definitions](#) (see page 133)
- [Introducing the Requests Table](#) (see page 134)

General Self-Service Functions

The Self-Service tasks functionality depends on the specific task that you undertake. Nevertheless, several functions are shared by several tasks.

This section describes two such functions:

- Test Compliance
- Suggest Entity

It is important to realize that you can use the Suggest Entity service to obtain a list of recommended entities, and yet the Test Compliance utility will find that the suggested links are in violation of system BPRs. The reason is that the Suggest Entity service is based on analytical pattern-based technology, while the Test Compliance utility examines the rules written by the system's administrators, rules that may or may not override the findings of the analytical pattern-based examination of the corporation's configuration files.

For example, the system may find that under certain conditions a specific application role is recommended for a group of users, and yet the Test Compliance utility will record this as a violation because the application is licensed and there are no free licenses available at this time.

More information:

[Test Compliance](#) (see page 103)

[How CA RCM Suggests Entities](#) (see page 104)

Test Compliance

During a Self-Service provisioning task, you can test the compliance of your selections with the existing BPRs, security regulations and policies.

Note: For more information on violations stemming from non-compliance and other security issues see the *DNA User Guide*.

The Violations screen lists link entities that have a violation associated with them. If there are no violations, no records are listed.

The Violations screen groups entities by the rule or pattern condition that triggered the violation. All link entities that violate a specific rule or pattern are listed together. In addition to link information, the following field is displayed for each entity:

Score

The risk as defined for the specific BPR. The value is usually between 0 and 100.

To run the compliance testing

1. Click Test Compliance. The Violations screen opens in a separate browser window.
2. Click  in the upper right-hand corner to close the window.

How CA RCM Suggests Entities

You can use CA RCM pattern recognition algorithms to suggest new privileges for yourself, for your team, or for roles that you manage.

For example, when you review your team's role assignments, you can click Suggest Roles to generate a weighted list of roles based on pattern analysis.

Note: For more information about CA RCM pattern recognition algorithms see the *DNA User Guide*.

CA RCM bases its suggestions on several algorithms. Depending on the self-service request that is active, the following algorithms are available:

Matching Rights

CA RCM finds roles with rights that correlate (according to a given %) to those of a reference role. This algorithm is equivalent to the "In/Out of Pattern: User matching" option in the DNA client tool.

HR Pattern

CA RCM finds privileges assigned to users with similar human resources attribute values. This algorithm is equivalent to the "In/Out of Pattern: Propose new roles for users (by Human Resources)" option in the DNA client tool.

Privileges Pattern

Compares the privileges of the current users to a general pattern of privileges in the configuration. This algorithm is equivalent to the "In/Out of Pattern: Propose new roles for users (by Privileges)" option in the DNA client tool.

Matching Rule

Finds users that match the rule used to assign a role who do not yet have the role. This algorithm is equivalent to the "In/Out of Pattern: Identify users matching rule based roles" option in the DNA client tool.

These algorithms suggest entities based on both direct and indirect links.

The pattern matching results appear in the columns of the relevant table:

- For provisioning tasks, the results appear in the Other Roles table.
- For role definition tasks, the results appear in the entity's designated table.

When you request suggestions for more than one user, the table lists the number of users that match out of the number of selected users ([matching]/[selected]).

Click Suggest [Entity] to activate this service as part of a provisioning task. The table in which it is located changes and contains following columns:

Service	Added Columns
Suggest Roles	Four pattern columns plus a Details column.
Suggest Resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ For Provisioning task screens: Two pattern columns plus a Details column. ■ For Role Definition task screens: The Enrolled column
Suggest Users	The Enrolled column.

In a Provisioning task screen, click a highlighted link in the Details column and further information about the users and how they match the specific role/resource appears in a separate browser window.

Click  in the upper right-hand corner to close the window.

The Enrolled column, which appears in Role Definition task screens, provides the number of selected users/resources linked to this resource/user.

Manage My Team's Role Assignments

For the purposes of the CA RCM Portal, your team is essentially the users that you were assigned to manage. As a team manager, you may find it necessary to update role assignments because of corporate changes, personnel changes or following an audit process. The Manage My Team's Roles (MMT-Role) screen allows you to manage your team's roles, by generating a request to enroll your team in one or more roles, or by generating a request to enroll a specific user in one or more roles; or by severing the link between selected users and their current roles.

The role management utility allows you to manually select a specific target role, but it also provides you with a list of suggested roles and their pattern based behavior, thus giving you the information necessary to make an informed choice.

The screen is divided into four sections:

General

Provides descriptive information concerning the current action.

Users

Your team members. Select one or more users for the current action.

Currently Enrolled Roles

The current roles linked to the selected users.

Other Roles

Recommended roles for the selected users.

The Users and Other Roles sections present customizable tables.

As the MMT-Role screen allows many options and great flexibility, the task's procedures will be broken up by section:

- The fields in the General section
- The Users table options and functionality
- The Currently Enrolled Roles table options and functionality
- The Other Roles table options and functionality

To manage my team's role assignments, click Manage My Team's Role Assignments on the Self-Service menu. The Manage My Team's Roles screen opens.

More information:

[General Section \(MMT-Role Screen\)](#) (see page 107)

[Users Table \(MMT-Role Screen\)](#) (see page 107)

[Currently Enrolled Roles Table \(Manage My Roles Screen\)](#) (see page 109)

[Other Roles Table \(MMT-Role Screen\)](#) (see page 110)

General Section (MMT-Role Screen)

The General section of the Managing My Team's Roles screen contains the following fields:

Universe

Select the Universe you wish to work with. The users' table and the available roles depend on the universe.

Business Area

General information (descriptive). This information will appear in the Description field of the ensuing Self-Service Approval-Root ticket.

Business Process

General information (descriptive). This information will appear in the Description field of the ensuing Self-Service Approval-Root ticket.

Description

Provide a concise and meaningful description of the changes you intend to make to your team's roles.

Submit

Click to submit your request for changes.

To enter the data in the MMT-Role General section

1. Select a Universe from the drop-down list.
2. Enter the Business Area for the current action.
3. Enter the Business Process associated with the current action.
4. Enter a Description.

Users Table (MMT-Role Screen)

The Users table displays a list of the users in the selected Universe's configuration files. The members of your team are marked with a green dot next to their Person ID.

The Users table provides the following options:

Add

A column of check boxes, one per user. Select one or more. When you check multiple users, all the changes you make will be implemented for all selected users.

Person ID

Click any highlighted ID listed in this column to open the associated User's Card.

Get Roles

Provides a list of Currently Enrolled Roles for the selected users.

Customize

Allows you to determine the columns that will appear in the Users table.

Records per page

Select the number of records that will appear in the Users table.

Find Users

Opens the Select User filter screen to assist you in finding specific users.

Once you have selected the user(s) you want to manage at this time, you can click Get Roles to obtain a list of the roles currently associated with these users.

Note: If the actions you want to take do not involve the currently enrolled roles associated with the selected user, you can skip the Currently Enrolled Roles table and go to the Other Roles table.

To select users and obtain their roles

1. In the Users table, select one or more users. You can click Find Users to open the Select User screen.
2. Click Get Roles.

The roles linked to the selected user(s) appear in the Currently Enrolled Roles table. A list of roles that are not linked to the currently selected user(s) appears in the Other Roles table.

At this point you can choose to:

- Manage the current enrollment list
- Add additional roles to the selected users
- Do both.

If you do not want to manage the currently enrolled roles, skip to add roles to the selected users.

Currently Enrolled Roles Table (Manage My Roles Screen)

This section allows you to manage the current roles enrollment for your selected users. The options available to you depend on how many users you have selected for the current action.

In the case of single-user selection, click Get Roles to view the list of roles linked to your selected user.

In this case, the only option available to you in this section is to select the Remove check box next to a role thereby severing the link between the user and the selected role.

If you choose more than one user, the Currently Enrolled Roles table will present an additional column: Enrollment.

In the case of multiple-user selection, you can:

- Select the Remove check box next to a role thereby severing the link between the users and the selected role.
- Select the Add check box next to a role to which only some of the selected users were enrolled, thereby linking all the chosen users to the selected role.

The Currently Enrolled Roles table provides the following options:

Add

A column of check boxes, one per role. Select one or more. The check boxes next to roles that are already linked to all selected users will be disabled.

Remove

A column of check boxes, one per role. Check one or more to remove the link between the selected users and the selected roles.

Enrollment

This column appears only when selecting multiple users. Numerically displays [# of users enrolled]/[total # of users selected], for example 2/3 means that two of the three selected users are enrolled to this role. This column also provides the value as a percentage, for example: 1/3 (33%).

Role Name

Click any highlighted role name listed in this column to open its Role Card.

Depending on the type of action you wish to take, you may find that after selecting the appropriate check boxes in this section you have completed the task. In this case you can ignore the Other Roles section and skip submit your requests by clicking Submit at the bottom of the Manage My Team's Roles screen.

To make selections in the Currently Enrolled Roles table, in the Currently Enrolled Roles table, click the relevant check boxes in the Add and/or Remove columns.

At this point you can choose to:

- End the process at this point
- Add additional roles to the selected users.

If you do not want to add new roles, submit your requests.

Other Roles Table (MMT-Role Screen)

This section allows you to enroll your selected user(s) to additional roles of your choice. The actual enrollment will take place following a review process.

Note: When you click Get Roles in the Users section, a list of roles that are not linked to the currently selected user(s) appears in the Other Roles table.

In addition to managing the roles currently linked to the members of your team, you can also request that the system provide a list of recommended roles for your selected users. This list of roles will be displayed in the section Other Roles.

The Other Roles section provides the following options:

Add

A column of check boxes, one per role. Select one or more to link the selected users to additional roles.

Role Name

Click any highlighted role name listed in this column to open its Role Card.

Customize

Allows you to determine the columns that will appear in the Other Roles table.

Records per page

Select the number of records that will appear in the Other Roles table per page.

Find Roles

Opens the Select Role filter screen to assist you in locating specific roles.

Test Compliance

Checks whether the selections made in the Other Role table comply with existing policies and BPRs (Business Practice Rules).

Suggest Roles

Provides a list of possible roles based on the CA RCM pattern recognition technology.

This table presents you with several options:

- You can manually select one or more roles that you wish to link to the selected users.
- You can use the Find Roles filter option to find specific roles and then make a selection from the filtered list of roles.
- You can click Suggest Roles and use the information provided by this feature to link roles to the selected users.

After making your selection(s) you can test the compliance of your selections with the existing BPRs and policies.

You can decide to make the request despite any listed violations, or you can amend your selections.

Important! Remember that when selecting multiple users, all role-related choices apply equally to all the users. If at any point you alter the selected users, click Get Roles again.

To link roles to selected users

1. In the Manage My Team's Roles screen scroll down to the Other Roles table.
2. (Optional) Click Find Roles to access the Select Role filter screen.
3. (Optional) Click Suggest Roles to see the CA RCM Portal's recommendations.
4. Select one or more roles to link to the chosen users.
5. (Optional) Click Test Compliance to review your selections and check for possible violations.

The Violations screen opens in a separate browser window.

6. Click **X** to close the Violations window.
7. Click Submit.

The Requests screen opens.

More information:

[Test Compliance](#) (see page 103)

[How CA RCM Suggests Entities](#) (see page 104)

[Introducing the Requests Table](#) (see page 134)

Manage My Role Assignments

As a user, you may find it necessary to request an update to your roles because of corporate changes, personnel changes or following an audit process. The Manage My Role Assignment screen allows you to manage your roles, by generating a request to add new roles or by deleting existing roles.

The role management utility allows you to select a specific target role, but it also provides you with suggested roles and the information necessary to make an informed choice.

The screen is divided into three sections:

General

Provides descriptive information concerning the current action.

Currently Enrolled Roles

The current roles linked to the selected users.

Other Roles

A list of available roles.

The Other Roles section displays a customizable table.

As the Manage My Roles screen allows many options and great flexibility, the procedures will be broken up by section:

- The fields in the General section
- The Currently Enrolled Roles table options and functionality
- The Other Roles table options and functionality

To manage my role assignments, click Manage My Role Assignments on the Self-Service menu. The Manage My Roles screen appears.

More information:

[General Section \(Manage My Roles Screen\)](#) (see page 113)

[Currently Enrolled Roles Table \(Manage My Role Screen\)](#) (see page 114)

[Other Roles Table \(Manage My Role Screen\)](#) (see page 115)

General Section (Manage My Roles Screen)

The General section of the Managing My Roles screen contains the following fields:

Universe

Select the Universe you wish to work with. The users' table and the available roles depend on the universe.

Business Area

General information (descriptive). This information will appear in the Description field of the ensuing Self-Service Approval-Root ticket.

Business Process

General information (descriptive). This information will appear in the Description field of the ensuing Self-Service Approval-Root ticket.

Description

Provide a concise and meaningful description of the changes you intend to make to your roles.

Submit

Click to submit your request for changes.

To enter the data in the Manage My Roles General section

1. Select a Universe from the drop-down list.
The Currently Enrolled Roles table and the Other Roles table will show roles belonging to the selected Universe's configuration.
2. Enter the Business Area for the current action.
3. Enter the Business Process associated with the current action.
4. Enter a Description.

Note: If the actions you want to take do not involve your currently enrolled roles, you can skip the Currently Enrolled Roles table and skip to the Other Roles table.

If you do not wish to manage the currently enrolled roles, add roles to the selected users.

More information:

[Currently Enrolled Roles Table \(Manage My Role Screen\)](#) (see page 114)

[Other Roles Table \(Manage My Role Screen\)](#) (see page 115)

Currently Enrolled Roles Table (Manage My Role Screen)

This section lets you manage your current roles enrollment. When you selected the Universe, the CA RCM Portal provided the list of your current roles, within the universe's configuration.

The Currently Enrolled Roles table, for the Manage My Roles task, provides only option: to select a Remove check box next to a role thereby severing the link between you and the selected role.

The Currently Enrolled Roles table provides the following functionality:

Add

A column of check boxes, one per role. This column is inactive in this screen.

Remove

A column of check boxes, one per user. Check one or more to remove the link between the selected users and the selected roles.

Role Name

Click any highlighted role name listed in this column to open its Role Card.

Depending on the type of action you wish to take, you may find that after selecting the appropriate check boxes in this section you have completed the task. In this case you can ignore the instructions in the Other Roles and submit your requests by clicking Submit at the bottom of the Manage My Roles screen.

To make selections in the Currently Enrolled Roles table, in the Currently Enrolled Roles table click the relevant check boxes in the Remove column.

At this point you can choose to:

- End the process at this point
- Add roles.

If you do not want to add new roles, submit your requests.

More information:

[Other Roles Table \(Manage My Role Screen\)](#) (see page 115)

Other Roles Table (Manage My Role Screen)

This section allows you to enroll in additional roles of your choice. The actual enrollment will take place following a review process.

In addition to managing the roles that you are currently linked to, you can also request that the system provide you with a list of recommended roles for yourself. This list of roles will be displayed in the section Other Roles.

The Other Roles section provides the following options:

Add

A column of check boxes, one per role. Select one or more.

Role Name

Click any highlighted role name listed in this column to open its Role Card.

Customize

Allows you to determine the columns that will appear in the Other Roles table.

Records per page

Select the number of records that will appear in the Other Roles table per page.

Find Roles

Opens the Select Role filter screen to assist you in locating specific roles.

Test Compliance

Checks whether the selections made in the Other Roles table comply with existing policies and BPRs (Business Practice Rules).

Suggest Roles

Provides a list of possible roles based on the CA RCM pattern recognition technology.

This table presents you with several options:

- You can manually select one or more roles to which you wish to enroll.
- You can use the Find Roles filter option to find specific roles and then make a selection from the filtered list of roles.
- You can click Suggest Roles and use the information provided by this feature to find roles to which you should enroll.

After making your selection(s) you can test the compliance of your selections with the existing BPRs and policies.

You can decide to make the request despite any violations, or you can amend your selections.

To link to additional roles

1. In the Manage My Roles screen scroll down to the Other Roles table.
2. (Optional) Click Find Roles to access the Select Role filter screen.
3. (Optional) Click Suggest Roles to see the CA RCM Portal's recommendations.
4. Select one or more roles to link to the chosen users.
5. (Optional) Click Test Compliance to review your selections and check for possible violations.

The Violations screen opens in a separate browser window. Click **X** to close the Violations window.

6. Click Submit.

The Requests screen opens.

More information:

[Test Compliance](#) (see page 103)

[How CA RCM Suggests Entities](#) (see page 104)

[Introducing the Requests Table](#) (see page 134)

Manage My Team's Resources

For the purposes of the CA RCM Portal, your team is essentially the users that you were assigned to manage. As a team manager, you may find it necessary to update resources because of corporate changes, resource updates or following an audit process. The Manage My Team's Resources (MMT-Resources) allows you to manage your team's resources:

- By generating a request to add new resources, for either a specific user or a for a group of users
- By severing the link between selected users and their current resources

The resource management utility allows you to manually select a specific target resource, but it also provides you with a list of suggested resources and their pattern based behavior, thus giving you the information necessary to make an informed choice.

The screen is divided into four sections:

General

Provides descriptive information concerning the current action.

Users

Your team members. Select one or more users for the current action.

Currently Enrolled Roles

The current resources linked to the selected users.

Other Roles

Recommended resources for the selected users.

The Users and Other Resources sections present customizable tables.

As the MMT-Resources screen allows many options and great flexibility, the task's procedures will be broken up by section:

- The fields in the General section
- The Users table options and functionality
- The Currently Enrolled Resources table options and functionality
- The Other Resources table options and functionality

To manage my team's resource assignments, click Manage My Team's Resource Assignments on the Self-Service menu. The Manage My Team's Resources screen opens.

More information:

[General Section \(MMT-Resources Screen\)](#) (see page 118)

[Users Table \(MMT-Resources Screen\)](#) (see page 119)

[Currently Enrolled Resources Table \(Manage My Roles Screen\)](#) (see page 120)

[Other Resources Table \(MMT-Resources Screen\)](#) (see page 121)

General Section (MMT-Resources Screen)

The General section of the Managing My Team's Resources screen contains the following fields:

Universe

Select the Universe you wish to work with. The users' table and the available resources depend on the universe.

Business Area

General information (descriptive). This information will appear in the Description field of the ensuing Self-Service Approval-Root ticket.

Business Process

General information (descriptive). This information will appear in the Description field of the ensuing Self-Service Approval-Root ticket.

Description

Provide a concise and meaningful description of the changes you intend to make to your team's resources.

Submit

Click to submit your request for changes.

To enter the data in the MMT-Resource General section

1. Select a Universe from the drop-down list.
2. Enter the Business Area for the current action.
3. Enter the Business Process associated with the current action.
4. Enter a Description.

Users Table (MMT-Resources Screen)

The Users table displays a list of the users in the selected Universe's configuration files. The members of your team are marked with a green dot next to their Name.

The Users table provides the following options:

Add

A column of check boxes, one per user. Select one or more. When you select multiple users, all the changes you make will be implemented for all selected users.

Person ID

Click any highlighted ID listed in this column to open the associated User's Card.

Get Resources

Provides a table of Currently Enrolled Resources for the selected users.

Customize

Allows you to determine the columns that will appear in the Users table.

Records per page

Select the number of records that will appear in the Users table.

Find Users

Opens the Select User filter screen to assist you in finding specific users.

Once you have selected the users you want to manage at this time, you can click Get Resources to obtain a list of the resources currently associated with these users.

Note: If the actions you want to take do not involve the currently enrolled resources associated with the selected user, you can skip the Currently Enrolled Resources table and go to the Other Resources table.

To select users from the MMT-Resources Users table and obtain their roles

1. In the Users table, select one or more users. You can click Find Users to open the Select User screen.
2. Click Get Resources.

The resources linked to the selected user(s) appear in the Currently Enrolled Resources table. A list of resources that are not linked to the currently selected user(s) appears in the Other Resources table.

At this point you can choose to:

- Manage the current enrollment list
- Add additional resources to the selected users
- Do both.

If you do not want to manage the currently enrolled resources, add resources to the selected users.

More information:

[Currently Enrolled Resources Table \(Manage My Roles Screen\)](#) (see page 120)

[Other Resources Table \(MMT-Resources Screen\)](#) (see page 121)

Currently Enrolled Resources Table (Manage My Roles Screen)

This section allows you to manage the current resources enrollment for your selected users. The options available to you depend on how many users you have selected for the current action.

In the case of single-user selection, click Get Resources, and you will receive the list of resources linked to your chosen user.

In this case, the only option available to you in this section is to click the Remove check box next to a resource thereby severing the link between the user and the selected resource.

If you choose more than one user, the Currently Enrolled Resources table will present an additional column: Enrollment.

In the case of multiple-user selection, you can:

- Click the Remove check box next to a resource thereby severing the link between the users and the selected resource.
- Click the Add check box next to a resource to which only some of the selected users were enrolled, thereby linking all the chosen users to the selected resource.

The Currently Enrolled Resources table provides the following options:

Add

A column of check boxes, one per resource. Select one or more. The check boxes next to resources that are already linked to all selected users will be disabled.

Remove

A column of check boxes, one per resource. Check one or more to remove the link between the selected users and the selected resources.

Enrollment

This column appears only when selecting multiple users. Shows numerically [# of users enrolled]/[total # of users selected], for example 2/3 means that two of the three selected users are enrolled to this resource. This column also provides the value as a percentage. For example: 1/3 (33%).

Resource Name

Click any highlighted resource name listed in this column to open its Resource Card.

Depending on the type of action you wish to take, you may find that after selecting the appropriate check boxes in this section you have completed the task. In this case you can ignore the Other Resources and submit your requests by clicking Submit at the bottom of the Manage My Team's Resources screen.

To make selections in the Currently Enrolled Resources table, in the Currently Enrolled Resources table click the relevant check boxes in the Add and/or Remove columns.

At this point you can choose to:

- End the process at this point
- Add additional resources to the selected users.

If you do not want to add new resources, submit your requests.

Other Resources Table (MMT-Resources Screen)

This section allows you to enroll your selected user(s) to additional resources of your choice. The actual enrollment will take place following a review process.

Note: When you click Get Resources in the Users section, a list of resources that are not linked to the currently selected user(s) appears in the Other Resources table

In addition to managing the resources currently linked to the members of your team, you can also request that the system provide a list of recommended resources for your selected users. This list of resources will be displayed in the section Other Resources.

The Other Resources section provides the following options:

Add

A column of check boxes, one per role. Select one or more to link the selected users to additional resources.

Res Name 1

Click any highlighted resource name listed in this column to open its Resource Card.

Customize

Allows you to determine the columns that will appear in the Other Resources table.

Records per page

Select the number of records that will appear in the Other Resources table.

Find Resources

Opens the Select Resources filter screen to assist you in locating specific resources.

Test Compliance

Checks whether the selections made in the Other Resources table comply with existing policies and BPRs (Business Process Rules).

Suggest Resources

Provides a list of possible resources based on the CA RCM pattern recognition technology.

This table presents you with several options:

- You can manually select one or more resources that you wish to link to the selected users.
- You can use the Find Resources filter option to find specific roles and then make a selection from the filtered list of resources.
- You can click Suggest Resources and use the information provided by this feature to link resources to the selected users.

After making your selection(s) you can test the compliance of your selections with the existing BPRs and policies.

You can decide to make the request despite any listed violations, or you can amend your selections.

Important! Remember that when selecting multiple users, all resource-related choices apply equally to all the users. If at any point you alter the selected users, click Get Resources again.

To link resources to selected users

1. In the Manage My Team's Resources screen scroll down to the Other Resources table.
2. (Optional) Click Find Resources to access the Select Resource filter screen.
3. (Optional) Click Suggest Resources to see the CA RCM Portal's recommendations.
4. Select one or more resources to link to the chosen users.
5. (Optional) Click Test Compliance to review your selections and check for possible violations.

