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SPI for Citrix MetaFrame Installation and Configuration Guide

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Font Italic	Definition Product names, book or manual titles, man page names, and section, table, and figure titles Emphasis	Example Refer to the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame Installation and Configuration Guide for additional information. You <i>must</i> follow these steps. From the Define Configuration on
	Window and dialog box names	window, select a node.
Bold	Selection of items	Select Actions followed by selecting Agents then Assign Templates and assign the template.
Computer	File names, syntax, directory path names, or text that should be entered on screen or that is displayed on the monitor	The following file is located on the root directory of the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame installation CD: readme.txt.
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Quick Introduction to SPI for Citrix MetaFrame

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Overview

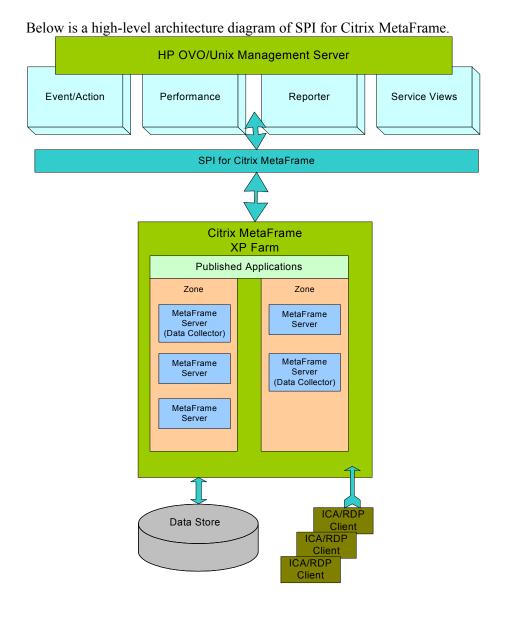
HERMES SoftLab Citrix MetaFrame SMART Plug-In for HP OpenView (SPI for Citrix MetaFrame) is designed specifically for use with Citrix MetaFrame products from HP OpenView environments. Developed by HERMES SoftLab Group, it proactively and securely manages a distributed, Citrix MetaFrame environment from one, centralized point. Additional benefits of using SPI for Citrix MetaFrame include the following:

- □ Alerts on failures of critical and optional MetaFrame Presentation Server services
- Immediately identifies internal MetaFrame issues by forwarding relevant System and Application Event Log messages
- Notifies on important MetaFrame farm changes and risky configurations that can lead to farm instability
- □ Supervises session and published application activity parameters and alerts when they reach defined thresholds
- Provides farm, zone, server and user-oriented session management, making actions, such as "Send a message to all sessions of a user" or "Logoff all sessions on a server", straightforward, atomic operations
- Enhances an administrator's toolbox by providing various informational tools including version/service pack information for each server in a farm, and so on
- Regularly records resource consumption of critical and optional MetaFrame Presentation Server services
- □ Collects session and published application activity beyond what is available via performance counters (for example, session state, number of session processes, full domain\username of a user, logon time, and so on)

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- Reports resource consumption of MetaFrame Presentation Server services for top servers in a farm
- Provides insight into session activity by generating numerous reports on their resource consumption, their relation to users, session states, transmission activity, session duration, and so on
- Generates reports on published application activity with regard to server resource consumption, users, duration of use, and so on
- Automatically discovers MetaFrame farm servers, published applications, and their dependencies in a farm, and creates a corresponding service map model
- Regularly updates the MetaFrame farm service map model according to changes detected in a farm

High-level Architecture





Main Components of SPI for Citrix MetaFrame

The main components of SPI for Citrix MetaFrame include the following:

- HP OpenView Operations/UNIX Templates
- HP OpenView Operations/UNIX Applications
- HP OpenView Operations/UNIX Reports
- HP OpenView Operations/UNIX Service Navigator Map

Although these components are discussed in detail in the chapters that follow, a brief description of each is listed below.

Templates

Templates instruct HP OpenView Operations for UNIX engines how to solve system management issues, for example, "Monitor CPU Utilization". Additionally, when a specific system event occurs, templates can generate HP OpenView Operations for UNIX messages. These messages then trigger automatic or operator-initiated actions.

Applications

HP OpenView Operations for UNIX applications are used to run specific applications or utilities on managed nodes. Additionally, their output can be displayed on the console. SPI for Citrix MetaFrame implements many HP OpenView Operations for UNIX applications.

Reports

This version of SPI for Citrix MetaFrame produces reports on the following information:

- How much CPU time, physical, and virtual memory MetaFrame services consume on each MetaFrame server
- MetaFrame published application use on farm and server level
- Logon/logoff activity on farm and server level
- Detailed user activity (list of sessions, duration of each session, CPU, memory, and swap usage of each session)
- User and published application accounting information useful for billing purposes
- Top 10 reports on published application resource consumption and server end-user latency
- Threshold assistant reports that help you adjust monitoring templates to your MetaFrame environment

Reports are generated via the HP OpenView Reporter product.

Service Navigator Map

HP OpenView Service Navigator is a component of the HP OpenView Operations Java-based operator GUI. This component enables you to manage your IT (information technology) environment while focusing on the IT services that you provide.