The Violations screen opens in a separate browser window. Click **X** to close the Violations window.

6. Click Submit.

The Requests screen opens.

More information:

[How CA RCM Suggests Entities](#) (see page 104)

[Test Compliance](#) (see page 103)

Manage My Resources

As a user, you may find it necessary to request an update to your resources because of corporate changes, resource changes or following an audit process. The Manage My Resources screen allows you to manage your resources, by generating a request to add new resources or by deleting existing resources.

The screen is divided into three sections:

General

Provides descriptive information concerning the current action.

Currently Enrolled Resources

The current resources linked to the selected users.

Other Resources

A list of available resources.

The Other Resources section displays a customizable table.

As the Manage My Resources screen allows many options and great flexibility, the procedures will be broken up by section:

- The fields in the General section
- The Currently Enrolled Resources table options and functionality
- The Other Resources table options and functionality

To manage my resources, click Manage My Resource Assignments on the Self-Service menu. The Manage My Resources screen appears.

More information:

[General Section \(Manage My Resources Screen\)](#) (see page 124)

[Currently Enrolled Resources Table \(Manage My Resources Screen\)](#) (see page 125)

[Other Resources Table \(Manage My Resources Screen\)](#) (see page 126)

General Section (Manage My Resources Screen)

The General section of the Managing My Resources screen contains the following fields:

Universe

Select the Universe you wish to work with. The users' table and the available resources depend on the universe.

Business Area

General information (descriptive). This information will appear in the Description field of the ensuing Self-Service Approval-Root ticket.

Business Process

General information (descriptive). This information will appear in the Description field of the ensuing Self-Service Approval-Root ticket.

Description

Provide a concise and meaningful description of the changes you intend to make to your resources.

Submit

Click to submit your request for changes.

To enter the data in the Manage My Resources General section

1. Select a Universe from the drop-down list.
The Currently Enrolled Resources table and the Other Resources table shows resources belonging to the selected Universe's configuration.
2. Enter the Business Area for the current action.
3. Enter the Business Process associated with the current action.
4. Enter a Description.

Note: If the actions you want to take do not involve your currently enrolled resources, you can skip the Currently Enrolled Resources table and skip to the Other Roles table.

If you do not want to manage the currently enrolled resources, add resources to the selected users.

Currently Enrolled Resources Table (Manage My Resources Screen)

This section lets you manage your current resource enrollment. When you originally selected the Universe, the CA RCM Portal provided the list of your current resources, within the universe's configuration.

In this case, the only option available to you in this section is to click the Remove check box next to a resource thereby severing the link between you and the selected resource.

The Currently Enrolled Resources table provides the following options:

Remove

A column of check boxes, one per user. Check one or more to remove the link between the selected users and the selected resources.

Res Name 1

Click any highlighted resource name listed in this column to open its Resource Card.

Depending on the type of action you wish to take, you may find that after selecting the appropriate check boxes in this section you have completed the task. In this case you can ignore the Other Resources and submit your requests by clicking Submit at the bottom of the Manage My Resources screen.

To make selections in the Currently Enrolled Resources table, in the Currently Enrolled Resources table click the relevant check boxes in the Remove column.

At this point you can choose to:

- End the process at this point
- Add resources

If you do not want to add new resources, submit your requests.

Other Resources Table (Manage My Resources Screen)

This section allows you to enroll in additional resources of your choice. The actual enrollment will take place following a review process.

In addition to managing the resources that you are currently linked to, you can also request that the system provide you with a list of recommended resources for yourself. This list of resources will be displayed in the section Other Resources.

The Other Resources section provides the following options:

Add

A column of check boxes, one per resource. Select one or more.

Res Name 1

Click any highlighted resource name listed in this column to open its Resource Card.

Customize

Allows you to determine the columns that will appear in the Other Resources table.

Records per page

Select the number of records that will appear in the Other Resources table.

Find Resources

Opens the Select Resource filter screen to assist you in locating specific resources.

Test Compliance

Checks whether the selections made in the Other Resource table comply with existing policies and BPRs (Business Practice Rules).

Suggest Resources

Provides a list of possible resources based on the CA RCM pattern recognition technology.

This table presents you with several options:

- You can manually select one or more resources to which you wish to enroll.
- You can use the Find Resources filter option to find specific resources and then make a selection from the filtered list of resources.
- You can click Suggest Resources and use the information provided by this feature to find resources to which you should enroll.

After making your selection(s) you can test the compliance of your selections with the existing BPRs and policies.

You can decide to make the request despite any violations, or you can amend your selections.

To link to additional resources

1. In the Manage My Resources screen scroll down to the Other Resources table.
2. (Optional) Click Find Resources to access the Select Resource filter screen.
3. (Optional) Click Suggest Resources to see the CA RCM Portal's recommendations.
4. Select one or more resources to link to the chosen users.
5. (Optional) Click Test Compliance to review your selections and check for possible violations.

The Violations screen opens in a separate browser window. Click  to close the Violations window.

6. Click Submit.

The Requests screen opens.

More information:

[Test Compliance](#) (see page 103)

[How CA RCM Suggests Entities](#) (see page 104)

[Introducing the Requests Table](#) (see page 134)

Defining a New Role

In addition to the role hierarchy generated by CA RCM, you can define new roles.

More information:

[Request New Role Definition Screen](#) (see page 128)

[Definitions for Role Name \[New Role Name\]](#) (see page 131)

Request New Role Definition Screen

The first step in defining a new role is to define its characteristics and general definitions. For example, for a new role called Security Officer, provide the role name, corporate definitions, and rules that govern this role.

The Request New Role Definition screen is divided into the following two sections:

- Task definitions
- Role definitions

The Task Definitions area includes the following fields:

Universe

Defines the Universe you want to work with. The new role is associated with this universe configuration. The users table and the available resources provided in the Definitions for Role Name [New Role] screen depend on the universe.

Business Area

General information (descriptive). This information appears in the Description field of the ensuing Self-Service Approval-Root ticket.

Business Process

General information (descriptive). This information appears in the Description field of the ensuing Self-Service Approval-Root ticket.

Request Description

Provides a concise and meaningful description of the new role and its purpose.

The role definitions area includes the following fields:

Role Name

The name of the new role (concise and descriptive).

Description

Describes the new role.

Owner

Defines the user in the universe who owns the new role. By default, you are the owner of the role you request. Leave this field blank to accept ownership, or specify another user in the universe.

Type

Provides the role type (use autocomplete).

Organization

Provides the name of the main organization (use autocomplete).

Organization 2

Provides the name of the secondary organization (use autocomplete).

Organization 3

Provides the name of the tertiary organization (use autocomplete).

Rule

(Optional) Provides a rule for the new Role. You can use the Add Rule function to construct a rule.

To define a new role

1. Click Request a New Role Definition on the Self-Service menu.
The Request New Role Definition screen opens.
2. Select a Universe from the drop-down list.
The newly defined role is associated with the configuration belonging to this universe. The users and resources to link with this role are taken from this universe configuration.
3. Enter the Business Area for the current action.
4. Enter the Business Process associated with the current action.
5. Enter the Request Description.
6. Enter the Role Name.
7. Enter the Description of the new role.
8. Enter the Owner's ID. (Optional) Click Find to access the Find User filter screen.
9. Select a user from the User list generated by your filter. Click OK.
10. Enter a Type (use autocomplete).
11. Enter an Organization name (use autocomplete).
12. Enter an Organization 2 name (use autocomplete).
13. Enter an Organization 3 name (use autocomplete).
14. Create a Rule. Click Add Rule for assistance in constructing a rule.
15. Click Next. The Definitions for Role Name [Role Name] screen opens.

More information:

[Constructing a Rule](#) (see page 130)

[Definitions for Role Name \[New Role Name\]](#) (see page 131)

Constructing a Rule

The CA RCM Portal provides you with the Add Rule utility to assist you in constructing a rule for the new role you are requesting.

This screen has the following text boxes and functions:

Field

Use autocomplete to select a field name.

Value

Enter a value or use autocomplete to provide an appropriate value.

Add

Lets you add another constraint to the rule.

Remove

Removes the last added constraint.

Cancel

Cancels the rule construction.

Note: Adding a rule is optional. Not every Role has to be rule-based.

To construct a rule

1. Click Add Rule in the Request New Role Definition screen.
The Rule Construction screen opens.
2. Enter a Field name.
3. Enter a Value.
4. (Optional) Click Add to add additional constraints.
5. Repeat step 2 to step 4 as necessary.
6. Click OK.

The constructed rule appears in the Rule text box in the Request New Role Definition screen.

Definitions for Role Name [New Role Name]

Now that you have requested a new role, you can start assigning users and resources to the newly constructed role. Roles can be linked to users, resources and to other roles in a hierarchal relationship as either a parent role or a child role. The Definitions for Role Name [New Role Name] screen provides you with a fast and easy way to select which links your new role will have.

When you have completed your selections, you can test those selections for violations. If you are satisfied with the results, click Submit, located below the entity tables, to generate a request for a new role definition. The request can be checked by you, and if you have no corrections to make, click Submit below the request table, and generate the approval process tickets necessary to confirm the role definitions that you have created.

Note: The users marked with a green dot next to their name in the Users table, are users that are accountable to you (RACI).

This screen is divided into three sections:

- Resources
- Users
- Role Hierarchy - which can expand into two sections:
 - Parent Roles
 - Children Roles

Role hierarchy evolves from role trees that are present in many corporate systems. For example, an Identity Manager application can have two levels of roles: Provisioning Role and Provisioning Policy. Users are always linked to a Provisioning Role that is linked to a specific Provisioning Policy. This hierarchal structure is maintained during import/export. When generating a new role, it is important to know whether there are system rules that demand specific hierarchal connections between roles.

Each section contains a customizable entity table listing all the relevant entities. To assist you in your selection the following functions are available:

Find Entities

Provides a filter screen.

Suggest Entities

Provides suggested users for selected resources or suggested resources for selected users. This service is not available for the Role Hierarchy tables.

Highlighted Column

In each customizable table there is one pre-defined column that is highlighted. Click the name of the entity to access its data card.

Customize

Provides the option to select the fields that will appear in the specified table.

Records per page

Select the number of records per page.

Test Compliance

Tests the selections you made for violations.

If you select to apply the Suggest Entities service to both users and resources, you see data on the enrollment of the users and resources.

To assign users, resources and role hierarchy to the new role

1. Select users, resource and/or role hierarchy entities. Utilize the Find Entity filter and the Suggest Entity utility when necessary.
2. Click Test Compliance to check your selections for violations.
3. Click Submit to submit the new role definition request.

The Requests screen opens. The Requests screen provides both the new role's attributes and links.

4. Click Back to amend the data.
5. Click Submit to forward the request to generate a new role.

More information:

[Request New Role Definition Screen](#) (see page 128)

[How CA RCM Suggests Entities](#) (see page 104)

[Test Compliance](#) (see page 103)

[Introducing the Requests Table](#) (see page 134)

Updating Role Definitions

The CA RCM Portal allows you to update role attributes and links on-the-fly.

When the need arises to update an existing role, whether following an audit or in the course of an enterprise's roles and privileges maintenance life cycle, you can do so directly and quickly. The procedure includes finding the role within a specific universe and then following the procedure described in [Defining a New Role](#), though in this case, the fields have already been filled, the attributes defined and the links listed and your goal is to edit these selections to match your corporation's new needs.

In the Request Role Update screen, you are required to select a Universe. Selecting the Universe opens the Select Role screen.

This is a search screen with built-in filters and a RACI based advanced search feature.

Note: The universe's model configuration is listed in the upper right-hand corner of the Select Role screen.

Once you have successfully constructed a search pattern, a list of roles is displayed in the Role table.

To update an existing role

1. Click Request Changes to a Role Definition on the Self-Service menu.
The Request Role Update screen opens.
Select a Universe from the drop-down list.
2. Click OK.
3. The Select Role screen opens.
4. Filter the data table to create a search pattern.
5. (Optional) You can use the RACI based Advanced Search feature to include additional constraints on the search.
6. Click Search.
A list of roles is displayed in the customizable Role table.
7. Select the Add check box for the role you want to update.
8. Click OK.
The Request Role Update screen opens.

More information:

[Defining a New Role](#) (see page 127)

[Request New Role Definition Screen](#) (see page 128)

[Definitions for Role Name \[New Role Name\]](#) (see page 131)

Introducing the Requests Table

Each Self-Service task requires you to submit a request to perform the changes generated via the task's screens. When you have finished your selections in the selected Self-Service screen and have clicked Submit, the Requests screen appears. This screen summarizes the requests you have made while performing the Self-Service task.

Depending on the Self-Service task, the Request screen may contain additional information. For example, when generating a new role request, the Requests screen will also include the Attribute data for the new role.

The columns in the Links table provided in this screen depend on the type of Self-Service request you have just processed. Highlighted data gives you access to the relevant entity cards and further information. This information always includes the following two columns:

Request

Presents the nature of the Self-Service request. The options are Remove or Add.

Violations

Presents the number of violations associated with the specific request. Click on the number to view further details.

At this point the CA RCM Portal supplies you with two functions:

Back

To return to the previous screen and edit your selections.

Submit

Sends your request to the CA RCM for processing. The Generating Tickets progress bar appears.

In the case of provisioning type Self-Service tasks, if no errors are found, a Self-Service ticket tree will be generated and placed in your inbox. For each request listed in the Request table, one branch appears in the Self-Service ticket tree.

When generating a new role or updating an existing one, other tickets will be generated as needed.

1. (Optional) Click Back to return to the previous screen to amend your selections.
2. Click Submit to generate the Self-Service request tickets. The Requests Sent screen appears.

The Requests Sent screen lists the new ticket ID (the ID of the ticket owner's root ticket). You can view the new ticket tree in the Inbox.

More information:

[Running Self-Service Tasks](#) (see page 101)

Chapter 9: Entity Browser

The Entity Browser screen lets you view details of a configuration.

The Entity Browser initially displays the following fields:

Universe

Specifies the universe from which you select a configuration. Select the All option to view all configurations in the database.

Configuration

Specifies the configuration you want to browse.

Use these fields to select a configuration. The following tabs appear:

Users

Displays a table of users in the configuration, and basic attribute values. You can customize the table by adding additional attribute columns.

Click on a user to [view its details](#) (see page 138).

Roles

Displays a list of roles in the configuration, and basic attribute values. You can customize the table by adding additional attribute columns.

Click on a role to [view its details](#) (see page 138).

Resources

Displays a list of resources in the configuration, and basic attribute values. You can customize the table by adding additional attribute columns.

Click on a resource to [view its details](#) (see page 138).

Statistics

Displays the number of entities and links in the configuration.

Organization Chart

Displays a [configurable tree](#) (see page 139) of the user and manager hierarchy of the configuration.

This section contains the following topics:

[User, Role, and Resource Details](#) (see page 138)

[Modify the Organization Chart](#) (see page 139)

User, Role, and Resource Details

When you click a user, role, resource, or account in the entity browser, a popup window shows details for that entity. The window can contain the following tabs, depending on the type of entity you are examining:

Users

Displays the users that link to the entity.

Roles

Displays the roles that link to the entity.

Sub Roles

Displays the child roles of the role.

Parent Roles

Displays the parent roles of the role.

Resources

Displays the resources that link to the entity. When the target universe includes usage data from a CA Enterprise Log Manager instance, you can specify Usage View to display this usage data in this tab.

Accounts

Displays the user accounts on external endpoints that link to the entity. This tab only appears if the target universe contains account configurations.

Approvals

Displays the approval tasks of the user in currently active campaigns.

RACI

Displays the users linked to the entity by RACI analysis of the configuration.

Modify the Organization Chart

The Organization Chart tab of the entity browser displays the users in the target configuration in a clickable tree. Each level of the tree groups users based on the value of a user attribute in the target configuration.

You can configure the levels of the tree to show users in various ways. For example, you can create a tree that shows geographical distribution of users. You can also create a tree that shows the management structure of the organization.

Note: When you modify the organization chart, you change only the display of users in the tree. You do not change any user data in the configuration.

To modify the organization chart

1. In the entity browser, click the Organization Chart tab.
2. In the Select Fields area of the tab, specify the user attribute that sorts the top level of the tree in the Level 1 drop-down list.
3. Specify the user attribute that sorts the next level of the tree in the Level 2 drop-down list.
4. Continue to specify levels of the tree:
 - To add more levels, click the plus icon at the lowest level of the tree.
A new drop-down list appears.
 - To delete a level, click the minus icon beside that level.
The drop-down list is removed, and lower levels are renumbered.
5. Click Update Organization Chart.
The tree display reflects the structure you specified.

Chapter 10: Generating Reports

This section contains the following topics:

[How to Generate Reports](#) (see page 141)

[Report Types](#) (see page 142)

[Parameters and Filters for Report Generation](#) (see page 143)

[Display a Report's Index](#) (see page 146)

[Change Report Parameters](#) (see page 146)

[Export a Report to a File](#) (see page 146)

[Print a Report](#) (see page 147)

How to Generate Reports

Reports provide customized views of role-based configurations you create in CA RCM. You can generate reports to do the following:

- Track the progress of import/export, role management, or certification campaigns
- Analyze role hierarchies and user/resource assignments in detail
- Share management-level information about role-based access control and compliance activities

CA RCM provides a range of predefined report types, which can be customized by specifying filter, sorting, and threshold parameters.

The following table describes the steps to generate a report in CA RCM:

Step	Refer to...
1. Select a report to run.	Report Types (see page 142)
2. Select data files, specify customization parameters, and generate the report.	Parameters and Filters for Report Generation (see page 143)
3. View the report in your browser.	Display a Report's Index (see page 146) and Change Report Parameters (see page 146)
4. Export the report to a file, or print it.	Export a Report to a File (see page 146) or Print a Report (see page 147)

Report Types

Reports are accessed from the CA RCM Portal by selecting Reports from the main menu.

Reports are grouped into the following categories:

- Configuration Reports—detailed listings of users, resources, or roles, and their links to other entities. These reports let managers review in detail the privileges assigned to users or resources under their responsibility.
- Privileges Quality Management—graphical presentations of the most common, significant pattern-based analytical metrics of the configuration (similar to those used during the audit phase of role management). These reports give a quick, visual indication of how well the current role hierarchy matches usage patterns, and what proportion of users have suspect patterns of access.
- Role Management—reports used to analyze the role hierarchy, and perform 'before and after' and what-if comparisons of different configurations.
- Policy Management—reports used to verify use of Business Process Rules (BPRs).
- Campaigns—reports used to track the progress of certification campaigns, and summarize changes made during a campaign.

Parameters and Filters for Report Generation

To generate a report, specify the configuration file or universe on which to base the report. You may have to specify other parameters for some reports.

You can also specify parameters that filter the report contents. This allows you to limit the report to specific data sets based on user account attributes, geographic location, network structure, or organization/business unit. Additional parameters let you control the sorting of records in some reports, or set statistical thresholds for charts and graphs.

The following parameters are used to generate reports. Not all parameters are used for every report.

Configuration

Specifies the configuration file on which the report is based. The drop-down lists all configuration files in the CA RCM database.

Use the following parameters to filter the report based on user, role, or resource attributes:

by Field

Specifies a data field in the configuration file that is used to filter and sort records. The drop-down list shows existing data fields in the configuration file specified by the **Configuration** parameter. Only relevant data fields are shown - for example, only user attributes are shown for reports organized by user account.

From/To

Specifies the range of records to include in the report based on the data field specified in the **by Field** parameter. The drop-down lists show existing field values drawn from the specified configuration file.

Pattern

Defines a pattern-matching string that selects records from the specified configuration file to include in the report. The string is applied as a filter to the data field specified in the **by Field** parameter. The pattern must follow the usage defined for the `java.util.regex.Pattern` class in the Java version supported by this release.

Use the following parameters when working with analytical/statistical reports based on the selected configuration's audit card:

Audit Card

Specifies the audit card from which analytical information is drawn to generate the report. The drop-down lists all audit cards associated with the specified configuration file.

Min Score

Specifies a threshold for including information in the report. This filter is applied to the audit card specified by the **Audit Card** parameter. Audit criteria with a score lower than the threshold are not included in the report. Use this filter to exclude audited conditions that are not prevalent or significant in the specified configuration.

From Alert ID/To Alert ID

Specifies a range of Alert IDs to include in the report. The drop-down lists show existing Alert ID values in the audit card specified by the **Audit Card** parameter.

Alert Type

Specifies an analytical alert that is used as a filter. Only alerts of the type specified are included in the report. The drop-down shows all the standard analytical alerts that are present in the audit card specified by the **Audit Card** parameter.

From Date/To Date

Specify a time-based filter for audit card data. The report includes only analytical alerts that were recorded in the specified time frame. This filter is applied to the audit card specified by the **Audit Card** parameter.

Use the following parameter with the Policy Verification Report for business rules:

Policy

Specifies a Business Policy Rule (BPR) file used to filter report data. Only alerts related to the specified BPR are included in the report. The drop-down shows all BPR files in the CA RCM database.

Use the following parameters with the Role Modeling Methodologies Comparison report:

Master Configuration

Specifies the configuration used as a reference in comparing several configurations. The drop-down shows all configuration files in the database.

Master Configuration Label

Defines a text label for the reference configuration.

Configuration *n*

Specifies a configuration that is compared to the master configuration. The drop-down shows all configuration files in the database.

Label

Defines a text label for the corresponding configuration.

Use the following parameters when working with campaign-related reports:

Campaign

Specifies the campaign the report references. The drop-down list shows all campaigns defined in the Portal.

All Approvers

All participants who must approve privileges for users or resources they manage are included in the report.

Select by Field

Specifies a user attribute field used to select participants. The drop-down shows all user attributes defined in the campaign's affiliated configuration file. Select an attribute, and existing values in the configuration file are listed. Click a value to use it as a filter. Only participants with that attribute value are included in the report.

Use the following parameters with the Life Cycle Report:

Universe

Specifies the universe the report references. The drop-down list shows all universes defined in the Portal.

Configurations

Specifies the configurations in the universe to use for the report.

Entity Type

Specifies the entity the report covers.

by Field

Specifies a data field used to filter participants. The drop-down list shows all data fields defined for the selected entity type in the specified configuration file or files. Select an attribute, and existing values are listed. Click a value to use it as a filter.

From Date

Specifies the report start date. Changes to selected entities since the start date are included in the report.

Show Current Links

Includes existing links to other entities in the report.

Display a Report's Index

Some reports are indexed by the data field used to filter and sort the report. You can use this index to navigate the report in your browser.

To display a report's index, click . A navigation pane appears on the left of the screen.

Change Report Parameters

You can regenerate the report with different parameter settings. If the scope of the report is not what you planned, or if you want to compare parallel subsets of information - for example, different locations or business units.

To regenerate the report

1. Click the Show Parameters link on the left of the report display.
The parameters dialog for this report opens, with current settings displayed.
2. Change any parameter settings you want, and click OK.

The same report is generated, using the new settings.

Note: The previous version of the report is overwritten. To save the older version, print or export it before you regenerate the report with new parameters.

Export a Report to a File

You can save reports in several common formats. This allows you to share them with others and include them in other documents.

To export a report to a file

1. Click  on the left side of the window.
The Export Report dialog appears.
2. Select the document format, output range, and sizing options. Click **OK**.
A prompt appears when the document is generated.
3. Do one of the following:
 - Select **Save** to save the file.
 - Select **Open** to view the file.

Print a Report

You can send reports to a printer to share or archive information, or to simplify review of longer-format reports.

To print a report

1. Click  on the left side of the report window.
The Print Report dialog appears.
2. Select an output format and print range, and click OK.
A print preview appears in a new browser window.
3. Configure printer settings and print.

Chapter 11: Editing Business Process Rules

This section contains the following topics:

[Business Process Rule Concepts](#) (see page 149)

[Business Process Rule Types](#) (see page 150)

[How to Create and Edit Business Process Rules in the CA RCM Portal](#) (see page 156)

[How to Work with Business Policies in the CA RCM Portal](#) (see page 157)

Business Process Rule Concepts

A Business Process Rule (BPR) expresses business, provisioning, or security constraints as a logical condition that can be applied to the entities and links in a CA RCM configuration. For example:

<Purchasing> **forbidden to be** <Subcontractor Payments>

You can apply this statement to a CA RCM configuration to help ensure that workers, with privileges to order stock from subcontractors, do not have roles with privileges to issue checks to those subcontractors.

Typically a BPR is defined by specifying the following information:

- The type of rule—CA RCM provides a broad range of rules that let you examine and compare various entity values. The role type used in the example mentioned previously is Restrict access of users to roles by role access. This type of rule restricts the roles a user can have based on other roles they already have.
- The logical condition—in our example, users with certain roles are forbidden from having other roles. But you can also use this type of rule to allow or require users with certain roles to have other roles.
- Data sets and limit values—in our example, we define a set of roles related to purchasing functions, and another set of roles that grant payment privileges.

A Business Policy is a set of BPRs. This policy (saved as BPR document) exists independently of any specific configuration. The rules that comprise the policy can be adapted and applied to any CA RCM configuration to verify its logic, integrity, and compliance with policy.

More information:

[Business Process Rule Types](#) (see page 150)

Business Process Rule Types

Most rules describe a relationship between two groups of entities. You specify the members of these groups when you create or edit a rule. These groups are identified as A and B or Left and Right in BPR editing screens. The following table describes the various rule types available and the logical operator that each rule implements.

Role – Role (by Users)

If a configuration includes role sets A, B then the following is true:

Only <L> May have <R>

Only users that have roles in A (left) may have roles in B (right).

<L> Must have <R>

Users that have roles in A (left) must have roles in B (right).

<L> Forbidden to have <R>

Users that have roles in A (left) must not have roles in B (right).

<L> Only allowed to have <R>

Users that have roles in A (left) can only have roles in B (right), and no others.

Role – Role (by Roles)

If a configuration includes role sets A, B then the following is true:

Only <L> May have <R>

Only roles that have child roles in A (left) may have roles in B (right) as children

<L> Must have <R>

Roles that have child roles in A (left) must have roles in B (right) as children.

<L> Forbidden to have <R>

Roles that have child roles in A (left) must not have roles in B (right) as children.

<L> Only allowed to have <R>

Roles that have child roles in A (left) can only have roles in B (right) as children, and no others.

Role – Resource (by Users)

If a configuration includes role set A and resource set B then the following is true:

Only <L> May have <R>

Only users that have roles in A (left) may access resources in B (right).

<L> Must have <R>

Users that have roles in A (left) must access resources in B (right).

<L> Forbidden to have <R>

Users that have roles in A (left) are must not access resources in B (right).

<L> Only allowed to have <R>

Users that have roles in A (left) can only access resources in B (right), and no others.

Role – Resource (by Roles)

If a configuration includes role set A and resource set B then the following is true:

Only <L> May have <R>

Only roles that are parents of roles in A (left) may access resources in B (right).

<L> Must have <R>

Roles that are parents of roles in A (left) must access resources in B (right).

<L> Forbidden to have <R>

Roles that are parents of roles in A (left) must not access resources in B (right).

<L> Only allowed to have <R>

Roles that are parents of roles in A (left) can access only resources in B (right), and no others.

Resource – Resource (by Users)

If a configuration includes resource sets A, B then the following is true:

Only <L> May have <R>

Only users that can access resources in A (left) may access resources in B (right).

<L> Must have <R>

Users that can access resources in A (left) must access resources in B (right).

<L> Forbidden to have <R>

Users that can access resources in A (left) must not access resources in B (right).

<L> Only allowed to have <R>

Users that can access resources in A (left) can access only resources in B (right), and no others.

Resource – Resource (by Roles)

If a configuration includes resource sets A, B then the following is true:

Only <L> May have <R>

Only roles that include resources in A (left) may include resources in B (right).

<L> Must have <R>

Roles that include resources in A (left) must include resources in B (right).

<L> Forbidden to have <R>

Roles that include resources in A (left) must not include resources in B (right).

<L> Only allowed to have <R>

Roles that include resources in A (left) can include only resources in B (right), and no others.

User Attribute - Role

If a configuration includes User Attribute set A, and Role set B then the following is true:

Only <L> May have <R>

Only users with user attributes in A (left) may have roles in B (right).

<L> Must have <R>

Users with user attributes in A (left) must have roles in B (right).

<L> Forbidden to have <R>

Users with user attributes in A (left) are forbidden to have roles in B (right).

<L> Only allowed to have <R>

Users with user attributes in A (left) can have only roles in B (right), and no others.

User Attribute - Role Attribute

If a configuration includes User Attribute set A, and Role Attribute set B then the following is true:

Only <L> May have <R>

Only users with attributes in A (left) may have roles with attributes in B (right).

<L> Must have <R>

Users with attributes in A (left) must have roles with attributes in B (right).

<L> Forbidden to have <R>

Users with attributes in A (left) are forbidden to have roles with attributes in B (right).

<L> Only allowed to have <R>

Users with attributes in A (left) can have only roles with attributes in B (right), and no others.

User Attribute - Resource

If a configuration includes User Attribute set A, and Resource set B then the following is true:

Only <L> May have <R>

Only users with user attributes in A (left) may access resources in B (right).

<L> Must have <R>

Users with user attributes in A (left) must access resources in B (right).

<L> Forbidden to have <R>

Users with user attributes in A (left) are forbidden to access resources in B (right).

<L> Only allowed to have <R>

Users with attributes in A (left) can access only resources in B (right), and no others.

User Attribute - User Attribute

If a configuration includes User Attribute sets A and B then the following is true:

Only <L> May have <R>

Only users with user attributes in A (left) may have attributes in B (right).

<L> Must have <R>

Users with user attributes in A (left) must have attributes in B (right).

<L> Forbidden to have <R>

Users with user attributes in A (left) are forbidden to have attributes in B (right).

<L> Only allowed to have <R>

Users with attributes in A (left) can have only attributes in B (right), and no others.

Segregation of Duty Roles

For a set of roles L and a numeric value R:

Should have no more than <R> of <L>

Users should have no more than R of the roles in L.

Should have at least <R> of <L>

Users should have at least R of the roles in L.

Should have exactly <R> of <L>

Users must have exactly R of the roles in L.

Segregation of Duty Resources

For a set of resources L and a numeric value R:

Should have no more than <R> of <L>

Users should have no more than R of the resources in L.

Should have at least <R> of <L>

Users should have at least R of the resources in L.

Should have exactly <R> of <L>

Users must have exactly R of the resources in L.

User Counter of Roles

For a set of roles L and a numeric value R:

Should have no more than <R> Users

Roles in L should have no more than R users.

Should have at least <R> Users

Roles in L should have at least R users.

Should have exactly <R> Users

Roles in L must have exactly R users.

User Counter of Resources

For a set of resources L and a numeric value R:

Should have no more than <R> Users

Resources in L should have no more than R users.

Should have at least <R> Users

Resources in L should have at least R users.

Should have exactly <R> Users

Resources in L must have exactly R users.

User Attribute Value**Number <L> must be greater than <R>**

The numeric value of the User Attribute for the Left Entity must be greater than the numeric value listed in the Right Entity.

Number <L> must be less than <R>

The numeric value of the User Attribute for the Left Entity must be less than the numeric value listed in the Right Entity.

Number <L> must be equal to <R>

The numeric value of the User Attribute for the Left Entity must be equal to the numeric value listed in the Right Entity.

Date <L> must be earlier than <R>

The date for the User Attribute selected in the Left Entity must be earlier than the date listed in the Right Entity.

Date <L> must be later than <R>

The date for the User Attribute selected in the Left Entity must be later than the date listed in the Right Entity.

<L> Must match regular expression <R>

The value for the User Attribute selected in the Left Entity must match the value defined by the regular expression listed in the Right Entity.

<L> Must not match regular expression <R>

The value for the User Attribute selected in the Left Entity must not match the value defined by the regular expression listed in the Right Entity.

<L> Should be empty

The value for the User Attribute selected in the Left Entity should be empty.

<L> Should not be empty

The value for the User Attribute selected in the Left Entity should not be empty.

How to Create and Edit Business Process Rules in the CA RCM Portal

The BPR wizard simplifies creation of business process rules.

Note: When you edit an existing rule, the Edit BPR screen contains a subset of options from the wizard that are relevant to the type of rule you are editing.

Step through the screens of the wizard in the following way:

1. In the Basic Information screen, provide information that describes the scope and purpose of the rule. The following fields are not self-explanatory:

Score

A numeric value that defines the importance of a violation of this rule relative to violations of other rules in the policy.

Owner

Defines the user responsible for the rule.

Business Area/Business Process

Text fields that define the scope and purpose of the rule. These fields are descriptive and do not affect processing of the rule.

2. In the logic screen, specify values for the following fields to define the underlying logic of the rule:

Type

Specifies the type of entities, links, or attributes that are examined to identify violations.

Restriction

Specifies the constraint applied to examined entities.

3. In the Data screen, you define the entities that are examined. You can select individual entities, or specify attribute values to select a group of entities.

Many types of rules compare two sets of entities. In these cases the Data screen is divided into two areas, left and right, and the logic of the rule is stated in terms of these two groups.

For other types of rules you define numerical thresholds, date ranges, or text matching patterns.

4. The Summary screen displays rule settings, and lets you test the rule against the reference configuration before you create the rule.

How to Work with Business Policies in the CA RCM Portal

Follow these general procedures when you work with BPRs in the CA RCM Portal.

Note: You can also work with BPRs using the DNA client tool. There are several differences between the two editing interfaces. For example, in the DNA interface you can specify groups of entities by selecting them from an open configuration file. In the Portal, a wizard simplifies file editing. You can also use the Data Manager client tool to import BPRs into the database. For more information about BPR editing in DNA, see the *DNA User Guide* and the *Data Management User Guide*.

To access BPR tools, click Administration, BPR Management from the Portal. The BPR list screen appears. The table lists all business policy files in the database.

From this screen, you can perform the following actions:

- To create a business policy file click Create New.
- To edit an existing business policy file click Edit beside the file you want to edit.
- To run an existing business policy file on a configuration, click Run.
- To remove a business policy file from the database, click Delete beside the file you want to remove.

Create a Business Policy File in the CA RCM Portal

Create a business policy file to apply a set of BPRs to a CA RCM configuration.

To create a business policy file in the CA RCM Portal

1. In the CA RCM Portal, go to Administration, BPR Management.
The BPR list screen appears. The table lists all business policy files in the database.
2. Click Add New.
The Create BPR screen appears.
3. Specify the settings for the policy. The following field is not self-explanatory:

Reference Configuration

The configuration used to create and test the policy file.

Note: Business policy files are independent of configuration files. The reference configuration is only used to create and test the policy. You can apply the finished business policy to any configuration.

4. Specify optional behaviors for the policy file under Policy Attributes. Options include the following:

Read Only

Specifies whether you can edit the file.

Logged

Specifies whether changes to the file are recorded in the Transaction log.

Completed

This field is not currently used.

5. Click Save.
The business policy file is created in the database.
The Edit BPR screen appears.
6. Use the [editing tools of this screen](#) (see page 159) to define and modify rules in the policy.

More information:

[Edit a Business Policy File in the CA RCM Portal](#) (see page 159)

Run Business Policy Rules in the CA RCM Portal

When you apply a business policy file to a configuration, CA RCM analyzes the configuration to find entities and links that violate the rules of the policy. The result is an audit card that contains all violations of policy that were found in the configuration.

To run business policy files in the CA RCM portal

1. Click Administration, BPR Management from the Portal main menu.
The BPR list screen appears. The table lists all business policy rules in the database.
2. Click Run.
The Run BPRs screen appears.
3. Specify values for the following fields:

Audit Card

Defines the name of the audit card that contains any violations found in the target configuration.

Configuration

Specifies a configuration file in the database that is the target for business policy analysis.

4. In the Select BPRs area of the screen, select the business policy files you want to apply to the target configuration.
5. Click Run.

The audit card is created, and analysis of the configuration file begins. If no violations are found, the empty audit card is deleted from the database.

Edit a Business Policy File in the CA RCM Portal

You can change various settings of business policy file, or edit the policy rules in the file.

To edit a business policy file in the CA RCM Portal

1. Click Administration, BPR Management from the Portal main menu.
The BPR list screen appears. The table lists all business policy files in the database.
2. Click Edit next to the file you want to edit.
The Edit BPR screen appears.
3. Modify settings for the policy file. The following fields are not self-explanatory:

Reference Configuration

The configuration used to create and test the policy file.

Note: Business policy files are independent of configuration files. The reference configuration is only used to create and test the policy file. You can apply the finished business policy to any configuration.

4. Specify optional behaviors for the policy file in the Policy Attributes area of the screen. Options include:

Read Only

Specifies whether others can edit the file.

Logged

Specifies whether changes to the file are recorded in the Transaction log.

Completed

This field not currently used.

5. The table in the center of the screen lists rules in the policy. To modify the rules, perform one of the following actions:
 - Click Add Rule to [create a rule](#) (see page 156).
 - Click Edit next to a rule to [modify an existing rule](#) (see page 156).

- Click Delete next to a rule to remove it from the policy file.
 - Click Test to test the rule set against the reference configuration.
6. Click Save.

Changes to the policy file are saved in the database.

Chapter 12: Using Administration Functions

The administration menu provides a number of important processes that can be run only by administrators with the appropriate permissions.

This section contains the following topics:

[Using the Ticket Management System](#) (see page 161)

[Import and Export Connectors](#) (see page 165)

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[CA Enterprise Log Manager Integration](#) (see page 193)

[Help Desk Integration](#) (see page 201)

[The Transaction Log](#) (see page 204)

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[Cache Manipulation](#) (see page 206)

[Repair CA RCM Configuration, User, and Resource Files](#) (see page 207)

[Purging Data](#) (see page 209)

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[RACI Operations](#) (see page 218)

[System Checkup](#) (see page 220)

[How to Extract CA RCM Data](#) (see page 221)

Using the Ticket Management System

CA RCM implements data connector jobs and other administrative tasks using a ticket-based process management system. You administer these ticket queues in different screens from the screens used for business workflows.

Inbox Views

Access the following predefined ticket queue screens under Inbox on the CA RCM main menu:

Open/New/Done

Presents tickets whose state is Open, New or Done.

New Tickets

Presents new tickets.

Overdue Tickets

Presents the tickets whose end date has already passed.

Approver Tickets

Presents the current user's Approver tickets.

Note: This screen is always empty. Use the My Tasks, My Requests, or Workflows screens to work with approval actions of business workflows.

Campaign Tickets

Presents Campaign tickets.

Note: This screen is always empty. Use the My Tasks, My Requests, or Workflows screens to work with tasks and actions of certification campaigns.

Archived Tickets

Presents tickets that were sent to be archived.

Tickets are grouped in tree structures based on the administrative process to which they are related.

More information:

[Fields in Workflow Screens](#) (see page 56)

Administrator View / User View

The Admin View/User View button toggles between two views of the ticket queue:

User View

The queue displays only tickets for processes that the user initiated..

Admin View

The queue displays all tickets in the system, even those that were created by other managers.

The Admin View option is only available to the super administrator. The buttons only appear for users that are linked to the role defined in `eurekify.properties` as the system administrator role. The default, out-of-the-box option is:

```
sage.admin.role=CA RCM Admin Role
```

More information:

[Security and Permissions](#) (see page 227)

[CA RCM Properties](#) (see page 247)

The Ticket Properties Form

When you click on a ticket a dialogue window shows detailed information for the ticket. The content of this window depends on the type of ticket you view.

The top part of the screen is always the same and contains the ticket information:

Field	Description
<Ticket Title>	The type of ticket you are viewing appears in the screen's first line.
Ticket ID	Each ticket has a distinct ticket ID number.
Owner	The owner of the specific ticket. The functionality of the ticket changes according to who is viewing the ticket. Only the owner will have access to all the functions available for the specific ticket type.
Previous Owner	During campaigns or approval processes, tickets may be delegated/escalated to other managers. If a ticket was sent to the owner from another user, that user's name (not the current owner) appears in this field.
Status	Provides the ticket status.
Due Date	Each ticket has a due date, by which the action(s) ascribed to the ticket have to be performed.
Priority	Shows the current priority level. The available options are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Low ■ Normal ■ Rush ■ Critical
Severity	Shows the current severity level. The available options are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Minimal ■ Medium ■ Serious ■ Urgent ■ Critical
State	Shows the current ticket's state. The possibilities are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ New ■ Open ■ Hidden ■ Done ■ Archived ■ Canceled
Modified Date	Shows the date and time when the content of the ticket was last modified.

Field	Description
Date Created	Shows the date and time when the ticket was first created.
Title	The ticket's title.
Description	A description of the ticket.

Advanced Ticket Functions

Advanced ticket functionality depends on the ticket type and is available only to the ticket owner. Click Advanced at the bottom of the Ticket Properties Form to access the advanced ticket functions.

Most non-info type tickets have the following functionality:

Add Comments

Click to add a comment to the ticket.

Add Attachments

Click to add an attachment to the ticket.

View Transaction Log

Click to view the ticket's transaction log.

Additional functions such as the option to view the ticket initiators, view violations or view the relevant user depend on the ticket type.

View Transaction Log

The transaction log provides a history of the ticket-related actions executed since the creation of the ticket.

The View Transaction Log table provides the following information:

Date

The date when the transaction took places.

User

Full user name.

Action

The type of action taken.

Message

A full description of the action taken.

To view the campaign's transaction log

1. Click Advanced at the bottom of the Ticket Properties Form.
2. Click View Transaction Log.

The View Transaction Log table opens in a separate browser window.

3. Click Close to close the pop-up.

TMS Administration

CA RCM implements data connector jobs and other administrative tasks using a ticket-based process management system. To access global administration tools for the Ticket Management System (TMS), go to Administration, Settings, TMS Administration.

Tickets generally remain in the system, and are archived.

Important! We recommended you back up your system before deleting the system ticket and ticket types.

The TMS Administration utility enables you to delete the following:

- All Tickets
- All Tickets Types

Click Delete next to the option that you want to execute. After deletion, a confirmation message appears.

Import and Export Connectors

Connectors are defined for importing and exporting user and user privileges (entities and the links between them) from corporate systems into CA RCM. At the end of an audit process, CA RCM compares the original configuration that was imported from an endpoint to the new configuration. CA RCM then applies changes that result from implementing corporate policies and regulatory compliance to the configuration variance between the original and the updated configuration. The resulting configuration is exported back to the endpoint using export connectors.

The type of connector that you are using determines where you perform the import and export. The CA RCM Portal enables you to define these import or export connectors:

- Import Connectors
 - Custom Executable
 - CA RCM Configuration Document (CFG)
 - Generic Feed (CSV)

- Database Configuration
- CA Identity Manager
- Pentaho Data Integration (PDI)
- CA RCM Client Batch (SBT)

Note: Running the CA RCM Client Batch (SBT) connector from the portal is not supported on AIX and Linux.

Note: CFG files created on a Windows machine cannot be imported on a Linux machine.

- Export Connectors
 - Custom Executable
 - Database Configuration
 - CA Identity Manager

Note: Connectors are defined explicitly as either an import connector or an export connector.

Some user and user privileges must be imported directly into CA RCM using the Import option in the CA RCM Data Management (DM) client tool. The Import option enables importing from the following endpoints:

- Import
 - CSV files
 - LDIF files
 - Active Directory
 - RACF
 - TSS
 - UNIX
 - SAP
 - Windows Shared Folder
 - ITIM
 - Control SA
- Export:
 - Active Directory
 - RACF
 - SQL Database
 - CSV files

- ITIM V4.5 and V4.6
- Control SA

Note: For more information, see the *DNA Data Management User Guide*.

Important! Some connectors exist in both the CA RCM portal and the CA RCM Data Management client tool. In these cases, we recommend running the connector located in the CA RCM portal for the following reasons:

- The job definition is saved on the portal, letting you repeat import and export tasks.
- Retrieved data is integrated directly into the universe.
- New data can be automatically synchronized with RACI definitions of the configuration.
- New user records can be automatically enriched with data from Human Resources records or other sources.

CA RCM Connectors

The following *import* connectors are available through the CA RCM portal:

Custom Executable

Allows you to write a script or executable in any language (Perl, C++, C#, Java, and so on) for importing data into CA RCM.

The executable must create 7 CSV files (Users.udb, Resources.rdb, Roles.csv, UserRole.csv, UserResource.csv, RoleRole.csv, RoleResource.csv), and CA RCM imports the information from those files.

CA RCM Configuration Document (CFG)

Reads a CA RCM file that represents a snapshot of privileges and role definitions.

Note: CFG files created on a Windows machine cannot be imported on a Linux machine.

Generic Feed (CSV)

Reads CSV files as input, then creates a CA RCM configuration. The CSV (Comma Separated Values) format is the most common import and export format for spreadsheets and databases. CSV files can then be manipulated and extended using simple tools such as Excel, if necessary.

The Generic Feed uses seven CSV files as input, with each individual file representing one entity type (such as users database and resources databases) or one relation between two entity types (roles). Some of the files are optional and if not specified at the time of import are assumed to be empty. The connector produces one output file, which is the CA RCM configuration file.

Database Configuration

Allows for importing information from a CA RCM configuration (in the database) into the master and model configurations.

CA Identity Manager

Integrates CA RCM with CA Identity Manager by automatically synchronizing role-based privileges between the two systems. Use the connector to import CA Identity Manager data.

Note: For more information about the connector for CA Identity Manager, see the *Connector for CA Identity Manager Guide*.

Pentaho Data Integration (PDI)

Invokes Pentaho Data Integration (PDI) transformations and jobs. This feature allows for complex ETL (Extract, Transform, and Load) operations during data import. To use the PDI connector, set the *pdi.home* property to the path where PDI is located on your system.

CA RCM Client Batch (SBT)

Executes batch processing. You may need to specify dynamic parameters for file names that are defined in the SBT files.

Note: Running the CA RCM Client Batch (SBT) connector from the portal is not supported on AIX and Linux.

The following *export* connectors are available through the CA RCM portal:

Custom Executable

Allows you to write a script or executable in any language (Perl, C++, C#, Java, and so on) for exporting data from CA RCM.

The executable must create a [DIFF file](#) (see page 169) in the CA RCM DIFF file format, and CA RCM reads the DIFF file and applies the changes.

Database Configuration

Allows for exporting information from one CA RCM model configuration to another configuration in the database.

CA Identity Manager

The connector for CA Identity Manager lets you integrate CA RCM with CA Identity Manager by automatically synchronizing role-based privileges between the two systems. Use the connector to export updated data from CA RCM to CA Identity Manager.

The DIFF File

When comparing two configurations in CA RCM, one file generated is the differences (DIFF) file. The DIFF file identifies the changes that occur in a configuration, and is the basis for all [custom executable](#) (see page 167) connectors.