SPI for Citrix MetaFrame contains support for Service Navigator; it automatically generates a MetaFrame service map of the Citrix MetaFrame enterprise configuration.

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Contact Information

This chapter contains e-mail and Web page addresses you can use if you want to obtain the license activation file for the product, if you need help while using the product, and if you would like additional information about this or other HERMES SoftLab products.

Licensing

- To obtain the license activation file online: Go to <u>http://spi.hermes-softlab.com/licensing/</u>, register, and upload the license request file. The system will automatically process your request and send you the license activation file by e-mail. Have your PO information ready.
- To obtain the license activation file via e-mail: Send the generated license request file by e-mail to the HERMES SoftLab Licensing Department at <u>spi-licensing@hermes.si</u>. You will receive the license activation file usually within 24 hours. If you need immediate response, contact HERMES SoftLab by telephone and e-mail (see contact information on License Entitlement Certificate).

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If you have purchased the software directly from HERMES SoftLab, send e-mail to:

support-metafspi@hermes.si

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and the company Web site at: http://www.hermes-softlab.com/



Getting Started

The purpose of this chapter is to help you to get started quicker in using SPI for Citrix MetaFrame. This chapter also provides basic information about using the SPI. However, for additional, detailed information on working with SPI for Citrix MetaFrame, refer to the information in the chapters that follow.

File Locations

Below is a list of file locations for SPI for Citrix MetaFrame.

Server side instrumentation of SPI for Citrix MetaFrame is located on the management server in:

/opt/OV/metafspi

SPI for Citrix MetaFrame instrumentation is located on the management server in:

/var/opt/OV/share/databases/OpC/mgd_node/customer/ms/\
intel/nt/monitor

and

/var/opt/OV/share/databases/OpC/mgd_node/customer/ms/\intel/nt/cmds

Reporter components are installed on the Reporter system in:

<ReporterDataDir>\reports\METAFSPI

and

<ReporterInstallDir>\newconfig\packages

Additionally, the following printable documents are located on the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame installation CD:

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readme-unix.txt
metafspi-release-notes-unix.txt
metafspi_license.txt
METAFSPI-UNIXGuide.pdf
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Navigating Within This Guide

Refer to the information below for instructions on where to go for additional information about a particular subject.

For information on	Go to	
SPI for Citrix MetaFrame features and	Chapter 1: Quick Introduction to	
where to go for product assistance	SPI for Citrix MetaFrame	
Hardware and software requirements	Chapter 2: Installing SPI for Citrix	
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How to assign templates	Chapter 3: SPI for Citrix	
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Removing SPI for Citrix MetaFrame from	Chapter 2: Installing SPI for Citrix	
your environment	MetaFrame	
Errors and how to solve them	Chapter 5: Troubleshooting	

Summary of Installation and Configuration Tasks

To use this SPI more efficiently, follow the chart below.

 Ensure that your system environment meets the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame hardware and software requirements. Install SPI for Citrix MetaFrame on an HP OpenView management server and, if applicable, on a 	SEE CHAPTER 2	Check the following: - Operating system platform - Citrix MetaFrame platform - HP OpenView platform - Install the product from the CD provided - Verify the installation
Reporter system. 3. Perform licensing of SPI for Citrix MetaFrame	SEE CHAPTER 2	- Verify that licensing has been performed
3. Configure HP OpenView Operations and SPI for Citrix MetaFrame.	SEE CHAPTER 2	 Establish security (MetaFrame farm passwords); performed on the management server Place MetaFrame nodes under control of the management server (if necessary) Assign templates to the MetaFrame nodes
4. Execute applications and assign templates.	SEE CHAPTER 3	- Make sure applications have been executed and templates assigned
5. Use SPI for Citrix MetaFrame to collect metrics.	SEE CHAPTER 3	- Make sure that an HP OpenView Operations Agent is installed on all systems targeted for metrics collection
6. Integrate SPI for Citrix MetaFrame with HP OpenView Reporter to create Web-based reports.	SEE CHAPTER 3	 Properly configure and install reports for HP OpenView Reporter Assign templates
7. Generate MetaFrame Service Navigator map of the Citrix MetaFrame enterprise configuration.	SEE CHAPTER 3	- Perform autodiscovery

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Installing SPI for Citrix MetaFrame

Pre-requisites and Supported Platforms

This chapter describes the pre-requisites required for the installation of SPI for Citrix MetaFrame. To avoid potential problems during the SPI's installation, please read this chapter carefully. Additionally, to effectively install and use SPI for Citrix MetaFrame, please read and follow all steps described in each of the following sections in the order listed below:

- Installing and Removing SPI for Citrix MetaFrame
- SPI for Citrix MetaFrame Licensing Overview
- Verifying Requirements and Configuration

Hardware Requirements

The HP OpenView Management Server hardware requirements can be found in the following manual:

• HP OpenView Operations Installation Guide for the Management Server

The HP OpenView Managed Nodes hardware requirements can be found in the following manual:

• HP OpenView Operations Administrator's Reference II

The Citrix MetaFrame hardware requirements can be found in the documentation that is provided with the Citrix MetaFrame software.



Software Requirements

Citrix MetaFrame versions compatible with SPI for Citrix MetaFrame include all editions of the Citrix MetaFrame Presentation Server products for Windows 2000 and Windows 2003 server family. Additionally, SPI for Citrix MetaFrame is compatible with HP OpenView Operations for Unix 7.10 and 8.x.

OVO/Unix Management Server:

- OVO/Unix 7.10 on Solaris 7 and 8
- OVO/Unix 7.10 on HP-UX 11.0 and 11i
- OVO/Unix 8.x on Solaris 8 and 9
- OVO/Unix 8.x on HP-UX 11.0 and 11i

IMPORTANT NOTE:

Data Source Integration To Dynamic Data Feed (DSI2DDF) component, version A.01.30, should be installed on the OVO/U Mgmt Server system if you want to use the reporting functionality.

Managed Node:

- Citrix MetaFrame XPs/XPa/XPe 1.0 SP1/FR1, SP2/FR2, SP3/FR3 or SP4/FR3 running on Windows 2000 and Windows 2003 server family (where applicable)
- Citrix MetaFrame Presentation Server 3.0 Standard/Advanced/Enterprise edition, running on Windows 2000 and Windows 2003 server family

IMPORTANT NOTE:

If you are using Citrix MetaFrame 1.0 SP2/FR2, you also need to apply to each MetaFrame server a hotfix XE102W083. This is required for the Reporter group of templates to correctly gather performance data.

HP OpenView Reporter:

• HP OpenView Reporter 3.5

IMPORTANT NOTE:

With Reporter 3.5, Reporter patch OVR_00008 or later must be installed.

Additional Requirements

Data Store Consistency

SPI for Citrix MetaFrame can only operate correctly if the MetaFrame farm Data Store is consistent. Use the dscheck.exe tool available with MetaFrame Presentation Server XP 1.0 SP3/FR3 and MetaFrame Presentation Server 3.0 to check and fix potential Data Store inconsistencies.

To check for Data Store consistency, login to one of the MetaFrame servers using the farm administrator account (Citrix suggests to login to the Data Collector node), and execute from command-line:

dscheck.exe

If the tool reports any Data Store inconsistencies, you need to resolve them before you continue with the installation of the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame. For details on how to resolve Data Store inconsistencies, refer to MetaFrame documentation about the dscheck.exe tool.

Measurement of Execution Impact

This section describes the execution impact on a computer's CPU, memory and disk for the HP OpenView Operations for Unix managed nodes. Specifically, the information listed here presents an example of the impact that SPI for Citrix MetaFrame can have on your systems.

The following is an example of the load placed on the systems that we used and how we tested the impact of SPI for Citrix MetaFrame in our lab.

Systems Used:

2xPIII 1 GHz 640Mb RAM, 20Gb HDD Windows 2000 Advanced Server Citrix MetaFrame FR2 SPI for Citrix MetaFrame (with Quick Start and Reporter template groups deployed)

Result:

For all Quick Start and Reporter templates – a total of 35 templates – the execution impact was as follows:

- Average CPU consumption for a 5-second duration was 25% for each 5 minutes
- Average Committed Mbytes for a 5-second duration was 4.5Mb for each 5 minutes
- Average Available Mbytes for a 5-second duration was decreased by 5.5Mb for each 5 minutes
- Impact on disk was negligible

Installing and Removing SPI for Citrix MetaFrame

This section discusses how to install SPI for Citrix MetaFrame, re-install SPI for Citrix MetaFrame templates and applications, and how to uninstall SPI for Citrix MetaFrame.

If you need additional help with any of the configuration steps described in this chapter, refer to the following manuals:

- *HP OpenView Operations for Unix Installation Guide for the Management Server*
- HP OpenView Operations for Unix Concepts Guide
- HP OpenView Operations for Unix Administrator's Reference Volume I
- HP OpenView Operations for Unix Administrator's Reference Volume II

High-level Steps Required to Install SPI for Citrix MetaFrame on the Management Server

To install SPI for Citrix MetaFrame, follow the high-level steps below:

- 1. Install SPI for Citrix MetaFrame product on the HP OpenView Operations management server (on HP-UX or on Sun Solaris) from the CD provided.
- 2. Verify installation.
- 3. Establish security (configure MetaFrame farm administrator passwords).
- 4. If not already present on your system, place MetaFrame nodes under control of your management server.
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- 5. License the product
- 6. Distribute SPI for Citrix MetaFrame actions, monitors, and commands to the managed nodes
- 7. Verify/check requirements and configuration
- 8. Distribute SPI for Citrix MetaFrame templates to the managed nodes

Each of these steps is described in further detail in the sections that follow.

Installing SPI for Citrix MetaFrame on the Management Server

To install SPI for Citrix MetaFrame on the HP OpenView Operations management server perform the following steps:

- 1. Login to the HP OpenView Operations management server as the user root.
- 2. Check the following prerequisites:

/usr/sbin/swlist | grep ITO

The bundles, ITOEngOraAll and ITOEngSvcNav versions A.07.10, or higher, must be installed on your system.

NOTE:

During the installation process, all HP OpenView Operations processes must be "up and running".