Each line in a DIFF file identifies one difference. The following table shows examples of lines that appear in a CA RCM DIFF file with an explanation of what each line indicates:

Line in DIFF File	Explanation
DIFF,ORIGCFG,SQL://sa@marro31w7.eurekify_sdb/ConfigWithRoles.cfg	The first line of a DIFF file that defines the original configuration the DIFF file was created from.
DIFF,UPDCFG,SQL://sa@marro31w7.eurekify_sdb/ConfigWithRoles2.cfg	The second line of a DIFF file that defines the updated configuration the DIFF file was created from.
DIFF,REMOVEDROLE,"RBR"	A line whose second field is REMOVEDROLE denotes that a role is deleted from the configuration. The third field is the name of the removed role.
DIFF,REMOVEDROLERES,"RBR","e-mail","outlook","WinNT"	A line whose second field is REMOVEDROLERES denotes that a resource is removed from a role. The third field is the name of the role and the following fields are the resource names.
DIFF,REMOVEDROLEUSER,"RBR","54672910"	A line whose second field is REMOVEDROLEUSER denotes that a user is removed from a role. The third field is the name of role and the fourth field is the name of the user.
DIFF,NEWROLE,"NewRole",DESCRIPTION:"New Role Description",ORG:"IT",ORG2:"IT2",ORG3:"Cooperate",OWNER:"67762440",TYPE:"Org Role",REVIEWER:"",FILTER:"Organization=IT;",CREATE DATE:"Thu Dec 02 11:12:09 2010",APPROVAL DATE:"Thu Dec 02 11:11:29 2010",EXPIRATION DATE:"None"	A line whose second field is NEWROLE denotes that a role is added to the configuration. The following fields are the attributes of the new role.

Line in DIFF File	Explanation
DIFF,NEWROLEUSER,"NewRole","67283470"	A line whose second field is NEWROLEUSER denotes that a user is added to a role. The third field is the name of the role and the fourth field is the name of the user.
DIFF,NEWROLERES,"NewRole","UG5AVE MGR","NT5AVE","WinNT"	A line whose second field is NEWROLERES denotes that a resource is added to a role. The third field is the name of the role and the following fields are the resource names.
DIFF,NEWROLEROLE,"NewRole","ADM P U R"	A line whose second field is NEWROLEROLE denotes that a sub-role is added to a role. The third field is the name of the parent role and the fourth field is the name of the child role.
DIFF,COMMONROLEDIFFFIELD,"ADMNMG R","DESCRIPTION","Sage Role","A modified description"	A line whose second field is COMMONROLEDIFFFIELD denotes that a role is updated. The following fields are the attributes that were updated.
DIFF,COMMONUSERNEWRES,"84774660","Domain Users","NTSTAM","WinNT"	A line whose second field is COMMONUSERNEWRES denotes that a resource is added to a user. The third field is the name of the user and the following fields are the resource names.
DIFF,COMMONUSERREMOVEDRES,"99883110","\\Documents\\Employees","NT5AVE","WinNT"	A line whose second field is COMMONUSERREMOVEDRES denotes that a resource is removed from a user. The third field is the name of the user and the following fields are the resource names.

How to Define Connectors in the CA RCM Portal

Define import and export connectors in the CA RCM portal by using the Connector Settings screen. The Connector Settings screen provides the following connector tables:

- Imports
- Exports

Each table displays a list of available connectors, and provides the options to Edit, Delete, Run, or Schedule a connector. The Add New button, located above each table, enables you to configure a new import or export connector.

Define an Import Connector

CA RCM import connectors import data from endpoint systems.

Note: For more information, see the *DNA Data Management User Guide*.

To define an import connector

1. Log in to the CA RCM portal as an administrator.
2. Go to Administration, Settings.
The list of available options appears.
3. Click Connector Settings.
The Connector Settings screen opens.
4. Above the Imports table, click Add New.
The Add New Import screen appears.
5. Provide the following information for the connector in the Workflow Information section:

Import client name

Defines the name for the import connector.

Description

Defines the description of the import connector, such as the connector's use, timing, and so on.

Universe

Specifies the universe that is associated with the import connector. The data obtained through this connector is imported into the universe's master configuration files. If it is an initial import and there are no pre-existing configuration files, the import process creates the configuration files.

Note: Before you can run a connector job, explicitly declare a login field for the universe and [verify that the connector maps the endpoint data to this field](#) (see page 176).

(Optional) Enrichment User Database

Defines an existing user database (.udb) file that CA RCM uses to enrich new user records during data polling. Data is imported from a specific endpoint, however, you can enrich the original data by adding additional information from a second source. For example, you can download user information from a security-related endpoint, and then enrich the data by accessing additional information from a human resources database. This data could include user addresses which were not available from the primary source of information.

Note: Enter the file name, but do not enter the .udb suffix. For example, enter **enrich** to reference the enrich.udb file.

Ticket Template

Specifies the ticket format that is used to track the job in your Inbox. Select FlowTicketforImport_V0.8.

Workflow process name

Specifies the Workpoint business process that CA RCM uses to implement the connector job. Select Import Configuration.

Max duration time

Defines an estimated processing time for the job. If the job continues beyond this time limit, CA RCM lists the job as overdue in your Inbox, but continues to process it.

Priority

Specifies the importance of the job relative to other tasks in your Inbox.

Severity

Specifies the importance of errors generated during job processing, relative to other tasks in your Inbox.

6. Select the Connector Type in the Connector Information section and provide values for all the properties that appear. On-screen text provides more information beside each property.
7. Click Save.

The import connector is defined and now appears in the Imports table.

Enrichment User Database

During data import, CA RCM can add information to the empty fields of new user records. For example, human resources data or other organizational information is used to enrich new user records.

The enrichment values are drawn from an existing user database. To implement data enrichment, specify the database when you define the connector job. The data in this enrichment database overwrites any imported field values.

The following CA RCM system properties control this feature.

hr.enrichment.clear_empty

Specifies how empty fields in the enrichment database affect imported data.

True

Omits values during data import when the corresponding field in the enrichment database is empty.

False

Writes imported values to the target CA RCM configuration when the corresponding field in the enrichment database is empty.

hr.enrichment.clear_missing

Specifies how missing fields in the enrichment database affect imported data.

True

Omits values during data import when the corresponding field in the enrichment database is missing.

False

Writes imported values to the target CA RCM configuration when the corresponding field in the enrichment database is missing.

Automatic RACI Synchronization

The CA RCM server uses [RACI subconfigurations](#) (see page 218) to control end-user access to CA RCM portal functions. When you import new user records into a configuration, you can automatically enroll these new users in that configuration's RACI hierarchy.

If an imported user does not have a login name (LoginID field is blank), they cannot access the CA RCM portal. The automatic RACI synchronization process flags these users, and notifies the portal administrator.

Define an Export Connector

CA RCM export connectors export data to endpoint systems.

Note: For more information, see the *DNA Data Management User Guide*.

To define an export connector

1. Log in to the CA RCM portal as an administrator.
2. Go to Administration, Settings.

The list of available options appears.

3. Click Connector Settings.
The Connector Settings screen opens.
4. Above the Exports table, click Add New.
The Add New Export screen appears.
5. Provide the following information for the connector:

Export client name

Defines the name for the export connector.

Description

Defines the description of the export connector, such as the connectors use, timing, and so on.

Universe

Specifies the universe to be associated with the connector.

Note: Before you can run a connector job, explicitly declare a login field for the universe and verify that the connector maps the endpoint data to this field.

Ticket Template

Specifies the ticket format that is used to track the job in your Inbox. Select FlowTicketforExport_V0.4.

Workflow process name

Specifies the Workpoint business process that CA RCM uses to implement the connector job. Select one of the following:

- Export Master Model Deltas with model auto fix—creates an audit card that contains all the new roles that need to be created in order to fix the model. Use with CA Identity Manager connector only.
- Export Master Model Deltas
- Export Master Model Deltas with model fix—creates an error ticket with links to the audit card, when errors are found in the model. Use with CA Identity Manager connector only.

Max duration time

Defines an estimated processing time for the job. If the job continues beyond this time limit, CA RCM lists the job as overdue in your Inbox, but continues to process it.

Priority

Specifies the importance of the job relative to other tasks in your Inbox.

Severity

Specifies the importance of errors generated during job processing, relative to other tasks in your Inbox.

6. Select the Connector Type and provide values for all the properties that appear under Connector Information. On-screen text provides more information beside each property.
7. Click Save.

The export connector is defined and now appears in the Exports table.

Export to CA Identity Manager AutoFix

The export process to CA Identity Manager has been enhanced to automatically fix errors in the model configuration. When creating a CA Identity Manager connector, you can select one of the following new workflow processes:

- Export Master Model Deltas with model auto fix—creates an audit card that contains all the new roles to create to fix the model.
- Export Master Model Deltas with model fix—if errors are found in the model, creates an error ticket with links to the audit card.

If you select one of the previous workflow processes, the following logic is applied to CA RCM data before exporting it into CA Identity Manager:

- When connecting a resource to a provisioning role, the resource is linked to the account template belonging to the same provisioning role on the endpoint where the account template resides. If there is no such account template, CA RCM creates it.
- When connecting a parent account template to a child provisioning role, the link direction is inverted.
- When creating a CA RCM role, the type is set as follows:
 - If the role type is "Role" or "Provisioning Role", it is exported as a provisioning role.

The role type is set to the default value of the connector.

If the role has directly linked resources, they are moved to the linked account templates, as mentioned previously.
 - If the role type is "Policy", "Provisioning Policy", or "Account Template", it is exported as an account template.

The role type is set to the default value of the connector.

If the role does not start with a valid endpoint type, the creation fails with a detailed message.

If the role has directly linked users, the addition fails with a detailed message.

If the role has resources that are not of the relevant endpoint type, the addition fails with a detailed message.
 - If a role has no type, it is exported as a provisioning role. All details for this export are as previously described.

Run or Schedule a Connector Job

You can run predefined connector jobs that exchange data with external systems.

To run or schedule a connector job

1. [Declare a login field for the universe](#) (see page 176), and verify that the connector maps endpoint data to this field.
2. In the CA RCM portal, go to Administration, Settings, and click Connector Settings.
The Connector Settings screen appears.
3. Do *one* of the following:
 - Click Run adjacent to the connector job you want to run. A confirmation window appears. Click OK. The connector job begins immediately.
 - Schedule the future execution of a connector job, as follows:
 - a. Click Schedule.
The New Connector Scheduled Task dialog appears.
 - b. Complete the following fields:
 - First execution—Specifies the date and time at which the job is first run.
 - Additional repeats—Defines the number of times you want to run the job. Enter the value -1 to define an unending series.
 - Repeat interval—Defines the time period between executions in the series.
 - a. Click OK.
The schedule is saved and the connector job runs at the scheduled times.

Verify Mapping of the Login Field

When CA RCM creates new user records based on endpoint data, it automatically creates accounts for these users in the CA RCM portal. To support this, the connector job must map a valid value to the login field of the target universe.

To verify mapping of the login field

1. Verify that the target universe has a defined login field, as follows:
 - a. In the CA RCM portal, go to Administration, Settings, and click Universe Settings.
The Universe settings screen appears.
 - b. Locate the universe you specified for the connector job, and click Edit.
The Edit screen appears.

- c. Verify that the Configuration login field refers to an existing field in the Universe. If the Configuration login field is blank, define it by selecting a field.
 - d. Note the name of the Configuration login field.
2. Verify that the connector maps data to the login field, as follows:
 - a. Open the mapping XML file you specified for the connector job.
 - b. Locate the line that maps the Login field. The line contains the following term:
`host='Login'`
 - c. Verify that endpoint data is mapped to this field in the **guest** term. If this mapping is blank, define it by specifying an endpoint data field.

Import and Export Tickets

When an import or export operation fails, the CA RCM portal generates an Error Ticket.

The Error ticket provides the following functionality:

Close

Closes the ticket.

Save

Saves any changes made to the ticket.

Delegate

Transfers the ticket to another manager.

Escalate

Transfers the ticket to another manager.

Acknowledge

Disabled until the process is completed. Click this button to complete and archive the ticket.

Handle

Verifies that if multiple users received this error ticket, only one will handle it. After one user clicks this button, the functional buttons for this ticket will be disabled in the other users' ticket.

Terminate job

Manually terminates the currently running job.

[\(CA Identity Manager Export only\) Fix](#) (see page 175)

Fixes the job and continues with the export.

Clean up

Cleans up the temp files prior to terminating the job.

More information:

[The Ticket Properties Form](#) (see page 162)

How to Define and Run a Multi-Import Job

You can use the multi-import feature to group several import jobs that update a single universe. The result is a single job that imports data from several sources and merges them into one configuration file.

The following two steps implement a multi-import job:

1. [Define a multi-import job](#) (see page 178) and each of its connectors in the CA RCM portal.
2. [Run or schedule](#) (see page 176) this multi-import job using the job scheduling tools of the CA RCM portal.

When the multi-import job merges data from several sources, it reconciles the data mappings of the various sources. The resulting configuration file may not match the data scheme of existing configurations in the universe. Note the following:

- If you [use a multi-import job to populate a new, empty universe](#) (see page 180), the merged configuration defines the default data scheme of the universe. This example is the most common use of multi-import.
- If you use multi-import to import data into an existing universe, verify that all the data sources have data mappings that match each other and the universe.

Define a Multi-Import Job

You can define a multi-import job in the CA RCM portal. Run this job to import data from several sources automatically.

Note the following:

- When using multiple configuration files as data sources, all the files must have the same schema as the target universe, for example, all files must use the same field for PersonID, the same field for email, and so on.
- Multi-import does not correlate imported user information from several data sources. To identify likely matches, overlap, and duplicates between multiple data sources, see the UUID documentation in the *Data Management User Guide*.

To define a multi-import job

1. Log in to the CA RCM portal as an administrator.
2. Go to Administration, Settings, and click Multi Import.
The Multi Import main screen appears.
3. Click Add New.
The Multi Import editing screen appears.
4. Enter values for the Name and Description fields of the multi-import job.
5. Specify the Universe to update from the Universe drop-down list.
6. Add an import task to the multi-import job, as follows:
 - a. Select the type of import job you want from the Select Connector Import Implementation drop-down list.
 - b. Click Configure & Add To Merge.
A configuration screen appears. Fields for the type of import job you selected are listed.
 - c. Provide values for all connector properties that appear.
 - d. Click Done.
The new import task appears in the table.
7. Repeat Step 6 to define as many import tasks as you need.
8. (Optional) Click Delete in the row of an import task you want to remove.
9. Set the completion level for the job as follows:
 - a. Click Manage Groups link at the top right of the screen.
The Manage groups window appears.
 - b. Click Edit to edit the default group.
The Group window appears.

- c. Edit the Completion Level field.

Note: This field defines the percentage of import tasks that must complete successfully for the multi-import job to be successful. For example, if a multi-import job contains 20 tasks, and its Completion Level is set to 75, then the job is successful if 15 of those tasks complete successfully ($15/20=75$ percent). **Default:** 100

- d. Click Save twice.

The completion level is set for the job, and the Multi Import screen displays.

10. In the Multi Import editing screen, click Save.

The Multi Imports main screen appears. The new multi-import job is listed in the Multi Imports table.

Use a Multi-Import Job to Populate an Empty Universe

A multi-import job enables you to build a new universe with CA RCM data. You can define and run a single job that automates the following processes:

- Data import from several provisioning nodes or other sources
- Reconciliation of field mapping across data sources
- Data merges from various import connectors
- Configuration generation with a best-fit data scheme
- Universe population with imported data

The multi-import process expects to find a master and model configuration in the target universe. When you run a multi-import job based on an empty universe, you use the process ticket in the Inbox to create the master and model configuration files.

To use a multi-import job to populate an empty universe

1. Define a new universe in the CA RCM portal. Specify dummy names for the master and model configurations. Do not use names of existing configurations.
2. [Define a multi-import job](#) (see page 178). Select the universe defined in Step 1.
3. [Run the job](#) (see page 176).

4. Click Inbox on the CA RCM portal main menu.

Your Inbox appears, containing a Multi Import ticket and an Error Handling ticket for the multi-import job.

5. Double-click the Error Handling ticket.

A Ticket Properties Form dialog opens.

6. Open the More section of the form. The following message appears:

Results for checking if database contains master and model configuration as defined in universe [*universe_name*]: The master configuration [*master_name*] Does not exist in the database, The model configuration [*model_name*] Does not exist in the database

Note: *universe_name*, *master_name*, and *model_name* are the names you specified when you defined the new universe.

7. Click Handle.

The Create Universe button appears.

8. Click Create Universe.

The error is resolved.

9. Return to the Inbox and click Refresh.

The queue lists a new Error Handling ticket.

10. Double-click the Error Handling ticket.

A Ticket Properties Form dialog opens.

11. Open the More section of the form. The following message appears:

Failed to compare the universe master configuration with the Permissions configuration. The universe [*universe_name*] does not have "LoginID" field mapping, please go to Administration > Settings > Universe Settings and map the "LoginID" field.

12. Click Handle.

The Skip Synchronization button appears.

13. Click Skip Synchronization.

The error is resolved. The Multi Import job proceeds.

Note: You can open the Multi Import ticket to monitor the progress of the job.

Workflow and Campaign Administration

Define Table Formats for the My Tasks Overview Screen

You can customize the table layout that is used to display groups of workflow actions in the My Tasks queues of participating reviewers.

Mandatory columns cannot be removed from table displays. Red text and a locked padlock icon indicate mandatory columns in customization screens and dialogs. Some mandatory columns are hard-coded defaults in CA RCM. Administrators can define additional mandatory columns.

Use the following procedure to define default table layouts for the My Tasks *overview* screen.

Note: You use another procedure to define default table layouts for *action details* screens of the My Tasks queue.

To define table formats for the My Tasks overview screen

1. In the CA RCM portal, go to Administration, Workflow Settings, Workflow Inbox Display Settings.

The Workflow Inbox Display Settings screen contains four table headers. The General Tasks, User Tasks, Role Tasks, and Resources Tasks headers show the table layouts used to display groups of actions in the My Tasks overview screen.

2. Customize the table layout as follows:
 - a. Click Customize on a table header you want to modify.
The Customize dialog appears.
 - b. Use the arrow keys to add or remove columns, and to order the columns.
 - c. When you finish customizing the columns, click OK.
 - d. Click the lock icon next to the column name to make the column mandatory. Users can move a mandatory column, but they cannot remove it.

Note: Mandatory columns appear in red.

3. Click Apply Changes.

CA RCM displays groups of user actions in the table formats you specified.

Default Workflow Action Options

You can control the tools that are available to business users when they handle actions in their My Tasks queue, or manage business workflows in their My Requests queue. The following system properties enable optional controls in these screens.

Note: These properties also affect the Workflow Administration screens used by CA RCM administrators.

The following system property controls group handling of actions in action details screens:

businessflows.reviewers.default.allowSelectAll

Determines whether reviewers can handle all actions in a table as a group. When this Boolean property is true, action detail tables display checkboxes in the Approve, Reject, and Reassign column headers. Reviewers select these check boxes to apply a decision to all the links in the table. This property also determines the default behavior for campaigns: when this property is true, the Enable managers to select an entire column option in the Reviewers screen of the Add Campaign wizard is selected by default.

The following system properties let users handle groups of actions from the My Tasks overview screen:

businessflows.inbox.approveRejectAll.enabled

Determines whether reviewers can approve or reject groups of actions in the My Tasks overview screen. When this Boolean property is true, the My Tasks overview screen displays Assign and Reject columns. Users can approve or reject groups of actions listed in the screen. They can also select checkboxes in the Approve and Reject column headers to apply a decision to the entire contents of a table.

businessflows.inbox.reassignAll.enabled

Determines whether reviewers can reassign groups of actions in the My Tasks overview screen. When this Boolean property is true, the My Tasks overview screen displays the Reassign column. Users can reassign groups of actions listed in the screen. They can also select check boxes in the Reassign column headers to reassign the entire contents of a table.

More information:

[Enable Grouped Review of Actions](#) (see page 68)

[Reassign Links to Another Reviewer](#) (see page 44)

How to Customize Email Behavior

By default, the CA RCM server sends emails at various stages of certification campaigns, and for self-service requests. These emails use a set of templates stored in the server.

You can customize this behavior in several ways:

- You can create customized templates that include additional explanations or comments specific to your organization.
- You can disable emails by default for certain events.

When you create a certification campaign, you can enable or disable emails for each event of the campaign, and specify which template is used for each type of email.

Create a Custom Email Template

You can customize templates to include additional explanations or comments specific to your organization, or to particular business cases. For example, you can create a set of email templates for certification of user privileges by direct managers, and another set of templates for recertification by higher level managers. You select which templates to use when you create each campaign.

Templates can use parameter fields to insert personalized data in the email, similar to a mail-merge facility.

Email aggregation consolidates multiple email requests of the same type addressed to the same person. For example: In a user certification campaign, a manager certifies the privileges of all their workers. The campaign generates several review action emails to the manager, one for each worker. CA RCM aggregates these email requests, and sends only one email to the manager.

When you compose an e-mail template, consider aggregation. The same template is used for one or several actions.

We recommend that you base your first customized template for an email trigger event on the [default CA RCM template](#) (see page 187) defined for that event.

To create a custom email template

1. In the CA RCM portal, go to Administration, Settings, E-mail, Templates.
The E-mail Templates screen appears.
2. (Recommended) To base the new template on an existing template for the email trigger:
 - a. Click Load.
The New Template dialog appears.
 - b. Select an existing template from the Select drop-down list and click OK.
The existing template appears in an editing screen. The Save button is dimmed.
 - c. Click Save As and rename the template.
3. To start with a new, blank template:
 - a. Click New.
The New Template dialog appears.
 - b. Select the trigger event that uses this template from the E-mail Event drop-down list.
 - c. Specify a name for the template.
 - d. Click OK.
The template editing screen appears.
4. Edit the template text.
5. (Optional) To add a parameter field:
 - a. In the Subject or Body areas of the template, position your cursor where you want to insert the field.
 - b. Locate the parameter in the Parameters list below the template editing window.
 - c. Click Add to Subject or Add to Body next to the field.
The parameter is inserted into the template. When e-mails are sent, the parameter is replaced with actual data.
6. (Optional) Insert [HTML code in the template](#) (see page 186) text.
7. Click Save to save the template.

HTML Elements in Email Templates

You can insert HTML elements in email templates to add hyperlinks or to format text. Because CA RCM converts the template into an email with HTML formatting, you enclose html elements in <html> tags. CA RCM inserts content within the <html> tags directly into the email body.

Email templates do not support style sheets or JavaScript code.

Note: If you are using a Lotus Notes email client, issues with the
 tag in an HTML template may occur. The issues occur because CA RCM adds an escape character (/) to the
 tag by default, as follows:
. To prevent these issues, add the following system property in Administration, Settings, Property Settings:

html.linebreak

Set the value of the property to
.

Once this property is set, you can change
 to
.

Example: Insert a Hyperlink

The following code in a template creates hyperlinks to information pages on the CompanyWeb website:

For more information:

```
<html>
<a href="http://CompanyWeb.com/Certification.html">What is a Certification
Campaign?</a><br>
<a href="http://CompanyWeb.com/RBAC.html">What is Role Based Access Control?</a>
</html>
```

The code generates the following hyperlinks in the email sent to users:

More information:

[What is a Certification Campaign?](http://CompanyWeb.com/Certification.html)

[What is Role Based Access Control?](http://CompanyWeb.com/RBAC.html)

Enable Emails and Assign a Template

Several events trigger emails. You can disable emails for any event, or assign a custom template for emails triggered by the event.

You must [create a custom template](#) (see page 184) before you can assign it to an event.

Note: You need administrator-level rights in the CA RCM Portal to perform this procedure.

To enable emails and assign a template

1. In the CA RCM portal, click Administration, Settings, E-mail, Events.
The E-mail Events window displays a list of events that trigger emails.
Note: This screen displays legacy events and templates from previous versions of CA RCM. Legacy events are listed at the top of the table, and have separate Aggregation Templates. Do not activate these events.
2. Select the events you want to trigger emails. Clear events that you do not want to trigger e-mails.
3. (Optional) Select an alternative template for the event in the Template drop-down list of the event.
4. Click Save to save settings.
The selected events are enabled and templates assigned.

Default Email Templates

CA RCM provides the following default email templates:

Reassign Campaign Tasks

Sent to the user who receives a reassigned certification task.

Default templates: CampaignReassignDefault, Agg.CampaignReassignDefault

Campaign Escalation Email

Sent when the campaign owner initiates escalation emails.

Default templates: ApproverDefault, Agg.ApproverDefault, ManagerDefault, Manager2-Default, Manager3-Default

Start User Campaign

Sent to a user who creates a user certification campaign.

Default templates: UserCampaignNotificationDefault, Agg.UserCampaignNotificationDefault

Start Role Campaign

Sent to a user who creates a role certification campaign.

Default templates: RoleCampaignNotificationDefault,
Agg.RoleCampaignNotificationDefault

Start Resource Campaign

Sent to a user who creates a resource certification campaign.

Default templates: ResourceCampaignNotificationDefault,
Agg.ResourceCampaignNotificationDefault

Campaign Settings Completed Successfully

Sent to the owner of a campaign when campaign creation succeeds.

Default template: CampaignSettingsCompletdSuccDefault

Campaign Settings Completed Unsuccessfully

Sent to the owner of a campaign when campaign creation fails.

Default template: CampaignSettingsCompletdUnsuDefault

Import process - no login for some users

Sent when an import process identifies new user records that do not have a value in the user login field specified for the target universe.

Default template: ImportUsersNoLoginWarningDefault

New Campaign Certification Task

Sent when a campaign generates initial certification review tasks.

Default template: CertificationOpenCertifyUserActionDefault

New Campaign Approval Task

Sent when a campaign generates change approval review tasks for existing links.

Default template: CertificationOpenApproveUserActionDefault

New Campaign Suggestion Task

Sent when a campaign generates initial certification review tasks for proposed links.

Default template: CertificationOpenSuggestUserActionDefault

New Campaign Consult Task

Sent when a reviewer consults with other reviewers in a campaign.

Default template: CertificationOpenConsultUserActionDefault

Reassigned Campaign Certification Task

Sent when a reviewer reassigns initial certification review tasks in a campaign.

Default template: CertificationReassignCertifyUserActionDefault

Reassigned Campaign Approval Task

Sent when a reviewer reassigns change approval review tasks in a campaign.

Default template: CertificationReassignApproveUserActionDefault

Reassigned Campaign Suggestion Task

Sent when a reviewer reassigns initial certification review tasks for proposed links in a campaign.

Default template: CertificationReassignSuggestUserActionDefault

Reassigned Campaign Consult Task

Sent when a reviewer reassigns consultation review tasks in a campaign.

Default template: CertificationReassignConsultUserActionDefault

New Approval Task

Sent when CA RCM generates approval tasks for changes to the model configuration.

Default template: ApprovalOpenApproveUserActionDefault

New Approval Consult Task

Sent when CA RCM generates consultation review tasks for changes to the model configuration.

Default template: ApprovalOpenConsultUserActionDefault

Reassigned Approval Task

Sent when a reviewer reassigns approval tasks for changes to the model configuration.

Default template: ApprovalReassignApproveUserActionDefault

Reassigned Approval Consult Task

Sent when a reviewer reassigns consultation review tasks for changes to the model configuration.

Default template: ApprovalReassignConsultUserActionDefault

New Self Service Approval Task

Sent when CA RCM generates approval tasks for self service requests.

Default template: SelfServiceOpenApproveUserActionDefault

New Self Service Approval Consult Task

Sent when CA RCM generates consultation review tasks for self service requests.

Default template: SelfServiceOpenConsultUserActionDefault

Reassigned Self Service Approval Task

Sent when a reviewer reassigns approval tasks for self service requests.

Default template: SelfServiceReassignApproveUserActionDefault

Reassigned Self Service Approval Consult Task

Sent when CA RCM reassigns consultation review tasks for self service requests.

Default template: SelfServiceReassignConsultUserActionDefault

Error Sending Email

Sent to the CA RCM administrator when an attempt to send an email fails.

Default template: ErrorSendingEMail

email.event.title.noEvent

Used for emails to users who do not have access to the CA RCM portal.

Default template: BasicEmail

System Properties for Emails

Use the following system properties to configure CA RCM connection to an SMTP server, and to define email behavior.

Note: Some of these properties are set automatically during CA RCM installation.

mail.Server

Defines the URL of the SMTP server.

mail.ServerPort

Defines the port used for communication with the SMTP server.

mail.user

Defines the user account of CA RCM on the SMTP server.

mail.password

Defines the password of the CA RCM account on the SMTP server.

mail.from

Defines the originating e-mail address of the CA RCM server. **Default:** RCM@ca.com

mail.useSSL

Determines whether communication with the SMTP server uses SSL encryption.

mail.max.attempts

Defines how many times CA RCM attempts to send an email.

mail.sending interval

Defines the time, in seconds, between attempts by CA RCM to send emails.

portalExternalLink.inboxUrl

Defines the value of the inboxLink parameter in e-mail templates. This is a general target URL on the CA RCM server that serves each user their My Tasks queue.

System Properties for Business Workflows

Administrators use CA RCM DNA and Data Management client applications to analyze and directly edit CA RCM data files. When the administrators change a configuration file, they can submit these changes to the CA RCM server. The server initiates the appropriate workflow to approve and implement the changes.

Because no business user initiates these workflows, the following system properties define default owners:

approvals.flowOwner

Defines the default owner of workflows submitted from CA RCM client applications. By default the CA RCM system administrator is the owner for these workflows. To implement this property for a universe, create a property with the following name:

```
universe.property.universe_name.approvals.flowOwner
```

Note: universe_name is the name of the target universe.

role.defaultOwner.enable

Determines whether the approval.role.defaultOwner system property defines the default owner for new role requests from CA RCM client applications. When this Boolean property is false, the CA RCM administrator is the owner of these roles, and the value of approval.role.defaultOwner is ignored.

approval.role.defaultOwner

Defines the default owner of a proposed new role submitted from CA RCM client applications. This user must be in the target universe for role creation. If this property is null, or if the specified user is not in the target universe, CA RCM creates the role without an owner. In this case the user specified by the approval.defaultManager system property reviews the role request.

Job Scheduling

Job Scheduling enables you to set up automatic and repeated CA RCM jobs. Each job is assigned to a universe and an appropriate ticket is sent to the administrator's Inbox when the job is completed.

To access Job Scheduling information, go to Administration, Job Scheduler.

Run or Schedule a Job on the CA RCM Portal

You can run predefined connector jobs or other processes in the CA RCM Portal.

To run or schedule a job in the CA RCM Portal

1. In the CA RCM Portal, go to Administration, Job Scheduler.
2. Locate the job or process you want to run.
3. Do *one* of the following:
 - Run the job immediately by clicking Run in the row of that process.
The job begins immediately.
 - Schedule one or more future jobs, as follows:
 - a. Click Schedule in the row of that process.
The Schedule Task dialog appears.
 - b. Complete the following fields:
 - First execution**—Defines the date and time at which the first job is initiated
 - Additional repeats**—Defines the number of job instances you want to generate. Enter the value -1 to define an unending series of jobs.
 - Repeat interval**—Defines the time period between jobs in the series.
 - c. Click OK.
The schedule is saved. CA RCM automatically initiates the jobs according to the schedule.

The Jobs Table

The Jobs table lists all the jobs that have been entered into the system. The table contains the following fields:

Job Name

Defines the name of the job.

Description

Provides a description of what the job does.

Job Class

Lists the Java Class of the job.

Start Time

Provides the date and time on which the job will begin.

Previous Execution

When a job repeats, defines the previous date and time it ran is listed here.

Next Execution

Defines the date and time when the job is scheduled to repeat.

Delete

Allows you to delete the job.

CA Enterprise Log Manager Integration

With CA Enterprise Log Manager integration, you can import CA Enterprise Log Manager usage data into CA RCM. CA RCM then displays this usage data during certification reviews. Applications in CA Enterprise Log Manager correspond to resources in CA RCM. CA Enterprise Log Manager records user access to an application and CA RCM then retrieves this usage data to display during a campaign.

For example, before you certify user access to a resource (application), you can review the usage data on how often the user actually accesses the resource.

You enable CA RCM integration with CA Enterprise Log Manager per universe.

Perform the following process to enable CA Enterprise Log Manager integration.

1. Review the [prerequisites for CA Enterprise Log Manager integration](#) (see page 194).
2. Configure communication between CA RCM and CA Enterprise Log Manager, as follows:
 - a. Import CA RCM queries into CA Enterprise Log Manager.
 - b. Create a CA Enterprise Log Manager security certificate in the keystore of the CA RCM server.
 - c. Register CA RCM on the CA Enterprise Log Manager server.
 - d. Update CA RCM properties.
3. Map data between CA RCM and CA Enterprise Log Manager, as follows:
 - a. Set the application attribute in the CA RCM Universe.
 - b. Map CA Enterprise Log Manager applications to applications in the CA RCM universe.
 - c. Update usage data from CA Enterprise Log Manager to CA RCM.
4. To confirm feature setup, open a configuration of the universe in the entity browser, and verify that usage icons appear for users and resources.

Prerequisites for Integration with CA Enterprise Log Manager

Before configuring CA RCM and CA Enterprise Log Manager to work together, be sure to do the following:

- Be sure you have a working CA RCM universe with imported CA RCM entities. If you are using CA Identity Manager in your environment, the account configuration is automatically created. If you are not using CA Identity Manager, [manually import the account information to CA RCM](#) (see page 34).
- Install CA Enterprise Log Manager and create a user with permissions to view events.
- If necessary, create event sources (applications) in CA Enterprise Log Manager. Applications correspond to resources in CA RCM. CA Enterprise Log Manager records user access to an application and CA RCM then retrieves this usage data to display during a campaign.

Note: For more information about creating CA Enterprise Log Manager event sources, see the CA Enterprise Log Manager documentation.

Import CA RCM Queries Into CA Enterprise Log Manager

To import CA Enterprise Log Manager usage data into CA RCM, add the CA RCM data queries to the CA Enterprise Log Manager query list.

To import CA RCM query files into CA Enterprise Log Manager

1. Log in to CA Enterprise Log Manager as an administrator.
2. Navigate to Queries and Reports, Queries.
3. Under Query List, click Options, Import Query Definition.
4. Specify the RCM_Queries.xml file located in the following directory of the CA RCM server:

RCM_install\Server\ELM

where *RCM_install* is the CA RCM installation directory.

CA Enterprise Log Manager imports the queries.

CA RCM calls these queries to display CA Enterprise Log Manager query results when users click monitored resources.

Create a CA Enterprise Log Manager Security Certificate

To allow CA RCM to communicate with CA Enterprise Log Manager, create a CA Enterprise Log Manager security certificate and update the keystore with the new certificate.

Note: The following steps are specifically for Internet Explorer 8. If you use another browser, see that browser's documentation on creating a security certificate.

Create a CA Enterprise Log Manager security certificate in the keystore of the CA RCM server

1. From the CA RCM server, use Internet Explorer to log in to the CA Enterprise Log Manager API portal. Use the following URL to access the API portal:

`https://calm_hostname:port/spin/calmap/calmap.csp`

A security certificate error appears.

2. Click Continue to this website.

A certificate error button appears to the right of the browser's address bar.

3. Click Certificate Error, View certificates.

The Certificate dialog appears and displays information about the CA Enterprise Log Manager security certificate.

4. Click the Details tab and select Copy to File.

The Certificate Export Wizard appears.

5. Export the certificate using the wizard, as follows:

- a. In the Export Format screen, select Base-64 encoded X.509 (.CER).
- b. Set the file name for the certificate to 'elm_cer.cer'.
- c. Click Finish.

The certificate is saved on the CA RCM server.

6. Update the keystore with the certificate, as follows:

- a. Open a command prompt on the CA RCM server.
- b. Navigate to the directory that contains the exported certificate.
- c. Enter the following command:

```
"%JAVA_HOME%\bin\keytool.exe" -import -file "pathname_cer" -keystore  
"%JAVA_HOME%\jre\lib\security\cacerts" -trustcacerts
```

where *pathname_cer* is the pathname of the exported certificate.

You are prompted for a password.

- d. Enter the following password, or the default cacerts password for your system:
'changeit'
 - e. At the Trust this certificate? prompt, enter y and press Enter.
The CA Enterprise Log Manager certificate is installed in the keystore.
7. Verify that the new certificate appears, as follows:
 - a. Enter the following command:

```
"%JAVA_HOME%\bin\keytool.exe" -list -keystore  
"%JAVA_HOME%\jre\lib\security\cacerts"
```
 - b. Enter the cacerts password.
A list of certificates appears.
 - c. Verify that the new certificate appears in the list.
 8. Restart the application server hosting CA RCM.

Register CA RCM on the CA Enterprise Log Manager Server

To allow CA Enterprise Log Manager to recognize the CA RCM server, register CA RCM with the CA Enterprise Log Manager server.

To register CA RCM on the CA Enterprise Log Manager server

1. Log in to the CA Enterprise Log Manager server as the *EiamAdmin* administrator, using the following URL address:

```
https://ELM_host:5250/spin/calmap/products.csp
```


where *ELM_host* is the hostname of the CA Enterprise Log Manager server.
2. Under Registered Products, click Register.
The New Product Registration window appears.
3. Enter the name and password you specified for the CA Enterprise Log Manager security certificate and click Register.
The CA Enterprise Log Manager server recognizes the certificate and allows connection to CA RCM.

Update CA RCM Properties

For the CA RCM server to communicate with CA Enterprise Log Manager, update the CA RCM system properties.

To update the CA RCM properties

1. In the CA RCM Portal, go to Administration, Settings, Property Settings.
2. Set the Property Keys filter for keys containing 'logmanager'.
3. Click Apply Filter.
4. Edit the following CA RCM system properties:

usage.import.logmanager.odbc.host

Defines the hostname of the target CA Enterprise Log Manager server.

usage.import.logmanager.odbc.port

Defines the default CA Enterprise Log Manager database port.

Default: 17002

Note: To verify the database port CA Enterprise Log Manager is listening on, open Administrative Tools in Windows, and select Services, ODBC Server. Click on the CA Enterprise Log Manager server and check the Server Listening Port field.

usage.import.logmanager.odbc.user

Defines the username of the CA Enterprise Log Manager account that CA RCM uses to log in to CA Enterprise Log Manager. Must be an administrator account in CA Enterprise Log Manager or an account that has read access to everything.

usage.import.logmanager.odbc.password

Defines the password of the CA Enterprise Log Manager account that CA RCM uses to log in to CA Enterprise Log Manager.

usage.online.logmanager.https.host

Defines the hostname of the target CA Enterprise Log Manager server.

usage.online.logmanager.https.port

Defines the listening port on the target CA Enterprise Log Manager server portal.

Default: 5250

usage.online.logmanager.https.certificate

Specifies the CA Enterprise Log Manager security certificate name provided when registering CA RCM on the CA Enterprise Log Manager server.

5. Go back to the Property Settings screen and set the Property Keys filter for keys containing 'accounts'.

6. Click Apply Filter.
7. Review the following CA RCM properties. Usually these properties are left to their defaults, but they are useful to know about:

implicit.accounts.field.name

Defines the CA RCM attribute that is used to match against CA Enterprise Log Manager account IDs. If you want to match against another CA RCM attribute, such as PMFkey or UUID, specify that attribute in this property.

implicit.accounts.enabled

Specifies if automatic implicit matching of accounts occurs between CA RCM and CA Enterprise Log Manager.

Default: True

Set the Application Attribute in the Universe

To map applications between CA RCM and CA Enterprise Log Manager, first specify which [ResName](#) (see page 252) attribute within the CA RCM Universe is associated with an application. ResName2 is often the correct attribute, but this attribute depends on how data was imported into CA RCM.

To define this attribute in the universe, go to Administration, Settings, Universe Settings and edit the universe. Under the Configuration resource Application field, select the attribute that defines the application.

Map CA Enterprise Log Manager Endpoints

You must map CA Enterprise Log Manager applications to CA RCM resources. An event source or application in CA Enterprise Log Manager can correspond to an individual resource in CA RCM.

Map applications in CA Enterprise Log Manager to each resource in the target CA RCM universe. CA Enterprise Log Manager usage data is then correctly associated with CA RCM resources.

To map CA Enterprise Log Manager applications to CA RCM

1. In the CA RCM Portal, go to Administration, Settings, Universe Settings.
The Universe Settings screen appears.
2. Select the target universe and click Edit.
The Edit screen appears.

3. Under the Actual Usage tab, Settings, select the 'Import and show usage data for this universe' check box.

4. Click Refresh Usage Data.

Note: You must first import data from CA Enterprise Log Manager to get a list of all applications before mapping the applications to CA RCM resources.

5. Click the Application Mapping tab.

6. Map CA Enterprise Log Manager applications to CA RCM, as follows:

- a. The left pane contains a list of all the applications in the CA RCM Universe. Select a CA RCM application.

- b. The right pane contains a list of all the applications in CA Enterprise Log Manager. Select the CA Enterprise Log Manager application you want to map to the selected CA RCM application.

- c. Click Add.

Mapped applications appear in the center pane.

- d. Repeat these steps for all applications.

7. Click Finish to save settings.

Update Usage Data

When you import CA Enterprise Log Manager usage data for a universe, the usage data appears in all certification and approval screens for that universe. Usage data also appears when you view a configuration of the universe in the entity browser.

To update usage data

1. In the CA RCM Portal, go to Administration, Settings, Universe Settings.

The Universe Settings screen appears.

2. Click Edit for the universe you want to edit.

The Edit universe screen appears.

3. Click the Actual Usage tab.

4. To update CA Enterprise Log Manager usage data, select Import and show usage data for this universe.

5. (Optional) Define usage thresholds that determine the icon displayed in certification and entity screens.

Based on these thresholds, resources are flagged as Frequently Used or Rarely Used, and users are flagged as Frequent Users or Occasional Users.

6. (Optional) Edit the default time period settings. If you expand the Time Periods pane, you can edit the default settings for Short, Medium, and Long time periods. Editing these values changes the available values in the 'days' drop-down list of the Thresholds pane.
7. Click Save.
8. Click Refresh Usage Details.

Viewing a User's Usage Data During a Campaign

After you configure integration with CA Enterprise Log Manager, campaign reviewers are then able to view a user's usage information before approving or rejecting a User Task in their Inbox.

To view User usage data during a campaign

1. Go to Inbox, My Tasks.
2. Under User Tasks, click the link for the user whose usage data you want to review.
A new window appears with the user information.
3. Click the Resources tab.
The Resource Usage screen appears.
4. In the Show drop-down list, select Usage View.
Usage information per application appears for that user.

Update Mapping of CA Enterprise Log Manager Applications

Over time, new applications are added to CA Enterprise Log Manager. Similarly, new resources are added to the CA RCM configuration, which represent new external applications. Update the application mapping in the universe periodically so that usage information is imported for these new resources.

Use the standard procedure to [map new CA Enterprise Log Manager applications](#) (see page 198).

Help Desk Integration

CA RCM can be configured to integrate with other help desk systems, such as CA Service Desk Manager. In this release, the help desk integration is limited to viewing information in the CA RCM ticket. Once you configure integration, you are able to view this information within a help desk ticket.

Note: No custom CA RCM properties or operations are currently provided with this integration.

To configure help desk integration within CA RCM, perform the following process.

1. Set help desk integration properties within CA RCM.
2. Import help desk user information into CA RCM.

Set Properties for Help Desk Integration

To set up Help Desk integration, set basic and ticket type mapping properties within the CA RCM Portal.

To set properties for help desk integration

1. In the CA RCM Portal, go to Administration, Settings, Property Settings.
The Properties screen appears.
2. Click Add New (or Edit, if the property exists) and set the following properties:

tmsEvent.create.enable

Defines whether to delegate CA RCM ticket creation events to clients, such as a help desk application.

Values: True/False

integration.unicenter.servicedesk.username

Defines the help desk user name used to access CA RCM, such as administrator.

integration.unicenter.servicedesk.password

Defines the password for the help desk user.

integration.unicenter.servicedesk.webservice.url

Defines the help desk Web Service URL.

Note: CA Help Desk r12 exposes a new web service, but CA RCM only supports the r11 Web Service.

integration.unicenter.servicedesk.user.field

Defines the field in the permission configuration user database (eurekify.ldb) that states the login ID of the user in the help desk system.

Note: If not specified, PersonID is used.

integration.unicenter.servicedesk.type.mapping

Defines the mapping between CA RCM ticket types and the help desk ticket types, using a key-value pair.

Example: TMS:TestTicket=*ChangeOrder*,SAGE:*RoleTicket=Bug,
SAGE:ErrTicket=Issue

The previous example details the following:

- Maps the CA RCM test ticket to the help desk *ChangeOrder*
- Maps the CA RCM error ticket to the help desk 'Issue' ticket
- Maps any CA RCM ticket with a type that ends in 'RoleTicket' to a help desk ticket of 'Bug' type. (SAGE:*RoleTicket=Bug)

integration.unicenter.servicedesk.object.type.ChangeOrder

Defines the help desk object type of the *ChangeOrder* ticket.

integration.unicenter.servicedesk.attributes.ChangeOrder

Defines attributes of the *ChangeOrder* ticket. Use the velocity template language to set the values for this property. [Predefined variables](#) (see page 202) are available to set these values.

Examples:

```
chg_ref_num, RCM_1_${ticket.getTicketId()}_${currentTime},  
description, ${ticket.getDescription()},  
summary, ${ticket.getTitle()},  
affected_contact, ${ticketOwnerHandle},  
requestor, ${loginUserHandle} =
```

Note: For more information about the velocity template language, see <http://velocity.apache.org/engine/releases/velocity-1.6.2/user-guide.html>.

Predefined Variables

The following variables can be used to populate help desk ticket attributes. These variables are used in setting the `integration.unicenter.servicedesk.attributes.ChangeOrder` property.

- `sid`—the result of the `service.login()` method
- `ticket`—the ticket VO instance. See the `TicketVO` class documentation in the open API.
- `service`—the web service instance, generated from `http://some_server:8080/axis/services/USD_WebServiceSoap?wsdl`

- ticketOwnerHandle—the handle returned by the service.getHandleForUserid() method of the user the ticket relates to
- loginUserHandle—the handle returned by the service.getHandleForUserid() method of the user specified at "integration.unicenter.servicedesk.username"
- currentTime—System.currentTimeMillis();
- currentDateObject—java.util.Date representation of System.currentTimeMillis
- currentTimeFormatted—SimpleDateFormat.getTimeInstance().format(currentDate Object)
- currentDateFormatted—SimpleDateFormat.getDateInstance().format(currentDate Object)
- ticketLinkHtml—an html link element (Action:) with a reference to the CA RCM ticket
- ticketQueueUrl—the value of the portalExternalLink.ticketQueueUrl property. For example, http://localhost:8080/eurekify/

Import Help Desk User Information to the eurekify.udb

To complete help desk integration, set the permission configuration of the help desk user in the CA RCM user database (eurekify.udb).

To import help desk user information

1. In CA RCM Data Management, go to File, Open from Database.
The Data Management Settings screen appears.
2. In the Choose File Type drop-down list, select User Database Files.
3. Select Eurekify_Users.udb and click Next.
4. Go to File, Save to File as, and save the Eurekify_Users.udb as a file.
5. Edit the saved file and add the help desk account name information as an additional field.
6. In CA RCM Data Management, go to Management, Merge User Database and merge the saved file into the database, as follows:
 - a. In the Files dialog, enter the following values:
 - First Users DB: the path to the saved database file that you edited in Step 5.
 - Second Users DB: the path to the original CA RCM database
 - Output Users DB: the path to the output CA RCM database
 - b. Click Merge.