- 3. Insert the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame Installation CD into the CD-ROM drive. The CD-ROM is automatically mounted on the Sun Solaris system, with mount point in the /cdrom directory.
- 4. From the root directory on the Installation CD, copy the following files to the /tmp directory on the system:
 - For Sun Solaris, the files HSLSPIeula_sun and METAFSPI_Sun.tar.gz.eula.
 - For HP-UX 11.00 and 11i, the files HSLSPIeula_hpux and METAFSPI_HPUX11.x.sdtape.gz.eula.
- 5. If needed, set the executable permissions using the chmod command to the files HSLSPIeula_hpux or HSLSPIeula_sun, respectively.

- 6. To obtain the product installation package, you first must agree to the enduser license agreement. From the /tmp directory, run from the command line:
 - For Sun Solaris: HSLSPIeula_sun -f METAFSPI_Sun.tar.gz.eula
 - For HP-UX 11.00 and 11i: HSLSPIeula_hpux -f METAFSPI_HPUX11.x.sdtape.gz.eula

The standard HERMES SoftLab Software License Agreement will be displayed. Read it carefully, type I AGREE, and then press [ENTER] to generate the installation package file without the .eula extension.

- 7. Decompress the installation package:
 - For Solaris:
 - First, decompress the gz file: gzip -d METAFSPI_Sun.tar.gz
 - 2. Then, extract the files from the tar file: tar xvf METAFSPI_Sun.tar
 - For HP-UX 11.00 and 11i:
 - gzip -d METAFSPI_HPUX11.x.sdtape.gz
- 8. Install SPI for Citrix MetaFrame. Note that this step installs all SPI for Citrix MetaFrame features. The installation is platform specific.
 - To install SPI for Citrix MetaFrame on Sun Solaris:
 - a) Run the following command:

./install -i

This will install the METAFSPI_Sun pkgadd on the Solaris system.

- b) The installation script asks if you want to install the installation package or quit installation. Press quit to stop the installation process or [Enter] if you want to continue.
- c) You will be notified when the installation is finished:

Installation of <METAFSPI> was successful.

d) Verify that the installation phase has completed without errors by checking the following log file:

/tmp/metafspi.install.log

- To install SPI for Citrix MetaFrame on HP-UX
 - a) Run the following command:

swinstall -s /tmp/METAFSPI_HPUX11.x.sdtape METAFSPI-All

b) Verify that the installation phase has completed without errors by checking the following log files:

/var/adm/sw/swagent.log and /var/adm/sw/swinstall.log

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Verify Installation on the Management Server

After the installation has completed successfully, many new HP OpenView Operations configuration items are uploaded to the HP OpenView Operations database on the management server.

To review these new items, start the HP OpenView Operations administrator GUI (graphical user interface) then open the corresponding windows (Message Group Bank, Node Group Bank, Application Bank, Message Source Templates, and User Profile Bank).

The following new configuration items are visible to the HP OpenView Operations administrator:

New message groups:

- metafspi
- metafspi_int

New node group:

• METAFSPI

New top level application group:

• SPI for Citrix MetaFrame

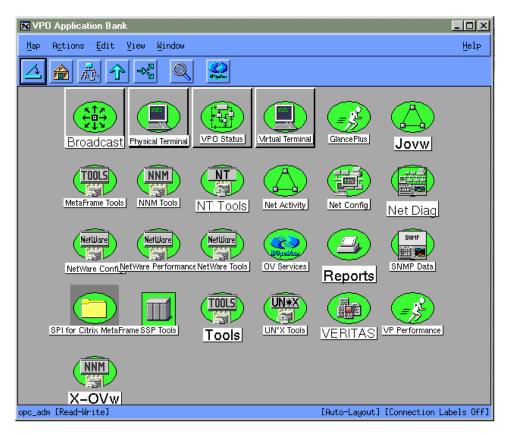
New top level template group:

• SPI for Citrix MetaFrame

New user profile:

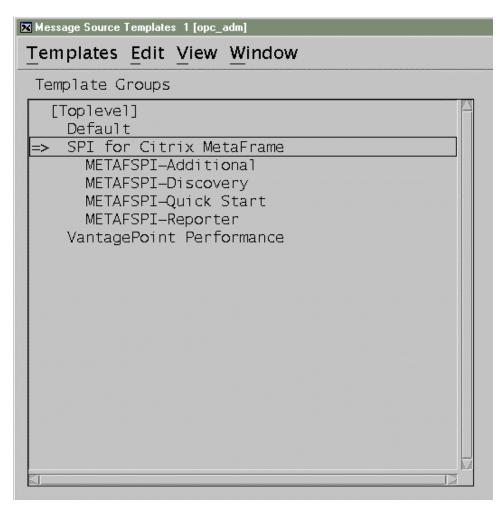
• METAFSPI Operator

Application Bank



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Message Source Templates



NOTE:

Refer to *Chapter 4: Reference Information* for detailed information about Applications and Application Groups as well as Templates and Template Groups.

Additional Steps on the Management Server

Make sure that the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame applications are assigned to the HP OpenView Operations user(s), operator and/or administrator, who will be using the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame applications. To ensure that SPI for Citrix MetaFrame messages appear correctly in the HP OpenView Operations message browser, the new message groups, metafspi and metafspi_int need to be assigned to the HP OpenView Operations user(s), operator, and/or administrator, who will be using the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame applications.

NOTE:

You can use METAFSPI Operator user profile to assist you in organizing the HP OpenView Operations users.

Setup Farm Administrator Accounts and Establish Security

In order for SPI for Citrix MetaFrame to work correctly on a managed node, a MetaFrame farm administrator's account and password must be configured for each farm to be managed.

Additionally, you will need to make the Citrix Administrator the local administrator (put it into the local administrator group) of every MetaFrame node that you are managing. The easiest way to do this is to add the Citrix Administrator account to the domain group which is the administrator of the managed nodes to which SPI is distributed.

Configure HP OpenView Operations and SPI for Citrix MetaFrame to Monitor Citrix MetaFrame on Managed Nodes

Information on how to configure HP OpenView Operations and SPI for Citrix MetaFrame on the managed nodes is described in the following sections.

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Adding Nodes to the Management Server

When you are adding the managed node to the management server, select your communication type carefully by following the steps below:

- 1. Start the HP OpenView Operations Console and log in as an HP OpenView Operations Administrator (opc_adm).
- 2. From the *Node Bank* window, select **Actions** followed by selecting **Node** then **Add...**.
- 3. In the *Add Node* window that appears, add the Node name then select the proper Machine type and OS Name.
- 4. Once information has been added, to exit the *Add Node* window, press [OK].

NOTE:

Make sure that the agent on the node is running.

Also, add the node to the METAFSPI group. Refer to your "HP OpenView Operations for UNIX" online documentation for more information on adding nodes.

Distributing SPI for MetaFrame Templates, Monitors, Actions, and Commands to the Managed Nodes

Once the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame is installed on the HP OpenView Operations management server and the configuration is uploaded, you must distribute the software components and the configuration to the managed nodes by following the steps below. Note that the Administrator should also customize the thresholds within the templates.

- 1. Make sure that all prerequisites listed in the section, *Software Requirements*, are met.
- 2. Start the HP OpenView Operations Console and log in as an HP OpenView Operations Administrator (opc_adm).
- 3. To ensure that METAFSPI messages appear correctly in the HP OpenView Operations message browser, make sure that the target nodes are members of their corresponding new node group METAFSPI. This node group and the new message groups, metafspi and metafspi_int, need to be assigned to the HP OpenView Operations user(s), operator and/or administrator, who will be using the instrumentation. This can be performed by manually assigning the responsibilities to these users or by using the METAFSPI Operator user profile.
- 4. Select the target node in the HP OpenView Operations *Node Bank* window.
- 5. From the menu, select Actions followed by selecting Agents then Install/Update SW & Config.... The Install/Update Software and Configuration window appears.
- 6. Select the following checkboxes: Actions, Monitors, and Commands then press [OK].

Installation on a Reporter System

To install SPI for Citrix MetaFrame on a Reporter system, perform the steps that follow.

- 1. Where HP OpenView Reporter is installed, login to your Windows machine as the user administrator.
- 2. Make sure that HP OpenView Reporter is correctly installed on your system.
- 3. Insert the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame Installation CD into your computer.
- 4. Navigate to the root directory on the installation CD and execute:

METAFSPI-Reporter.exe

5. At the end of the installation procedure, verify the installation on the Reporter system. To verify the installation, start HP OpenView Reporter and select **Reports**. Listed under Reports is **SPI for Citrix MetaFrame**. Begin to use Reports when, after at least two days, performance data are collected on the managed nodes.

Farm Administrator Account Configuration Application

SPI for Citrix MetaFrame includes the METAFSPIconfig configuration application. This application generates the METAFSPIsec.dat file, which is then assigned to the managed nodes in order for instrumentation to use information within when interacting with a MetaFrame server. Note that the contents of this file are encrypted and should only be manipulated on the management server using the METAFSPIconfig application.

NOTE:

For each farm that you want to manage with SPI for Citrix MetaFrame, you need to enter the farm administrator account for that farm.

The METAFSPIConfig application is located in:

/opt/OV/metafspi/METAFSPIConfig

You can run it with one of the following four options:

Option	Action performed
list	Lists farm administrators
add	Adds a farm administrator
delete	Deletes a farm administrator
change	Changes a farm administrator password

Follow the instructions below to run the METAFSPIConfig configuration application.

list

To list all farms, perform the following:

From the command line, run:

./METAFSPIConfig -list

A list of farms appears:

No.	Farm name	Farm username	Farm domain
1	FARM_FR1	XPACCAdmin	TESTMF

add

To add a farm, perform the following steps:

1. From the command line, run:

./METAFSPIConfig -add

2. You will be asked to enter the following farm account information: farm name, farm domain, farm username, and a password for this farm. After you have entered the farm account information, the list view appears with the detailed information about all the farms:

No.	Farm name	Farm username	Farm domain
1	FARM_FR1	XPACCAdmin	TESTMF
2	FARM_FR2	XPACCAdmin	TESTMF

delete

To remove a farm administrator account, perform the following steps:

1. From the command line, run:

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./METAFSPIConfig -delete
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2. You will be asked to enter the account number of the farm you want to remove. After you have entered the farm account number, the list view appears where you can see that the farm is no longer available.