The Transaction Log

The CA RCM Transaction Log (TxLog) provides detailed information about actions taken in the CA RCM server. The transaction log also records all changes to user, role, and resource entities.

Note: The transaction log records entity changes only for the data files you specify. For more information, see the *Data Management User Guide* or the *DNA User Guide*.

A table summarizing transaction log entries is located in the Developer Resource directory of the **CA-RCM-re#-Language-Files.zip** file of the CA RCM installation package.

When you first open the Transaction Log page, the table is empty and you can view a filter that you can use to select which transactions you want to view. The entries are listed by date.

<Column>

Select the column that determines which transactions are viewed in the Transaction Log table. You can filter the table contents based on the following options:

- Source: The subsystem where the transaction originates
- Owner: Owner or ticket ID
- SData1
- SData2
- SData3

<text box>

Enter any data that may appear in the selected column to further filter the transactions. The text is case-sensitive.

OK

Updates the data presented in the transaction log table. If no filter was supplied, all the existing transactions are listed.

Delete All

Deletes all the transactions saved by the CA RCM system.

Records per page

Select the number of records that appear in the table.

To view transactions in the Transaction Log table

1. In the CA RCM Portal, go to Administration, Transaction Log.
The Transaction Log screen opens.
2. (Optional) Filter the data you want to view in the Transaction Log table: Select a field from the Column drop-down list and enter the field content.
3. Click OK.
The requested transaction logs appear in the Transaction Log table.
4. (Optional) Click Delete All to delete all the transactions currently saved by the system.

Track Portal Usage in the Transaction Log

The CA RCM server records user actions and changes to entities in its transaction log file. You can track user interaction with the CA RCM Portal in the transaction log.

Note: You need administrator-level rights in the CA RCM Portal to perform this procedure.

To track Portal usage in the transaction log

1. In the CA RCM Portal, go to Administration, Settings, Property Settings.
The Properties Settings window appears.
2. Modify the following CA RCM system properties to enable and configure tracking of portal usage.

Note: To see all system properties that control transaction log tracking, filter the properties list using the string **txlog**.

txlog.portal.login.enable

Specifies whether to record an event in the transaction log when a user logs in to the CA RCM Portal.

Values: True, False

txlog.portal.logout.enable

Specifies whether to record an event in the transaction log when a user logs out of the CA RCM Portal.

Values: True, False

txlog.webservice.login.enable

Specifies whether to record an event in the transaction log when a web service logs in to the CA RCM Portal.

Values: True, False

txlog.portal.pageaccess.enable

Specifies whether to record events in the transaction log when users navigate in the CA RCM Portal.

Values: True, False

txlog.portal.pageaccess.include.pageclasses

Specifies the pages of the portal to include when tracking user navigation in the CA RCM portal. Identify pages of the portal by their class names, and format the list as comma-separated values.

Example: The following string enables tracking of user navigation to the portal homepage and the top-level dashboard and entity browser pages:

```
com.eurekify.web.portal.homepage.HomePage,com.eurekify.web.dashboards.ConfigurationDashboardPage,com.eurekify.web.entitybrowser.EurekifyBrowserPage
```

txlog.portal.pageaccess.exclude.pageclasses

Specifies the pages of the portal to exclude when tracking user the navigation in the CA RCM portal. Identify pages of the portal by their class names, and format the list as comma-separated values.

Default: com.eurekify.web.portal.EmptyPage

3. Save changes to system properties.

Interactions with the CA RCM Portal are recorded in the transaction log as defined.

More information:

[Edit a Property Key](#) (see page 216)

Cache Manipulation

Using the CA RCM server's cache improves performance. This is achieved by uploading the current Universe and configuration data to the cache. Accessing the server's cache is much faster than accessing the hard drives, so users can receive information more quickly than if they had to receive content from the server hard drives.

This section covers the following topics:

- Loading the cache
- Clearing the cache

More information:

[Load Cache](#) (see page 207)

[Clear the Cache](#) (see page 207)

Load Cache

Use this utility to swiftly load a specific configuration into the CA RCM server's memory cache.

To load a specific configuration into the CA RCM server's memory cache

1. On the Administration menu click Cache and then select Load Cache.
The Load Cache screen opens.
2. Select a Configuration from the drop-down list and click OK.
The information bar indicates that the selected configuration is loaded.

Clear the Cache

Use this utility to clear the CA RCM server's memory cache. The utility is useful in the case where you updated the configuration data in the DNA, such as permissions, and you want to be sure that anyone running the system uses the updated data.

To clear the cache

1. On the Administration menu click Clear Cache.
The Clear Cache screen opens.
2. Click Clear Caches to clear the CA RCM server's memory cache.
The information bar indicates that the selected configuration is loaded.

Repair CA RCM Configuration, User, and Resource Files

Editing and data enrichment may, rarely, introduce inconsistencies in user, resource, or configuration files. You can analyze a configuration and its related user and resource data files, and correct any inconsistencies that you find. If you cannot open a user (.udb) resource (.rdb), or configuration (.cfg) file, analyze it for errors using this procedure.

Note: You need administrator-level rights in the CA RCM Portal to perform this procedure.

To repair CA RCM configuration, user, and resource files

1. In the CA RCM Portal, go to Administration, Settings, Fix Configuration.

The Fix Configuration screen appears.

2. Select a configuration file from the drop-down list and click Analyze.

CA RCM analyzes the configuration file and its related user and resource files. It identifies the following errors:

- Orphaned users or resources—The configuration file lists a user or resource that is not in the source user (.udb) or resource (.rdb) file.
- Broken links—A link references a user, resource, or role that no longer exists in the configuration.
- Non-sequential user or resource file—Each record in user and resource files is assigned an internal ID number. If these internal ID numbers are not consecutive, CA RCM cannot open the file.

3. Do any of the following:

- If analysis found orphaned users, orphaned resources, or broken links in the configuration, click Fix Configuration.

Orphaned entities and their related links are removed. Broken links are also removed.

- If analysis found a non-sequential user file, click Fix UDB.

The user (.udb) file is renumbered. In addition, *all* configurations that reference this user file are cleansed of orphaned users and broken user links. Then the user list and user links of all these configurations are revised with the new internal ID numbers.

Note: This function affects other configurations in addition to the configuration you analyzed. Examine related configurations and verify their content before you run this function.

- If analysis found a non-sequential resource file, click Fix RDB.

The resource (.rdb) file is renumbered. In addition, *all* configurations that reference this resource file are cleansed of orphaned resources and broken resource links. Then the resource list and resource links of all these configurations are revised with the new internal ID numbers.

Note: This function affects other configurations in addition to the configuration you analyzed. Examine related configurations and verify their content before you run this function.

Purging Data

Good management practice requires you to purge old, unneeded data files from the CA RCM database server periodically. The purge utility simplifies this maintenance task.

Important! Purging removes data completely and permanently from CA RCM databases. Back up all data before you purge, and verify that the data you purge is unnecessary.

The purge utility enables you to purge data in the following manners:

- Purge selected documents and data files.
- Purge by date—Clear the database or system logs of entries older than a specified date.
- Purge inactive portal users—Remove CA RCM portal users who are not associated with at least one universe.

The purge utility does not clear jobs in the Workpoint database. You must manually [select and purge Workpoint jobs](#) (see page 213).

Purge Selected Documents

Use the CA RCM Portal purge utility to delete outdated or unneeded data files from the CA RCM database.

Important! Purging removes data completely and permanently from CA RCM databases. Back up all data before you purge, and verify that the data you purge is unnecessary.

When you purge a universe or configuration file, the following associated files are also purged:

- Related configuration files such as master, model, and RACI configurations.
- Audit Cards
- Campaigns
- Log Entries

Note: You need administrator-level rights in the CA RCM Portal to perform this procedure.

To purge selected documents

1. In the CA RCM Portal, go to Administration, Settings, Purge Data.
The Purge Data screen appears.
2. Select the By Document option in the Purge Type drop-down, and click Next.

3. Select the type of document you want to purge in the Document Type drop-down.
The Select Values screen appears. All existing data files of the type you specified are listed.
4. Select all the documents you want to purge.
Note: Press Shift or drag your mouse to select a section of the list, or press Ctrl and click to select individual files from the list.
5. Click Next.
The Confirmation screen appears.
6. Review the scope of the data purge:
 - In the Document Types area, expand the tree to view the data files selected for the purge. This list includes files based on, or derived from, the files you selected.
 - In the Counters area, verify the scope of related log and ticket data selected for the purge.

If the scope you specified includes data that you do not want to purge, do one of the following:

 - Click Back to redefine the selection criteria.
 - Click Cancel to abort the purge, then copy or back up needed data.
7. Click Purge.
The specified data is permanently deleted from the CA RCM database. When the purge is complete, a confirmation message appears in the Purge Data screen.

Purge Data by Date

Use the purge utility to delete workflow tickets, transaction (Tx) log entries, or portal usage tracing data that is older than a specified date.

Important! Purging removes data completely and permanently from CA RCM databases. Back up all data before you purge, and verify that the data you purge is unnecessary.

Note: You need administrator-level rights in the CA RCM Portal to perform this procedure.

To purge data by date

1. Click Administration, Settings, Purge Data from the CA RCM portal main menu.
The Purge Data screen appears.
2. Select the By Date option in the Purge Type drop-down and click Next.
The Selection Type screen appears.

3. Select the type of data you want to purge in the Select Type drop-down, and click Next.

The Select Values screen appears.

4. Complete the following field to define the scope of the purge;

Older Than

Defines the date of the oldest entry to retain. Entries older than this date are purged.

5. (Optional for Tx Log purge only) Filter transaction log entries using the following additional fields:

Owner

Defines the UserID or TicketID of the initiating user or ticket.

Source

Defines the CA RCM subsystem that generated the log entry.

sdata1, sdata2

Defines values in string data fields of log entries.

6. Click Next.

The Confirmation screen appears.

7. Review the scope of the data purge.

8. Click Purge.

The specified data is completely and permanently deleted from the CA RCM database. When the purge is complete, a confirmation message appears in the Purge Data screen.

Purge Portal Users from the Permissions Configuration

Users at various levels in the enterprise access the CA RCM Portal to participate in review and certification campaigns, and to use self-service role management tools. Each user must have a portal user account. CA RCM can create these user accounts created automatically based on retrieved user data. The *permissions configuration* file stores the portal user account information.

To preserve data integrity and the security of the CA RCM portal, remove users who no longer require access.

The purge utility automatically identifies portal users who are not affiliated with a currently existing universe. These users cannot participate in any CA RCM processes, and are candidates for deletion.

Important! Purging removes data completely and permanently from CA RCM databases. Back up all data before you purge, and verify that the data you purge is unnecessary.

Note: You need administrator-level rights in the CA RCM Portal to perform this procedure.

To purge portal users from the permissions configuration

1. Click Administration, Settings, Purge Data from the CA RCM portal main menu.
The Purge Data screen appears.
2. Select the Permissions Configuration User option in the Purge Type drop-down and click Next.
The CA RCM server compares portal permissions data with universe files in the database. Any portal users who are not affiliated with a universe are listed as purge candidates. If purge candidates are discovered, proceed with the purge process.
3. Select the users that you want to purge, or click the column header check box to select all users.
4. Click Next.
The Confirmation screen appears.
5. Review the scope of the data purge.
If the scope you specified includes data that you do not want to purge, do one of the following:
 - Click Back to redefine the selection criteria.
 - Click Cancel to abort the purge, then copy or back up needed data.
6. Click Purge.
The specified data is permanently deleted from the CA RCM database. When the purge is complete, a confirmation message appears in the Purge Data screen.

Purge Workpoint Jobs Associated with a Workflow

CA RCM initiates Workpoint jobs to implement review or control actions of business workflows. For example, a Workpoint job is created for each link in the scope of a certification campaign.

To reduce the size of the CA RCM Workpoint database, you can delete the records of Workpoint jobs for workflows that have concluded.

1. To identify workflows that are inactive, filter the Workflows screen of the CA RCM portal to show workflows whose status is Stopped, Archived, or Complete. You can also filter by the due date of the workflow. Note the Workflow ID numbers of these inactive workflows.
2. On your database server, search the CA RCM Workpoint database for job entities with these Workflow ID values. Then delete the selected jobs.

Example: Job Purge Script in SQL

Typically you implement a database query script to search and purge the database. The following example shows SQL commands that select and delete jobs associated with a single workflow. Before you submit these commands to the database server, replace the parameter *flow_id* with the actual workflow ID value.

```
update WP_PROCI set LU_ID = 'Delete Job'
  where CONVERT(varchar(max), WP_PROCI.PROCI_ID)+' :'+WP_PROCI.PROCI_DB in
        (select CONVERT(varchar(max), WP_USER_DATA.PROCI_ID)+' :'+WP_USER_DATA.PROCI_DB
        from WP_USER_DATA
        where WP_USER_DATA.VAR_NAME = 'flow_id'
        and WP_USER_DATA.VAR_CVALUE like '?');
execute spWP_DELETE_JOBS;
```

Properties Settings

The Properties Settings utility provides access to the system property file CA RCM.properties, where you create new property keys and access and edit existing property key values.

Properties that are considered to be common properties, such as of the type properties.headers.commonProperties are listed separately under the Settings sub-menu as Common Properties Settings. This utility functions in the same way as the general Properties Settings utility.

The Properties table contains the following columns:

Type

The associated property file name.

Property Key

The property key name.

Property Value

The property key assigned value.

The CA RCM Properties page provides the following functions:

Add New

Use to add new Property Keys.

Edit

Use to edit existing Property Keys.

Apply Filter

Use to filter the properties list.

Records per page

The number used to determine properties that appear in the table.

When creating a key or editing an existing property, the data is saved to the CA RCM's database. When you run the CA RCM Portal, the CA RCM server verifies the database property listings. If the value of a property key in the database is different than the value listed in the eurekify.properties, the system uses the value listed in the database.

Note: Database values do not change during system updates.

The CA RCM Portal provides you with the following databases to store your update key values:

DB_dynamic_properties

The change is immediate. You do not have to wait for the server to go offline to update the property values.

DB_static_properties

The change occurs the next time the server is restarted.

Note: Servers go offline for regular maintenance and backup. Changes made to the property values designated DB_static_properties are implemented when the server comes back online.

To access the properties page

1. On the Administration menu click Settings.
The list of available options appears.
2. Click Properties Settings.
The CA RCM Properties Page screen opens.

More information:

[Access the Common Properties Settings Page](#) (see page 215)
[CA RCM Properties](#) (see page 247)

Access the Common Properties Settings Page

Common properties are properties of the type `properties.headers.commonProperties`.

For instructions on how to create or edit a new property key see:

- Create a new Property key
- Edit an existing property key

To access the Common Property Settings page

1. On the Administration menu, click Settings.
The list of available Settings options appears.
2. Click Common Property Settings.
The Common Property Settings page appears.

More information:

[Create a Property Key](#) (see page 215)
[Edit a Property Key](#) (see page 216)

Create a Property Key

Property keys are defined and provided as part of the CA RCM product, installed by default by CA RCM. The Properties Settings utility enables you to add new property keys to the CA RCM property file.

To create a property key, enter the key before you click Add New.

After you enter the new property key name and click Create New, the Edit Property screen appears.

Save is disabled. The reason is that, for security reasons, when you edit a property key, the change is not saved directly to the properties file. Instead the updated property key value is saved to the CA RCM database.

The CA RCM Portal provides you with two databases to store your update key values:

DB_dynamic_properties

The change is immediate. You do not have to wait for the server to go offline to update the property values.

DB_static_properties

The change will take place the next time that the server is restarted.

To create a property key

1. In the CA RCM Properties page enter a name of a property key in the Common Properties text box.
2. Click Add New.
The Edit Property screen appears.
3. Enter a property value in the Property Value text box.
4. Select a database type from the drop-down list.
5. Click Save. The new property appears in the Common Property Settings screen.

Edit a Property Key

You may need to update the value of a property key following system changes. For example, if you change the name of the SMTP (email) server, used by your corporation to send out emails, the corresponding property keys must also be adjusted.

When you click Edit next to an existing property key, the Edit Property screen opens:

When editing an existing property, the source of the property is listed in the Type drop-down.

Save is disabled because when you edit a property key, the updated property key value is saved to the CA RCM database.

The CA RCM Portal provides you with the following databases to store your update key values:

DB_dynamic_properties

The change is immediate. You do not have to wait for the server to go offline to update the property values.

DB_static_properties

The change will take place the next time that the server is restarted.

To edit a property key

1. (Optional) In the CA RCM Properties page enter a name of a property key, or part of one, in the filter Filter Properties Keys Containing text box and click Apply Filter.

The Properties table displays only keys that match the entered filter criteria.

2. Click Edit next to the property key that you want to change.

The Edit Property screen displays.

3. Enter a property value in the Property Value text box.
4. Select a database Type from the drop-down list.
5. Click Save.

The updated property appears in the Properties screen table.

RACI Operations

The RACI model is a tool used for identifying roles and responsibilities during an organizational audit, making the audit process easier and smoother. The model describes what to be done and by whom during audits and when corporate changes occur.

RACI is an abbreviation for:

R = Responsible, who owns the problem/project.

A = Accountable, to whom R is accountable, who must sign off (Approver) on work before it is accepted.

C = Consulted, who is consulted, who has information and the capability necessary to aid in completing the work.

I = Informed, who must be notified of results (but does not need to be consulted).

One of CA RCM RACI's main purpose is to identify entity managers (Approvers). Every model-configuration that you want to audit must be run through the RACI generator so that the Approvers are listed correctly.

The RACI utility obtains the data fields you identified when you defined the Universe as manager fields, and tags them as the system's Accountables. The user manager data is extracted from the configuration file's user database (*.udb). While any user can be accountable for multiple entities, each entity has only a single person accountable for it.

Note: Run the RACI utility before running a campaign as the system cannot have users identified as entity Accountables, and cannot send Approver tickets to the correct entity managers. If you have not run RACI, you either receive an error message, or all the entities are listed with the campaign-owner for approval.

Create RACI Configuration Files

Once a Universe is created, create its RACI configurations. The RACI configurations control the assignments of certification/attestation or approval tasks to their respective Accountable person. There are four RACI configurations, one for each of R,A,C,I. CA RCM automatically creates the A configuration, based on the Owner or Manager fields of the universe.

Note: Update the CA RCM user database before generating RACI for the universe.

To create RACI configuration files

1. On the Administration menu click Create RACI.

The Create RACI configurations screen opens.

2. Select a Universe from the drop-down.

3. Click Create RACI.

An appropriate notice appears when the process is completed.

Note: If the RACI configuration files become corrupted, you can access them through the CA RCM DNA module. On the File menu, click Review Database. This allows you to view/delete the files.

Synchronize RACI

You must update the RACI configurations periodically so that they reflect changes made to the universe.

Note: When you import new user records into the universe's configuration files, the data connector can [automatically map them](#) (see page 173) to the universe's RACI configuration files.

By default, RACI synchronization adds new entity data or deletes entities that no longer exist in the universe, but it does not update existing links in the RACI configurations. The following system properties allow RACI synchronization to update existing links:

raci.sync.override.accountable.roles

Determines whether existing roles are updated in the Accountable configuration. When this Boolean property is true, the Accountable configuration is updated when the accountable user changes for a role entity. To implement this property for a universe, create a new property with the following name:

```
universe.property.universe_name.raci.sync.override.accountable.roles
```

Note: *universe_name* is the name of the target universe.

raci.sync.override.accountable.resources

Determines whether existing resources are updated in the Accountable configuration. When this Boolean property is true, the Accountable configuration is updated when the accountable user changes for a resource entity. To implement this property for a universe, create a new property with the following name:

```
universe.property.universe_name.raci.sync.override.accountable.roles
```

Note: *universe_name* is the name of the target universe.

To synchronize RACI configuration files

1. In the CA RCM portal, go to Administration, Permissions and RACI, Synchronize RACI.

The Synchronize RACI Configurations screen appears.

2. Select a Universe from the drop-down list and click Synchronize RACI.

CA RCM updates the RACI configuration files of the universe.

System Checkup

Use CA RCM system checkup tools to verify that messaging processes are working correctly.

The System Checkup option enables you to verify the following email systems:

SMTP Checkup

Verify Simple Mail Transfer Protocol communication with an e-mail server in the environment.

Workpoint Checkup

Verify communication with the Workpoint server.

JMS Queue Checkup

Verify java Message Service communication.

SMTP Checkup

Simple Mail Transfer Protocol is used for the TMS's email connections

To verify SMTP communication

1. In the CA RCM Portal, go to Administration, System Checkup, SMTP Checkup.

The Checkup Options screen appears.

2. Enter a target e-mail address.
3. Click Send.

An e-mail is sent to the target address from the sender specified in the mail from system property.

4. Verify that the email arrived.

Workpoint Checkup

Workpoint checkup enables you to edit the TMS Workpoint adapter, view Workpoint process list, and start a checkup ticket.

The Edit button enables you to edit the TMS Workpoint adapter that manages data communications with the Workpoint server. You can edit the TMS property key value and type in the Edit Property window. You can also remove the property key from the database.

The Start button enables you to start checkup tickets active processes, displayed in the Workpoint Process list displayed.

JMS Queue Checkup

The Java Message Service Checkup enables you to test JMS connectivity.

You can determine if to receive the message immediately, with a user-determined delay in seconds, or manual mode.

Records and messages are displayed.

How to Extract CA RCM Data

You can extract CA RCM data to the CA RCM External Report Database. Third-party reporting and data-mining applications can draw on this database to generate reports or perform analysis. Each extracted data snapshot is a static copy of CA RCM objects. CA RCM does not update the data snapshots after they are created.

You perform the following procedures when you work with data extraction:

- [Enable the External Report Database](#) (see page 222)—Create the database and enable the feature on the CA RCM server.
- [Create an extraction profile](#) (see page 223)—Create a profile that defines the data file types that are copied to the external report database.
- [Generate a data set, or snapshot](#) (see page 223)—Based on an extraction profile. You can schedule automatic generation of a data set at a fixed time or at recurrent intervals. Each data set is labeled with the name of the profile used to generate it and a time stamp.
- [Track data extraction jobs](#) (see page 224)—Data extraction jobs appear in the Inbox of the managing administrator.
- [Delete profiles and data snapshots](#) (see page 226)—When they are no longer needed. You can delete individual data sets, or schedule deletion at a future date.

Extraction profiles are similar to data connectors, and you use the portal job scheduling tools to initiate data snapshots like data connector jobs.

The data schema of the External Reporting Database is located in the **CA-RCM-rel#-Language-Files.zip** file of the CA RCM installation package.

How to Enable the External Report Database

Extracted data is stored in a dedicated Microsoft SQL Server database. Follow the following steps to enable the external report database:

1. Create the database on a Microsoft SQL Server, as follows:
 - When a Microsoft SQL Server hosts CA RCM databases, select the External Report Database option of the CA RCM installer to automatically create this database.
 - When an Oracle database server hosts CA RCM databases, create the External Report Database on a Microsoft SQL Server instance after you install CA RCM.

Note: For more information about creating the External report database, see the *Installation Guide*.

2. To enable data extraction, set the following CA RCM system parameter to True.

reportdb.enabled

Specifies whether CA RCM saves data snapshots to the external report database.

Valid values: True, False

Note: CA RCM resets this property to False when it cannot export a scheduled data snapshot to the database. If the connection to the database server is interrupted, reset the property to True when the connection is restored.

Create a Data Extraction Profile

Create a profile that specifies what data CA RCM copies to the external reporting database.

Note: You need administrator-level rights in the CA RCM Portal to perform this procedure.