No.	Farm name	Farm username	Farm domain
1	FARM_FR1	XPACCAdmin	TESTMF

change

To change the password for the farm administrator account, perform the following steps:

1. From the command line, run:

./METAFSPIConfig -change

2. You will be asked to enter and retype a new password for the farm you want to change.

SPI for Citrix MetaFrame Licensing

To start using SPI for Citrix MetaFrame, you will need to purchase a product license (either temporary or permanent) for every node that will be monitored by SPI for Citrix MetaFrame.

NOTE:

After the trial usage license expires, the product will automatically become unusable. To extend your use of the product, contact HERMES SoftLab Licensing Department at <u>spi-licensing@hermes.si</u>.

Licensing Procedure

Listed below are the steps you must perform to obtain a license needed to use SPI for Citrix MetaFrame.

Distribute the Licensing Template to Managed Nodes

- 1. Start the HP OpenView Operations Console and log in as an HP OpenView Operations Administrator (opc_adm).
- **2.** From the *Node Bank* window, select the node(s) to which you want to distribute the template to.
- **3.** From the menu, select **Actions** followed by selecting **Agents** then **Assign Templates**. The *Define Configuration* window opens.
- 4. Click Add to open the *Add Configuration* window.
- 5. Click **Open Template Window...** to open the *Message Source Templates* window.

- 6. From the **Template Group** list, expand **SPI for Citrix MetaFrame/METAFSPI-Quick Start** and then in the right pane select the **METAFSPI-SPI Licensing** group.
- 7. In the *Add Configuration* window, click **Get Template Selections** and then [OK]. The selected template is now added to the list of templates in the *Define Configuration* window.
- 8. From the menu, select Actions followed by selecting Agents then Install/Update SW & Config.... The Install/Update Software and Configuration window opens.
- 9. Select the following checkboxes: **Templates**, **Actions**, **Commands**, **Monitors** and press [OK]. The template required for licensing METAFSPI-LicOpcMsg is installed on the managed node.

Generate the License Request File

- 1. From the *Node Bank* window, select **Window** followed by selecting **Application Bank**. The *Application Bank* window opens.
- 2. Double-click the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame/METAFSPI Licensing group.

NOTE:

Perform the next step only if you have already performed a license procedure and would like to generate a license request for additional nodes.

- 3. Run the *1. Clear License Request File on Mgmt Server* application to clear the metafspi_license_requests.dat license request file on the management server.
- 4. Run the 2. *Generate License Request for Node* application on the managed nodes for which you need licenses. In the *Customized Startup-Application* window, in the *Additional Parameters* field, replace the string "Your Company Name" with the name of your company. Press [OK] to generate the license request. Note that this tool creates license requests on each selected node and sends them to the management server, which will put all of them to one file: metafspi_license_requests.dat.

Obtain the License Activation File

- 1. To obtain the license activation file:
 - Use the Licensing portal:

Go to <u>http://spi.hermes-softlab.com/licensing/</u>, register, and upload the license request file. When registering, have your PO information ready. The system will automatically process your request and send you the license activation file by e-mail.

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• Send e-mail:

Send the generated license request file by e-mail to the HERMES SoftLab Licensing Department at <u>spi-licensing@hermes.si</u>. You will receive the license activation file usually within 24 hours. If you need immediate response, contact HERMES SoftLab by telephone and e-mail (see contact information on License Entitlement Certificate).

2. You will receive a license activation file metafspi_licact_new.dat.

Merge and Distribute the License Files

- Copy the metafspi_licact_new.dat file to following directory: /opt/OV/metafspi
- 2. From the **METAFSPI Licensing** application group, run the *3. Merge License Activation Codes on Mgmt Server* application to merge the metafspi_licact_new.dat file with the SPI license file. When you run this application for the first time, the application will merge the license activation file metafspi_licact_new.dat with the empty SPI license activation file metafspi_licact.dat. Both files are located on the management server in the following directory:/opt/OV/metafspi.
- 3. From the *Install/Update Software and Configuration* window, distribute monitor to all managed nodes for which you have requested METAFSPI licenses.

Verify Licensing

To check if the licensing was successful, run the *List License Activation Codes* application to list the activated license activation codes.



Verifying Requirements and Configuration

This section describes the final step that needs to be performed on managed nodes to ensure that all requirements are met and that configuration of SPI for Citrix MetaFrame is complete.

Using the Check Requirements/Configuration Applicaton to Check Requirements and Configuration Information

The **Check Requirements/Configuration** application located in the **METAFSPI Support** application group provides troubleshooting information and helps you verify SPI for Citrix MetaFrame requirements and configuration information. Once you have completed licensing your product, follow the steps below to finalize the setup of SPI for Citrix MetaFrame.

When SPI for Citrix MetaFrame is installed and configured (that is, licenses are configured, software and configuration is updated), from the **METAFSPI Support** application group, run the application **Check Requirements/Configuration** against all MetaFrame managed nodes. This application will check each configuration and output a few cases indicating whether the check is OK or not. *Figure 1: Check Requirements/Configuration Applicaton Output OK*, which follows, displays a scenario where the application has been run and the configuration is correct. *Figure 2: Check Requirements/Configuration Applicaton Output Failed* shows a "failed" scenario where the check found that a valid METAFSPI license is missing.