To create a data extraction profile

1. Click Administration, External Report DB in the main menu of the portal.
The External Report Database main screen appears.
2. Click New Profile.
Note: To edit an existing export profile, click its name in the Profiles list.
The Basic Information screen appears.
3. Enter a name and brief description for the profile, and click Next.
The Parameters screen appears. All the files and data objects in the CA RCM databases are listed by type.
4. Click each tab and select the data files to include in the extracted data.
5. (Optional) Click the Tickets tab and select the All Tickets option to include the entire ticket database.
Note: When you select a campaign, all its related tickets are included in the data snapshot, even if you do not select the All Tickets option.
6. Click Next.
The Overview screen appears.
7. Review the profile definition.
8. Click Finish.
The profile is created. The External Report Database main screen appears. The new profile appears in the Profiles list.

Run or Schedule a Data Extraction Job

The data extraction job saves files to the External Report Database based on an extraction profile. Define at least one extraction profile before you run a data extraction job.

You can generate a single data snapshot, or schedule generation of data snapshots at regular intervals.

When you run a data extraction job, a tracking ticket appears in your Inbox.

Note: You need administrator-level rights in the CA RCM Portal to perform this procedure.

To run or schedule a data extraction job

1. Click Administration, External Report DB from the main menu of the portal.

The External Report Database main screen appears.

2. Select *one* of the following options:

- Click Run Now in the Profiles list row of the extraction profile you want the job to use.

The job begins immediately.

- To schedule future execution of a job, click Schedule in the Profiles list row of the extraction profile you want the job to use.

The Schedule Extraction Task dialog appears.

Complete the following fields:

- **First execution**—Specifies the date and time at which the job is first run.
- **Additional repeats**—The number of times you want to run the job. Enter the value -1 to define an unending series.
- **Repeat interval**—The time period between executions in the series.

3. Click OK.

The schedule is saved. CA RCM automatically initiates data snapshots according to the schedule.

Track Data Extraction Jobs

When you initiate data extraction to the CA RCM external reporting database, a Report DB Snapshot Extraction job ticket appears in your Inbox. Use this ticket to track generation of a data snapshot.

If you initiate immediate data extraction, the ticket appears immediately in the queue.

If you schedule a series of data snapshots, a new ticket appears for each snapshot when the data extraction begins.

You can also review and delete scheduled data extraction jobs in the Job Scheduling screen. Data extraction jobs are listed in the Job Scheduling screen with a Job Name as follows:

EXTRACTION.*extractionJobDetail*

The Job Class label has the value **ExtractionJob**.

Note: You need administrator-level rights in the CA RCM Portal to perform this procedure.

To track data extraction jobs

1. Run or schedule a data extraction job in the CA RCM Portal.
2. Click Inbox on the main menu.

The Inbox screen appears. When a data extraction job is active, a Report DB Snapshot Extraction Ticket appears in the queue. The ticket title is the name of the data export profile on which the job is based.

3. Click the ticket title.

The ticket opens.

The Ticket contains the following standard sections:

- Standard ticket header, which displays identification and status information
- More section, which contains priority, severity, and ticket history information.
- Advanced section, which enables you to add attachments and notes.

4. Review the table in the Extraction Components section to track job progress.

Each row of the table lists a CA RCM data type, and the elapsed time taken to export all the files of this type that you selected. When extraction is complete, the Extraction State field has the value ENDED for all data types.

5. Open the Extraction Parameters for Profile section to review the scope of the extraction job.

The table lists the data types included in the data export profile used for this job, and the number of data files of each type selected for export.

6. Click Acknowledge when extraction of all data types is complete.

The ticket status changes to Completed and the ticket is removed from the active tickets queue.

Delete Data Extraction Profiles or Data Snapshots

Regularly scheduled data extractions can generate a large volume of data. Purge older data sets to reduce the size of the CA RCM external reporting database. You can also schedule automatic deletion at a future date and time.

Similarly, you may delete a data export profile if the data set it defines is no longer useful.

Note: You need administrator-level rights in the CA RCM Portal to perform this procedure.

To delete data extraction profiles or data snapshots

1. Click Administration, External Report DB from the portal main menu.
The External Report Database main screen appears.
2. (Optional) Delete an extraction profile, as follows:
 - a. Locate an export profile you want to delete in the Profiles list.
 - b. Click Delete in the row of that export profile.
The extraction profile is deleted.
3. (Optional) Delete a data snapshot, as follows:
 - a. Locate a data set you want to delete in the Snapshots list.
 - b. Click Delete in the row of that data set.
The data set is deleted.
4. (Optional) Schedule future deletion of a data snapshot, as follows:
 - a. Locate a data set you want to delete in the Snapshots list.
 - b. Click Schedule Delete in the row of that data set.
The Schedule Delete Snapshot dialog appears.
 - c. Specify the date and time at which to delete the snapshot, and click OK.
The snapshot is deleted at the scheduled date and time.

Chapter 13: Security and Permissions

Corporate security is critical, especially when you consider the potential harm that can result from loss, alteration by unauthorized users, or misuse of data and resources.

The CA RCM Portal is accessible to both senior administrators and average business users. These different types of users have different needs and use CA RCM in different ways. Using the Portal, you can define role-based security and permissions to maintain appropriate levels of security.

This section contains the following topics:

[Security](#) (see page 227)

[Permissions](#) (see page 229)

[Assign a Resource to a Role](#) (see page 234)

[Use Case: Filter to Provide Self-Service Access to a User](#) (see page 234)

Security

Software security is intended to prevent both unintentional and malicious harm. There are various ways of achieving this goal. This section presents the CA RCM Portal solutions for specific security issues.

More information:

[Enabling Security](#) (see page 227)

[Authentication Settings](#) (see page 228)

[Encryption](#) (see page 228)

Enabling Security

Software security can be configured to behave in one of the following ways:

Default Deny

Under these conditions, everything not explicitly permitted is forbidden. While this method can improve security, it may negatively affect functionality.

Default Permit

Everything is permitted. The advantage of this security method is that it allows greater functionality, and it can be adequate for the initial phases of setting up and testing the system.

By default, security in the CA RCM Portal is disabled. When a user logs in, using a recognized user name, the CA RCM Portal does not verify the user permissions and there are no limits on what the user can see and do.

You configure the type of security used in the CA RCM Portal by setting a security parameter in the `eurekify.properties` file.

The security parameter resembles the following:

```
sage.security.disable=true
```

When this property is set to false, CA RCM switches to the Default Deny security method. Only functionality that is explicitly permitted is visible and enabled for the user.

More information:

[Permissions](#) (see page 229)

Authentication Settings

Authentication is the act of establishing that a user has sufficient security privileges to access the CA RCM Portal. The following security parameter, located in the `eurekify.properties` file, determines whether users need a password to access the CA RCM Portal:

```
sage.security.disable.ADAuthentication=true
```

When this property is set to true, the user does not have to use their established password to log in to the CA RCM Portal. Instead, any alphanumeric combination allows them to gain entry.

When the property is set to false, users must provide a registered password to access the CA RCM Portal.

Passwords are stored in a corporate Active Directory server. When a user attempts to log in, CA RCM sends the user name and password to the Active Directory server for authentication.

Encryption

When sending the user login and password data, we recommend that this data be encrypted. The encryption security parameter located in the `eurekify.properties` file is as follows:

```
sage.security.disable.ssl.ADAuthentication=true
```

When this is set to True, Secure Sockets Layer (SSL) authentication is disabled.

When the parameter is set to False and SSL encryption is enabled, you have to supply the keystore file in the following security parameter:

```
sage.security.eurekify.keyStore.file=
```

The keystore file is a database that stores the private and public keys necessary for SSL encryption and decoding.

Permissions

When security is enabled in CA RCM, every action a user attempts is verified against their permissions.

To enable security in CA RCM, edit the permissions configuration file (eurekify.cfg). Each role in this configuration file represents a set of permissions. Each resource in the configuration file is a rule or filter that defines the scope of access to Portal functions or data. To give permissions to a user, associate the appropriate resources with a role and be sure that the user is a member of that role.

No permission filters exist for Delegate or Escalate functionality.

Note: An approver can view the contents of an Approver ticket, even if an administrator did not give the approver the appropriate permissions. CA RCM defines resources to handle this issue in the background. These permissions are limited to that specific campaign requirement.

More information:

[The Permissions Configuration File](#) (see page 229)

The Permissions Configuration File

To manage permissions for CA RCM, you first create resources in the permissions configuration file (eurekify.cfg) using the DNA client tool. The following types of resources are predefined in CA RCM:

- Link type resources—determine which menu options are visible to each user.
- Doc_Access type resources—determine access to CA RCM document files, such as configurations, audit cards, universes, and so on.
- Filter type resources—determine access to specific CA RCM entities.

To create resources in the permissions configuration file (eurekify.cfg)

1. Verify that the database server and the CA RCM server are running.
2. Run the DNA client tool.

3. Click File, Review Database.
The Database Wizard appears.
4. Select the Eurekify.cfg file, clear the Write Protected check box, and click Open.
The Eurekify.cfg file appears. Each role in this configuration file represents a set of permissions. Each resource is a rule or filter that defines the scope of access to Portal functions or data.
5. Click the Resource Database icon or click View, Resource Database.
The resource database associated with the configuration appears in a new window.
6. In the resource database window, right-click and select Add Resource.
The Resource Details screen appears.
7. Fill in the fields appropriately, depending on the resource type you are adding (Link, Doc_Access, or Filter.)
8. Click OK.
9. Repeat Steps 6 through 8 for every resource you want to add.
10. Add the new resources to the configuration file, as follows:
 - a. Select a new resource and drag it to the resource section of the Eurekify.cfg window.
The cursor changes into an ADD icon.
 - b. Release the cursor.
The new resources are added to the configuration file.
11. Save changes to the Eurekify.cfg file.

Link Type Resources

Link resources determine which menu options are visible to each user.

The general syntax is as follows:

[<Menu-Name>.<sub-menu>]

Enter the resource syntax in the Res Name 1 field.

For example, [Self-Service.*] allows users linked to this resource permission to see and use all the available Self-Service menus.

Adding [EX] after the square brackets excludes a specific menu or menu item from the user's menu options.

For example, to exclude the Request New Role menu item, use the following syntax:

```
[SelfService.requestNewRole] [EX]
```

Doc_Access Type Resources

Doc_Access resources determine access to CA RCM document files, such as configurations, audit cards, universes, and so on.

The general syntax is as follows:

```
[<Document type>]
```

Enter the resource syntax in the Res Name 1 field.

For example, [AUDITCARD] allows users linked to this resource permission to access this type of file.

Adding the modifier Read ([R]) or Read/Write ([RW]) sets the level of access to the files that the user has access to.

The value entered in the Res Name 2 field influences the level of permissions. An asterisk (*) indicates full permissions for all such files, or a specific entity, such as a configuration name, universe name, and so on, can be listed.

Filter Type Resources

Filter resources determine access to specific CA RCM entities. Filters are based on the standard LDAP filter format.

When you add a Filter resource to CA RCM, you can use the following filters:

- [Filter_User]
- [Filter_Role]
- [Filter_Resource]

Populate the following additional fields when using a Filter resource:

Res Name 1

Specifies the filter to use: Filter_User, Filter_Role, or Filter_Resource.

Res Name 2

Specifies the universe name.

Res Name 3

Specifies the filter name or number.

Description

Specifies a description of the filter.

Type

Defines the resource type: Filter.

Filter1

Defines the filter. For example,
(>(type=role)(A(type=user)(sageUser=\$\$PersonID\$\$))).

Filter Format

Filters rely on the LDAP prefix filter format. The filter is constructed from an expression which, in turn, can be constructed from sub-expressions.

Each filter expression is surrounded by parenthesis ("(",)") and represents a set of CA RCM entities.

The simplest form of a filter is a field-value pair consisting of a CA RCM entity field name and a desired value with an equal sign between them. For example, "(Location=Cayman)" or "(PersonID=86.*)".

Another simple filter is (Name>Smith) which returns users whose Name field alphabetically follows Smith. Thus, a filter such as the following:

```
(&(UserName>C) (UserName<F))
```

returns users whose Name field falls between the letters C and F, including C and F.

Another simple filter returns entity matches. This filter starts with a tilde (~), and is an entity-value pair consisting of an CA RCM entity type (user/role/resource) and a related entity name separated by an equal sign. For resources, three sets of parenthesis with the three pairs appear after the ~. For example:

```
(~(role=Cayman)) or ~(resname1=email)(resname2=outlook)(resname3=WinNT))
```

Filters can also have logical operations applied to them. The available operators are AND, OR, and NOT. Operator symbols are as follows:

& - AND

| - OR

! - NOT

Operator symbols are prefixes and must be placed before the expression, for example:

"(&(Location=Cayman)(Organization=Finance))" - users in the Cayman Finance office

"(|(Country=US)(Country=UK))" - users in the US or the UK

"(!(Active=false))" - active users

Filters can be as complex as necessary, as long as they meet the previously listed rules. For example:

"(&(|(Country=US)(Country=UK)) (&(!(Active=false))(Organization=Finance)))"

This filter returns all the active users that are from the US or the UK and in the Finance department.

Filter Extensions

These filter extensions are for use with campaigns only. The following additional filters involve the RACI model:

A — approved entities

> — links to approved entities

For example:

- All roles whose approver is "AD1\Admin"
(A(type=role)(sageUser=AD1\Admin))
- All roles linked to users whose manager is "AD1\Admin"
(>(type=role)(A(type=user)(sageUser=AD1\Admin)))

Assign a Resource to a Role

Assign resources to a role to give users of that role access to defined Portal permissions.

To assign resources to a role

1. In the Eurekify.cfg window in the DNA client tool, select new resources and drag them to a role listed under the Role section of the window.

The cursor changes into a LINK icon.

2. Release the cursor.

The new resources are linked to the role specified in Step 1.

3. Right-click the role specified in Step 1 and select Show All Linked Entities.

User and resource entities linked to the role are highlighted.

Note: If you need to add users to a role, select the user in the User section of the Eurekify.cfg window and drag it to a role listed under the Role section of the window.

4. Verify that the new resources are linked to the role specified in Step 1.
5. Save changes to the Eurekify.cfg file.

Use Case: Filter to Provide Self-Service Access to a User

To allow a user to access all of their own entities for self-service functionality, add the following filter type resources to CA RCM using the DNA client tool.

1. Add a user filter by filling out the Resource Details screen as follows:
 - Res Name 1: [FILTER_USER]
 - Res Name 2: *
 - Description: Users can see themselves in universes that use the LoginID field.
 - Type: Filter
 - Filter1: (user.LoginID= \$\$PersonID \$\$)
2. Add a role filter by filling out the Resource Details screen as follows:
 - Res Name 1: [FILTER_ROLE]
 - Res Name 2: *
 - Description: Users can see their own roles in universes that use the LoginID field.
 - Type: Filter
 - Filter1: (~(user.LoginID= \$\$PersonID \$\$))

3. Add a resource filter by filling out the Resource Details screen as follows:
 - Res Name 1: [FILTER_RES]
 - Res Name 2: *
 - Description: Users can see their own resources in universes that use the LoginID field.
 - Type: Filter
 - Filter1: (~(user.LoginID=\$\$PersonID\$\$))
4. Enter a value for the Filter ID (Res Name 3) field for each new resource filter according to the numerical sequence.
5. Associate the new resource filters with a role.
6. Save changes to the Eurekaify.cfg file.

Important! If you mapped the login ID attribute to an attribute other than LoginID in the universe, change LoginID to the correct attribute in the filter. For example, if login IDs are stored in the GUUID attribute, change the filter as follows:

(user.GUUID=\$\$PersonID\$\$)

Chapter 14: Troubleshooting

This chapter provides a list of the CA RCM Portal Error Messages

This section contains the following topics:

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Error Messages

CA RCM contains a system of messages that is intended to provide an alert when an activity cannot be completed as defined or if further information is needed to complete the activity: The following table displays typical messages and the type of action to perform:

Field	Code	Description
settings.raci.create.missingmanagers.errcode	adm001	It is recommended that all universe manager fields be filled before creating RACI, so that Accountable links can be automatically added.
settings.raci.create.alreadyexist.errcode	adm002	RACI configurations already exist for {0}
settings.raci.create.fail.errcode	adm003	failed to create RACI configurations for {0}
required.errcode	app001	field '{label}' is required.
iconverter.errcode	app002	'{input}' is not a valid {type}.
numbervalidator.range.errcode	app003	{input} is not between {minimum} and {maximum}.
numbervalidator.minimum.errcode	app004	'{input}' is smaller than the minimum of {minimum}.
numbervalidator.maximum.errcode	app005	'{input}' is larger than the maximum of {maximum}.
numbervalidator.positive.errcode	app006	'{input}' must be positive.
numbervalidator.negative.errcode	app007	'{input}' must be negative.
stringvalidator.range.errcode	app008	'{input}' is not between {minimum} and {maximum} characters long.
stringvalidator.minimum.errcode	app009	'{input}' is shorter than the minimum of {minimum} characters.

Field	Code	Description
stringvalidator.maximum.errcode	app010	'\${input}' is longer than the maximum of \${maximum} characters.
stringvalidator.exact.errcode	app011	'\${input}' is not exactly \${exact} characters long.
datevalidator.range.errcode	app012	'\${input}' is not between \${minimum} and \${maximum}.
datevalidator.minimum.errcode	app013	'\${input}' is less than the minimum of \${minimum}.
datevalidator.maximum.errcode	app014	'\${input}' is larger than the maximum of \${maximum}.
patternvalidator.errcode	app015	'\${input}' does not match pattern '\${pattern}'.
emailaddressvalidator.errcode	app016	'\${input}' is not a valid email address.
creditcardvalidator.errcode	app017	the credit card number is invalid.
urlvalidator.errcode	app018	'\${input}' is not a valid url.
equalinputvalidator.errcode	app019	'\${input0}' from \${label0} and '\${input1}' from \${label1} must be equal.
equalpasswordinputvalidator.errcode	app020	\${label0} and \${label1} must be equal.
user.count.roles.alert.description.errcode	apr001	user has {0} roles
user.count.resources.alert.description.errcode	apr002	user has {0} resources
role.count.users.alert.description.errcode	apr003	role has {0} users
role.count.children.alert.description.errcode	apr004	role has {0} children
role.count.resources.alert.description.errcode	apr005	role has {0} resources
resource.count.users.alert.description.errcode	apr006	resource has {0} users
resource.count.roles.alert.description.errcode	apr007	resource has {0} roles
campaignchoicesvalidator.errcode	arp001	please select at least one option for \${byfield} field.
configurationname.required.errcode	arp002	please select a configuration.
campaignname.required.errcode	arp003	please select a campaign.
byfield.required.errcode	arp004	please select the 'by field' parameter.
auditcard.required.errcode	arp005	please select audit card.
sort.required.errcode	arp006	please select sorting method.
campaignfilteroption.required.errcode	arp007	please choose filtering type.

Field	Code	Description
campaign.sendreminder.error.errcode	cmp001	send reminders was aborted, mail event is not active. update mailing parameter [tms.configuration.mail.events] in eurekify.properties
campaign.text.campagin.errors.found.errcode	cmp002	errors found
campaign.error.nouniversesavailable.errcode	cmp003	no universes available
campaign.error.missingcampaigndescription.errcode	cmp004	missing campaign description
campaign.error.missingenddate.errcode	cmp005	missing end date
campaign.error.duedatemustbeinthefuture.errcode	cmp006	due date must be in the future
campaign.error.configurationmustbeselected.errcode	cmp007	configuration must be selected
campaign.error.raciotavailablefor.errcode	cmp008	raci not available for ({0})
campaign.error.campaignalreadyexists.errcode	cmp009	campaign [{0}] already exists
campaign.error.noaccess.errcode	cmp010	user {0} has no access to campaign {1}
settings.strings.ie.errors.missingname.errcode	cst001	missing name field.
settings.strings.ie.errors.missingdescription.errcode	cst002	missing description field.
settings.strings.ie.errors.namealreadyexist.errcode	cst003	duplicate name, name already in use.
settings.strings.ie.errors.missinguniverse.errcode	cst004	missing universe field.
settings.strings.ie.errors.missingsettings.errcode	cst005	was unable to find the settings xml file {0}.
settings.strings.ie.errors.missingmapping.errcode	cst006	was unable to find the mappings xml file {0}.
settings.strings.ie.errors.missingenrichment.errcode	cst007	was unable to find the enrichment file {0}.
settings.strings.ie.errors.missingpassword.errcode	cst008	missing password field.
settings.strings.ie.errors.missingmaxduration.errcode	cst009	missing maxduration field.
settings.strings.ie.errors.errorparsingmaxduration.errcode	cst010	error parsing maxduration field, please use integer values.
settings.strings.ie.errors.missingconnectorclientclass.errcode	cst011	missing connector client class to use.
settings.strings.ie.errors.missingworkflowprocess.errcode	cst012	missing work flow process.
settings.strings.ie.errors.missingtickettype.errcode	cst013	missing ticket type.
dashboard.compliance.error.noname.errcode	dbc001	please enter all auditcard names
dashboard.compliance.error.multiname.errcode	dbc002	name {0} appears more then once

Field	Code	Description
dashboard.compliance.error.nocard.errcode	dbc003	please enter all audit cards
dashboard.compliance.error.multicard.errcode	dbc004	auditcard {0} appears more then once
dashboard.compliance.error.nobpralerts.errcode	dbc005	auditcard {0} has no bpr alerts
entity.emptylist.errcode	eml001	no match was found
mail.builder.createticket.sage.errticket.subject.errcode	mal001	new error ticket, title:{3}
mail.builder.createticket.sage.errticket.body.errcode	mal002	a error ticket (id
properties.errormsg.propertyalreadyexists.errcode	prp001	the property {0}" already exists
properties.errormsg.unencryptedpropertyalreadyexists.errcode	prp002	an un-encrypted property [{0}] is already exists, please remove it first.
properties.errormsg.createemptyproperty.errcode	prp003	can not create a property with a null/empty key.
loginpage.userauthentication.failed.errcode	prt006	failed to authenticate user, invalid user name/password
loginpage.connecttoauthenticationservice.failed.errcode	prt007	failed to connect to authentication service, please contact system administrator.
loginpage.userauthentication.failed.sageadmin.errcode	prt008	incorrect password for admin user.
loginpage.userauthentication.failed.sagebatch.errcode	prt009	incorrect password for batch user.
loginpage.userauthorization.failed.errcode	prt010	failed to authorize user: {0}, the user does not exist in {1} configuration.
internalerrorpage.label.info1.errcode	prt011	an error has occurred. for more information please view the log file.
internalerrorpage.label.info2.errcode	prt012	to relogin please click here
sagemaster.headers.conflicts.errcode	sgm001	error! conflicts in the master configuration login field.
sagemaster.headers.countduplicates.errcode	sgm002	found {0} duplicate logins. please review:
selfservice.error.loading.bpr.errcode	sls001	could not load bpr file [{0}], proceeding without
selfservice.error.finding.bpr.errcode	sls002	no bpr file defined, proceeding without
selfservice.error.finding.universe.errcode	sls003	no universes available
selfservice.error.starting.approval.errcode	sls004	error starting approval process
selfservice.validate.descriptionrequired.errcode	sls005	description field is required