Note that the following application outputs are always listed in the *Application Output:* field of the *Application Status* dialog box.

Application Output	Area Verified
Launching user has local admin privileges	Configuration
Valid METAFSPI license	Configuration
MFCOM service is running	Requirements
Farm admin account configured	Configuration
DSI2DDF is installed	Configuration
MetaFrame server version	Requirements

Figure 1: Check Requirements/Configuration Application Output OK

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Executed Application		
METAFSPISupport.exe -chkred		
Application Output		
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Command Output	No. 1 of 1	
	Node: kmet.hermes.si	
	Time: 01/07/04 17:27:48	
Launching user has local admin privileg Valid METAFSPI license OK MFCOM service is running OK Farm admin account configured OK SPI Data Collector deployed OK MetaFrame server version OK ALL OK SPI For Citrix MetaFrame is pr		red 🔽
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🛛 Output of Application No. 2	
Executed Application	
METAFSPISupport.exe -chkreq [
Application Output	
Command Output Retry No. 1 of Command No. 1 of Node: kmet.hermes.si Time: 01/07/04 17:37:56	
Launching user has local admin privileges OK Valid METAFSPI license FAILED License is missing MFCOM service is running OK Farm admin account configured OK SPI Data Collector deployed OK MetaFrame server version OK	
FAILED One of checks failed. Please repair failure and run tool again.	
Close Stop Save Retry Help	

For additional information on the *METAFSPI Support* application group, refer to the section *METAFSPI Support Applications* listed in *Chapter 4: Reference Information* of this manual.

Uninstalling SPI for Citrix MetaFrame

To completely uninstall SPI for Citrix MetaFrame, you must first remove all SPI for Citrix MetaFrame templates from the managed nodes and then from the HP OpenView Operations management server. Although the uninstall process is mostly automatic, some manual steps, as listed in the following sections, are required.

Uninstalling SPI for Citrix MetaFrame from the Managed Nodes

- 1. Start the HP OpenView Operations Console and log in as HP OpenView Administrator (opc_adm).
- 2. Select the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame managed nodes in the *Node Bank* window from which you wish to remove SPI for Citrix MetaFrame.
- 3. Select **Actions** followed by selecting **Agents** then **Assign Templates...** From the *Define Configuration* window, remove the METAFSPI templates and templates group. When the templates have been removed, press [OK].
- 4. From the *Node Bank* window, select **Actions** followed by selecting **Agents** then **Install/Update SW & Config...** In the *Install/Update Software and Configuration* window, select the following checkbox: **Templates**.
- 5. Press [OK] to begin the distribution.
- From the *Application Bank* window, double-click on SPI for Citrix MetaFrame. Then, from the window displayed, double-click on METAFSPI Uninstall application group. To perform the uninstall process, run the application Remove Instrumentation from Managed Node.
- 7. The SPI for Citrix MetaFrame templates and software are now removed from the selected managed node(s).

Uninstalling SPI for Citrix MetaFrame from the Management Server

To uninstall SPI for Citrix MetaFrame from an HP OpenView Operations management server, perform the following steps:

- 1. Login to the HP OpenView Operations management server as the user root.
- 2. Perform all the steps described in the section, *Uninstalling SPI for Citrix MetaFrame from the Managed Nodes*. Perform the steps on all managed nodes on which SPI for Citrix MetaFrame has been installed.
- 3. Manually remove the following items:
 - metafspi and metafspi_int from the Message Group Bank window
 - **METAFSPI** from the *Node Group Bank* window
 - **METAFSPI Operator** from the User Profile Bank window
 - SPI for Citrix MetaFrame from the Application Bank window
 - SPI for Citrix MetaFrame Template Group and its templates from the *Message Source Template* window
- 4. Perform additional platform-specific steps:
 - On HP-UX:
 - 1. From the command line, run: swremove METAFSPI-All
 - 2. From the command line, run swlist and check whether the METAFSPI entries are removed from the list.
 - 3. Check the following log files for any problems that may have occurred during the removal process:

/var/adm/sw/swagent.log

/var/adm/sw/swremove.log

- On Sun Solaris:
 - 1. Insert the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame Installation CD into the CD-ROM drive.
 - 2. The CD-ROM is automatically mounted on the Sun Solaris system, with mount point in /cdrom directory.
 - 3. From the root directory on the Installation CD, copy the files HSLSPIeula_sun and METAFSPI_Sun.tar.gz.eula to the /tmp directory on the system.
 - 4. If needed, set the executable permission using the chmod command to the file HSLSPIeula_sun.
 - 5. From the /tmp directory, run from the command line:

HSLSPIeula_sun METAFSPI_Sun.tar.gz.eula

The standard HERMES SoftLab Software License Agreement will be displayed. Type I AGREE, and then press [ENTER] to generate installation package file without the .eula extension.

- 6. Decompress the installation package:
 - a. First, decompress the gz file:

gzip -d METAFSPI_Sun.tar.gz

b. Then, extract the files from the archive:

tar xvf METAFSPI_Sun.tar

7. To remove the product, run:

/tmp/remove -r

Uninstalling from a Reporter System

To uninstall SPI for Citrix MetaFrame on a system that contains the HP OpenView Reporter product, follow the steps below.