Field	Code	Description
selfservice.validate.nouserisselected.errcode	sls006	no user is selected
selfservice.validate.norequestsmade.errcode	sls007	no requests made
selfservice.validate.missingraciconfigurations.errcode	sls008	missing raci configurations
selfservice.validate.errorgettingraciconfigurations.errcode	sls009	error getting raci configurations
selfservice.validate.missingaccountablefor.errcode	sls010	missing accountable for: {0}
selfservice.validate.racierrorfor.errcode	sls011	raci error for: {0}
settings.headers.editimportexportpage.error.errcode	ste001	error fetching connector object: {0}
settings.headers.edituniversepage.error.errcode	ste002	error fetching connector object
changeapproval.child.remove.user.role.info.title.rejected.errcode	tk001	request to delete role {1} from user {1} - rejected.
changeapproval.child.remove.user.role.info.title.failed.errcode	tk002	request to delete role {0} from user {1} - failed.
changeapproval.child.remove.user.role.notification.title.errcode	tk003	request to delete role {1} from user {0} is already in process.
changeapproval.child.add.user.resource.info.title.rejected.errcode	tk005	request to add resource {1} to user {1} - rejected.
changeapproval.child.add.user.resource.info.title.failed.errcode	tk006	request to add resource {0} to user {1} - failed.
changeapproval.child.add.user.resource.info.description.rejected.errcode	tk007	the request to add resource {1} to user {0} was rejected - request was submitted on universe {2} from {3}
changeapproval.child.add.user.resource.info.description.failed.errcode	tk008	the request to add resource {1} to user {0} failed - request was submitted on universe {2} from {3}
changeapproval.child.remove.user.resource.info.title.rejected.errcode	tk009	request to delete resource {1} from user {0} - rejected.
changeapproval.child.remove.user.resource.info.title.failed.errcode	tk010	request to delete resource {1} from user {0} - failed.
changeapproval.child.remove.user.resource.info.description.rejected.errcode	tk011	the request to delete resource {1} from user {0} was rejected - request was submitted on universe {2} from {3}
changeapproval.child.remove.user.resource.info.description.failed.errcode	tk012	the request to delete resource {1} from user {0} failed - request was submitted on universe {2} from {3}

Field	Code	Description
changeapproval.child.remove.user.resource.notification.title.errcode	tk013	request to delete resource {1} from user {0} is already in process.
changeapproval.child.remove.user.resource.notification.description.errcode	tk014	the request to delete resource {1} from user {0} is already in process - request was submitted on universe {2} from {3}
changeapproval.child.add.role.role.info.title.rejected.errcode	tk015	request to add role {0} to role {1} - rejected.
changeapproval.child.add.role.role.info.title.failed.errcode	tk016	request to add role {0} to role {1} - failed.
changeapproval.child.add.role.role.info.description.rejected.errcode	tk017	the request to add role {0} to role {1} was rejected - request was submitted on universe {2} from {3}
changeapproval.child.add.role.role.info.description.failed.errcode	tk018	the request to add role {0} to role {1} failed - request was submitted on universe {2} from {3}
changeapproval.child.add.role.role.notification.title.errcode	tk019	request to add role {0} to role {1} is already in process.
changeapproval.child.add.role.role.notification.description.errcode	tk020	the request to add role {0} to role {1} is already in process - request was submitted on universe {2} from {3}
changeapproval.child.remove.role.role.info.title.rejected.errcode	tk021	request to delete role {0} from role {1} - rejected.
changeapproval.child.remove.role.role.info.title.failed.errcode	tk022	request to delete role {0} from role {1} - failed.
changeapproval.child.remove.role.role.info.description.rejected.errcode	tk023	the request to delete role {0} from role {1} was rejected - request was submitted on universe {2} from {3}
changeapproval.child.remove.role.role.info.description.failed.errcode	tk024	the request to delete role {0} from role {1} failed - request was submitted on universe {2} from {3}
changeapproval.child.remove.role.role.notification.title.errcode	tk025	request to delete role {0} from role {1} is already in process.
changeapproval.child.remove.role.role.notification.description.errcode	tk026	the request to delete role {0} from role {1} is already in process - request was submitted on universe {2} from {3}
changeapproval.child.add.role.resource.info.title.rejected.errcode	tk027	request to add resource {1} to role {1} - rejected.

Field	Code	Description
changeapproval.child.add.role.resource.info.title.failed.errcode	tk028	request to add resource {0} to role {1} - failed.
changeapproval.child.add.role.resource.info.description.rejected.errcode	tk029	the request to add resource {1} to role {0} was rejected - request was submitted on universe {2} from {3}
changeapproval.child.add.role.resource.info.description.failed.errcode	tk030	the request to add resource {1} to role {0} failed - request was submitted on universe {2} from {3}
changeapproval.child.add.role.resource.notification.title.errcode	tk031	request to add resource {1} to role {0} is already in process.
changeapproval.child.add.role.resource.notification.description.errcode	tk032	the request to add resource {1} to role {0} is already in process - request was submitted on universe {2} from {3}
changeapproval.child.remove.role.resource.info.title.rejected.errcode	tk033	request to delete resource {1} from role {1} - rejected.
changeapproval.child.remove.role.resource.info.title.failed.errcode	tk034	request to delete resource {0} from role {1} - failed.
changeapproval.child.remove.role.resource.info.description.rejected.errcode	tk035	the request to delete resource {1} from role {0} was rejected - request was submitted on universe {2} from {3}
changeapproval.child.remove.role.resource.info.description.failed.errcode	tk036	the request to delete resource {1} from role {0} failed - request was submitted on universe {2} from {3}
changeapproval.child.remove.role.resource.notification.title.errcode	tk037	request to delete resource {1} from role {0} is already in process.
changeapproval.child.remove.role.resource.notification.description.errcode	tk038	the request to delete resource {1} from role {0} is already in process - request was submitted on universe {2} from {3}
changeapproval.child.role.task.addroleoraci.description.errcode	tk039	to continue please choose an accountable user to {0} role
changeapproval.child.remove.user.role.notification.description.errcode	tk094	the request to delete role {1} from user {0} is already in process - request was submitted on universe {2} from {3}
login.errors.invalidcredentials.errcode	tms001	user/password not found.
login.errors.invalidcredentials.errcode	tms001	try wicket/wicket as the user name/password combination
page.admin.failuremessage.errcode	tms002	{0} failed.

Field	Code	Description
error.validate.optionvalue.errcode	tms003	the value {0} is not allowed in {1}.
error.validate.command.notfound.errcode	tms004	the command id {0} was not found.
error.validate.command.disabled.errcode	tms005	the command id {0} is not enabled.
error.addattachment.noname.errcode	tms006	fail to save attachment, please fill the field name.
error.filter.errcode	tms007	the filter '{0}' has a syntax error. {1}
error.filter.resultempty.errcode	tms008	the user does not exist.
error.command.revokecmd.errcode	tms009	fail to revoke ticket {0}, missing job tickets {1}.
error.command.revokecmd.msg2.errcode	tms010	fail to revoke ticket {0} with job tickets {1}, there are {2} activity tickets outside the ticket tree.
error.command.linkcommands.errcode	tms011	fail to create commands:{0}, {1}
error.command.startjobcommand.errcode	tms012	fail to start job for ticket {0}, ticket has already reference for job {1}
error.command.startjobcommand.checkjobticketexists.errcode	tms013	fail to commit activity [checkjobticketexists] in job [{1}] of ticket {0}, check tms port in workpoint wftms web service.
error.workflow.connection.errcode	tms014	fail to connect to workpoint url:{0}, info:{1}
error.service.createconsulttickets.errcode	tms015	no ticket parent!
error.service.createconsulttickets2.errcode	tms016	fail to find consulting users, {0}
error.service.createconsulttickets3.errcode	tms017	fail to create consulting tickets. {0}
error.service.validatevalue.errcode	tms018	fail to update field {0} with value {1} in ticket type {2}
error.command.saveticket.optimisticlockexception.errcode	tms019	the ticket was updated by another user, please reopen ticket.
error.validate.valuelength.errcode	tms020	validation fail for value:{0} cannot be longer then {1}
error.validate.date.errcode	tms021	fail to parse date: {0}"
error.batchtask.errcode	tms022	[[{6}]] fail to run batch actionname
error.batchtask.startjob.errcode	tms023	action {0} of job {2} failed. retry count:{1}
error.update.ticket.errcode	tms024	cannot update the ticket [id

Field	Code	Description
error.campaignnamenotfound.errcode	tms025	campaign {0} not found.
page.recordnotfound.message.errcode	tms026	{0} was not found in {1}
page.internalerror.info1.errcode	tms027	an error has occurred. for more information please view the log file.
page.internalerror.info2.errcode	tms028	null
page.expirederror.info1.errcode	tms029	your session has expired, please login again.
page.expirederror.info2.errcode	tms030	null
error.workpoint.dbconnection.errcode	tms031	workpoint database connection is closed.
text.dialogs.runfailed.errcode	txd001	failed to run {0}, please watch log files.
text.dialogs.runfailed.errcode	txs002	failed to run {0}, please watch log files.
settings.strings.universe.masterequalmodel.errcode	ust001	warning!!! master and model configurations are the same.
settings.strings.universes.errors.missingname .errcode	ust002	missing name field.
settings.strings.universes.errors.missingdescription .errcode	ust003	missing description field.
settings.strings.universes.errors.namealreadyexist .errcode	ust004	duplicate name, name already in use.
settings.strings.universes.errors.missingmaster .errcode	ust005	missing master configuration name field.
settings.strings.universes.errors.missingmodel .errcode	ust006	missing model configuration name field.
settings.strings.universes.errors.missingauditsettingsfile.errcode	ust007	was unable to find the audit settings file {0}.
settings.strings.universes.errors.masterisnotreadonly .errcode	ust008	the master configuration ({0}) is not read only.
settings.strings.universes.errors.masterhasparent .errcode	ust009	the master configuration ({0}) has a parent configuration.
settings.strings.universes.errors.masternotlogged .errcode	ust010	the model configuration ({0}) is not logged.
settings.strings.universes.errors.modelisnotreadonly .errcode	ust011	the model configuration ({0}) is not read only.
settings.strings.universes.errors.modelhasparent.errcode	ust012	the model configuration ({0}) has a parent configuration.

Field	Code	Description
settings.strings.universes.errors.modelnotlogged .errcode	ust013	the model configuration ({0}) is not logged.
settings.strings.universes.errors.errorswasfound .errcode	ust014	the following issues were found:
settings.strings.universes.errors.wouldliketoautofix .errcode	ust015	would you like to auto-fix them?
error.workpoint.dbconnection.errcode	wp001	workpoint database connection is closed.

Appendix A: CA RCM Properties

This section contains the following topics:

[tms.delegate.filter](#) (see page 247)

[tms.escalate.filter](#) (see page 248)

[tms.campaign.\[campaign-type\].reassign.filter](#) (see page 248)

tms.delegate.filter

Used for filtering the delegate option user list. Comprises three options:

Description	Default delegate filter
Property	tms.delegate.filter
Example	tms.delegate.filter=GFilter=(Organization=\$\$owner.Organization\$\$)
Description	Ticket type filter
Property	tms.delegate.filter.TicketType.SAGE.ChangeApprovalParentTicket
Example	tms.delegate.filter.TicketType.SAGE.ChangeApprovalParentTicket=GFilter=(Organization=cookingdept)
Description	Ticket name filter
Property	tms.delegate.filter.LinkUser-Role
Example	tms.delegate.filter.LinkUser-Role=GFilter=(Email=ssimhi@eurekify.com)

The “name” property (if defined) takes precedence over “type” which in turn takes precedence over the default delegate property.

tms.escalate.filter

Used for filtering the escalate option user list. Comprises three options:

Description	Default escalate filter
Property	tms.escalate.filter
Example	tms.escalate.filter=GFilter=(Organization=\$\$owner.Organization\$\$)
Description	Ticket type filter
Property	tms.escalate.filter.TicketType.SAGE.ChangeApprovalParentTicket
Example	tms.escalate.filter.TicketType.SAGE.ChangeApprovalParentTicket=GFilter=(Organization=cookingdept)
Description	Ticket name filter
Property	tms.escalate.filter.LinkUser-Role
Example	tms.escalate.filter.LinkUser-Role=GFilter=(Email=ssimhi@eurekify.com)

tms.campaign.[campaign-type].reassign.filter

Used for filtering the reassign option user list. Comprises three options:

Description	Reassign filter
Property	tms.campaign.[campaign-type].reassign.filter
Example	tms.campaign.userCertification.reassign.filter=GFilter=(Organization=\$\$owner.Organization\$\$) tms.campaign.roleCertification.reassign.filter=GFilter=(Organization=\$\$owner.Organization\$\$) tms.campaign.resourceCertification.reassign.filter=GFilter=(Organization=\$\$owner.Organization\$\$)

Appendix B: Portal Structure (XML)

If you want to change the CA RCM Portal structure, for example, remove a section of the Portal you never use, you can edit the portal-structure.xml file as needed. The portal-structure.xml file is found in the following locations:

- JBoss: *Jboss_install_folder/conf*
- WebSphere: */eurekify.war/WEB-INF/classes/com/eurekify/web/portal/links*

Appendix C: CA RCM Data Files

CA RCM uses three separate but related files in a text-based, comma-separated format to represent a configuration.

The user and resource database files contain the basic details of users and resources. The configuration file contains the dynamic parts of a configuration; that is, the role and relationship information.

This section contains the following topics:

[User Database File](#) (see page 251)

[Resource Database File](#) (see page 252)

[Configuration File](#) (see page 253)

User Database File

User database file names end with the .udb suffix. Each user is represented in this file by one line, which includes comma-separated values for the following fields (in this order):

- PersonID (the key)
- User name
- Organization name
- Organization type
- (Optional) an unlimited number of additional fields.

Although they are optional, CA RCM requires you to specify fields for the following types of user information when you define a universe. Define these fields in .udb files that form the basis for a configuration file in a universe.

- LoginID
- User email
- ManagerID

Example: User Database File

The following sample .udb file contains 3 user records.

```
PersonID,UserName,OrgName,OrgType,Country,Location,ManagerID,email,LoginID,  
"52656727","Rodman Adam","System  
Management","Corporate","US","Pennsylvania","54672910","52656727@company.com","IB  
MR50\\Rodman Adam",  
"54672910","Cooper Amos","IT  
Security","Corporate","US","Pennsylvania","64646410","54672910@company.com","IBMR  
50\\Cooper Amos",  
"64646410","Herman Barbara","Operations","Corporate","US","New  
Jersey","64646410","64646410@company.com","IBMR50\\Herman Barbara",
```

Resource Database File

Resource database file names end with the .rdb suffix. Each resource is represented in this file by one line, which includes comma-separated values for the following fields (in this order):

- Resource Name 1 (ResName1)
- Resource Name 2 (ResName1)
- Resource Name 3 (ResName1)
- (Optional) An unlimited number of additional fields

The ResName fields typically map to the endpoint or application group of the resource.

Although they are optional, CA RCM requires you to specify fields for the following types of resource information when you define a universe. Define these fields in .rdb files that form the basis for a configuration file in a universe.

- Application
- ManagerID

Example: Resource Database File

The following sample file contains 3 resource records.

```
ResName1,ResName2,ResName3,Description,ManagerID-Owner,Location,  
"SYS1","RACFPROD","RACF22","Production RACF","77292450","Irvine,CA",  
"Domain Users","NT5AVE","WinNT","Active Directory ","91236370","Houson,TX",  
"DEVELOP","RACFPROD","RACF22","Production RACF","77292450","Irvine,CA",
```

Configuration File

Configuration file names end with the .cfg suffix. The configuration file refers to a user database file and a resource database file. It contains role definitions and links between users, roles, and resources.

Note: Multiple configurations may share the same user and resource database files.

The configuration file contains the following elements:

- A header section lists the owner and modification history of the file. The first two lines in the file specify the user and resource database files that the configuration references. These lines have the following format:

```
UsersDB,udb_pathname  
ResDB, rdb_pathname
```

Note: *udb_pathname* is the pathname of the referenced user database file, and *rdb_pathname* is the pathname of the referenced resource database file.

- User entity declarations define a subset of users from the referenced user database file. Each line defines a single user, with the following format:

```
User, udb_record, PersonID
```

Note: *udb_record* is the index value of a record in the user database file. The first user record in the .udb file has an index value of zero. *PersonID* is the value of the PersonID field in the referenced user record.

- Resource entity declarations define a subset of resources from the referenced resource database file. Each line defines a single resource, with the following format:

```
Res, rdb_record, ResName1, ResName2, ResName3
```

Note: *rdb_record* is the index value of a record in the resource database file. The first user record in the .rdb file has an index value of zero. *ResName1*, *ResName2*, *ResName3* are the values of the corresponding mandatory fields in the referenced resource record.

- Role declarations define a role in terms of users, resources, or other roles in the configuration. Each declaration defines a single role in one line, with the following format:

`Role, roleID, roleName, roleDescription, roleOrganization, roleOwner`

Note: *roleID* is the numerical identifier CA RCM assigns to the role, *roleName* is the unique name of the role, *roleDescription* is a text description of the role, *roleOrganization* is the organization associated with the role, and *roleOwner* is the user that owns the role.

- Link declarations define role contents and user privileges as a set of links between the declared user, role and resource entities. Each line defines a single link, with the following format:

`Link_type, Entity1, Entity2`

Note: *Link_type* specifies the type of link. *Entity1* and *Entity2* specify the linked entities, using the record index of a user or resource entity, or the roleID of a role entity.

The *Link_type* string can have the following values:

- User-Res: user-resource link
- User-Role: user-role link
- Role-Res: role-resource link
- Role-Role: role-role link (parent-child link within the role hierarchy)

Entities must be listed in order. For example, in a User-Res declaration, the first entity is a user record, and the second entity is a resource record. In a Role-Role link, the first entity is the roleID of the parent role, and the second entity is the roleID of the child role.

Example: Configuration File

Configuration files are typically much larger than this sample. In this example, role 1001 has only one resource, role 1014 has two resources, and role 1015 includes both role 1001 and role 1014 as children.

```
UsersDB,.\UsersDB.udb
ResDB,.\ResDB.rdb
CreateDate,03/09/2007 12:27
ModifyDate,03/09/2007 12:27
StatusDate,17/04/2007 15:36
Owner1,Ilan Sharoni
Organization1,Company
```

```
Owner2,
Organization2,
Operation1,
Operation2,
Operation3,
Status,
ParentConfigName,SQL://(local).sdb/ConfigWithRoles.cfg
User,0,"45489940"
User,1,"47868650"
User,2,"52656727"
Res,0,"APPLDEV","RACFTEST","RACF22"
Res,1,"BRLIMSYS","RACFPROD","RACF22"
Res,2,"DEVELOP","RACFPROD","RACF22"
Role,1001,"BASIC ROLE","Basic role - for all IT users","Enterprise","82922230","Org
Role","","45489940","Approved","09/05/2007 10:36","No
Rule","Enterprise","Corporate",""
Role,1014,"Title - Product Manager","Characteristic Role (50%)","Title - Product
Manager","99883135","Org Role","","45489940","Approved","09/05/2007
10:36","Title=Product Manager;","Title","Corporate",""
Role,1015,"Title - Operator","Characteristic Role (50%)","Title -
Operator","45489940","Org Role","","45489940","Approved","09/05/2007
10:36","Title=Operator;","Title","Corporate",""
User-Res,0,2
User-Res,0,1
User-Role,1,1001
User-Role,2,1014
Role-Res,1001,0
Role-Res,1014,1
Role-Res,1014,2
Role-Role,1015,1014
Role-Role,1015,1001
```


Glossary

Approved Audit Card

An Audit Card where all the listed violations have been approved. It can be used during an audit to prevent repeated notices of violations that have already received approval.

Audit Card

A file with the extension .aud. It is generated by the DNA. It contains a list of violations or out of pattern situations. Each entry is a violation connected to an entity or to a link. It is possible to edit an Audit Card in the DNA module, adding instructions to either fix a violation or approve one. For further information see the DNA User Manual.

Children

Ticket-type specific.

The number of children listed for any campaign ticket denotes the number of Approvers assigned to the campaign.

The number of children listed for an Approver ticket is the number of [entities] the specific approver has to audit, where [entities] refers to the campaign type: user, role or resource certification.

Configuration

A CA RCM-proprietary data structure that holds a snapshot of the definitions of users, resources and roles (if available), as well as the relevant relationships (privileges) between them.

Connectors

Connectors use the converters to access the production computer for both download and upload processes. There are separate connectors for import and export procedures.

defaultSettings.xml

A connection details XML file located in the CA RCM home directory under the converter subdirectory. Use the CA RCM DM module to update.

Direct Link

An uninterrupted connection between two entities. For example: a user to resource link.

Dual Link

Refers to the case when both a direct link and an indirect link exist. For example: A user is linked directly to a specific resource, and at the same time the user is linked to a role that is linked to the same resource.

Entity

Refers to one of the following:

-
- User
 - Role
 - Resource

Indirect Link

A circuitous connection between two entities. For example: A user is linked to a specific role and the role is linked to a specific resource. The link between the user and the resource is an indirect link. Here are some further examples:

User—Role—Resource: Indirect link user to resource

User—Role—Role: Indirect link user to role (hierarchy)

User—Role—Role—Resource: Indirect link user to resource

Indirect links are not defined for the case of user to resource to role, where the user is linked directly to a resource and a role is linked directly to the same resource. The user in this case does not have any kind of link to the role in question.

Link or Entity Link

Refers to a connection between two entities. The possible links are:

- user-role
- user-resource
- role-resource
- role-role (hierarchy)

Links can be categorized as direct links, dual links or indirect links.

Mapping.xml

A mapping details XML file located in the <Eurekify home directory>\<Converter directory>. Use the Eurekify DM module to update.

Master-configuration

The original configuration downloaded from the production computer. The master-configuration presents the real-world definitions.

Model-configuration

A copy of the master-configuration. The audit process is run on the model-configuration and the resulting, updated set of configuration files is compared by the Eurekify Sage DNA system to the original, master-configuration files. The differences are then uploaded to the production computer.

RACI

A RACI diagram, or RACI matrix, is used to describe the roles and responsibilities of various teams or users. It is especially useful in clarifying roles and responsibilities in cross-functional/departmental projects and processes. Within the Eurekify Portal, this is the source of the Approvers mentioned in this manual. They are listed in the Accountable configuration file.

The RACI diagram divides tasks into four participatory responsibility types, which are then assigned to different roles in the project or process.

The following responsibility types make up the acronym RACI:

Responsible

Those who do work to achieve the task. There can be multiple resources responsible.

Accountable

(Also Approver) The resource ultimately answerable for the correct and thorough completion of the task. There must be only one A resource specified for each task.

Consulted

Those whose opinions are sought. Two-way communication.

Informed

Those who are kept up-to-date on progress. One-way communication. Very often the role specified as "accountable" is also specified "responsible." Outside of this exception, it is generally recommended that each role in the project or process for each task receive at most one of the participatory role types. Although some companies and organizations do allow, for example, double participatory types, this generally implies that the roles have not yet been truly resolved and so impedes the value of the RACI approach in clarifying each role on each task. For further information on RACI see http://www.pmforum.org/library/tips/pdf_files/RACI_R_Web3_1.pdf.

Role to Role Link

This type of link represents a hierarchal relationship. Users who are members of a parent role are automatically members of the sub-role, and therefore provisioned with all the sub-roles privileges.

Ticket

Tickets are work items that can be viewed in the Ticket Queue. They can be work related or informational, and/or hierarchal, or provide a plain notification concerning a process.

Universe

A term used to denote a unique Master-configuration/Model-configuration pair.

Violations

A violation is a breach of corporate security policies, guidelines, BPRs and/or regulations. CA RCM identifies such infractions and lists them in Audit Cards, where relevant. While using the CA RCM Portal, you will come across Violations columns where relevant. The number listed in such columns provides the number of violations associated with the specific row in the table.

Workflow

Campaigns and approval processes are guided by a workflow, a collection of instructions that guide the application logic. The workflow is generated by Workpoint™, which is a Business Processes Management (BPM) workflow design engine.

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