- 1. Login to your Windows machine where the HP OpenView Reporter is installed as the user administrator.
- 2. Open Control Panel and double-click Add/Remove Programs. Select SPI for Citrix MetaFrame Reporter and press [Change/Remove] to uninstall the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame Reports.

SPI for Citrix MetaFrame Usage

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SPI for Citrix MetaFrame Usage

Distribute Applications

SPI for Citrix MetaFrame implements many HP OpenView Operations for UNIX applications. To start a selected application on a selected node, follow the steps below.

- 1. Select the target node in the HP OpenView Operations *Node Bank* window.
- 2. From the menu, select Actions followed by selecting Agents then Install/Update SW & Config.... The Install/Update Software and Configuration window appears.
- 3. Select the following checkboxes: Actions, Monitors, and Commands then press [OK].

Distribute Templates

Templates instruct HP OpenView Operations engines how to solve system management issues, for example, "Monitor CPU Utilization". Additionally, when a specific system event occurs, templates can generate HP OpenView Operations messages. These messages then trigger automatic or operator-initiated actions.

Follow the steps in this section to distribute templates to nodes. Note that the Administrator should also customize the thresholds within the templates.

- 1. Select the target node in the HP OpenView Operations *Node Bank* window.
- 2. From the menu, select Actions followed by selecting Agents then Install/Update SW & Config.... The Install/Update Software and Configuration window appears.
- 3. Select the following checkbox: Templates then press [OK].

NOTE:

SPI for Citrix MetaFrame templates are logically grouped together under the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame template group. For example, you can distribute templates in the Quick Start group to get started quickly with the SPI. For additional information on templates grouped by common usage, refer to the section, *Template Grouping within SPI for Citrix MetaFrame*, which is in *Chapter 4: Reference Information*, of this manual.

SPI for Citrix MetaFrame Integration with HP OpenView Reporter

Integration Requirements

SPI for Citrix MetaFrame integration with HP OpenView Reporter requires that the following actions have occurred prior to the installation of reports on a system:

- The HP OpenView Reporter is installed on the same system as the HP OpenView Management server or it is installed as a standalone system, and the Reporter Service is running.
- An HP OpenView Operations Agent 7.x is installed on the Managed Nodes for which you want to generate reports.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

Data Source Integration To Dynamic Data Feed (DSI2DDF) component, version A.01.30, should be installed on the management server if you want to use the reporting functionality.



Assigning Templates and Collecting Performance Data

To produce reports, templates must be assigned. All templates related to collecting performance data are grouped together under the following template group: **SPI for Citrix MetaFrame**...**METAFSPI-Reporter**. Once templates are successfully installed on the agent, the Embedded Performance Agent (CODA agent) begins to collect performance data for sessions, services processes, and published applications at regular intervals. For all Citrix MetaFrame systems where CODA agents are collecting data, HP OpenView Reporter can be used to generate reports.

How HP OpenView Reporter Creates Reports

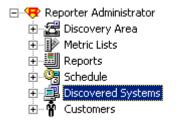
Reporter follows the steps below when producing reports:

- Perform System Discovery
- Gather Performance Data
- Generate Reports

Each of these steps is described in detail in the following sections.

Perform System Discovery

HP OpenView Reporter creates Web-based reports from data derived from the targeted systems that it "discovers". During a system discovery, Reporter looks for systems that are specified in the **Discovery Area**, and which have an Embedded Performance Agent (CODA agent) or HP OpenView Performance Agent for Windows NT/2000 (formerly known as MeasureWare Agent or MWA) agent installed on them. It then adds those systems to the **Discovered Systems** group as indicated below:



Discovered systems are placed in groups for easier access and reporting. Systems can be assigned to groups as they are discovered as specified in the Automatic Grouping facility. By default, systems are automatically assigned to groups based on the name of their operating system. However, you can also manually assign systems to groups.



A system can belong to any number of different groups. You can also create your own groups and assign systems to them manually using the "drag and drop" action.

Note that the following group is created for SPI for Citrix MetaFrame purposes:

• SPI for Citrix MetaFrame

There is also an auto-grouping defined for this group, based on the following criteria:

Data Source = ^METAFSPIUX.*

The above indicates that each discovered system which contains a Data Source that begins with the word METAFSPIUX, for example, METAFSPIUX_SVCS and METAFSPIUX_SESX both match this rule, is automatically added to the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame discovered systems group in Reporter.

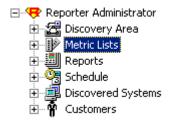
IMPORTANT NOTE:

The auto-grouping feature only works with newly discovered systems. If your systems have already been discovered by Reporter prior to the installation of the Reporter part of SPI for Citrix MetaFrame, they may not have been added to the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame Reporter group; it may even occur that the group itself has not been created.

- If you find that a SPI for Citrix MetaFrame group was not created automatically, create one by yourself (take special care about the case used for the letters, it must be SPI for Citrix MetaFrame).
- If you find that a specific MetaFrame system has not been put under the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame group, you can add it to the group manually.

Gather Performance Data

Once Reporter has run through its discovery, it gathers performance data from each discovered system and places it in a local database. Additionally, Reporter gathers data only for those metrics that it knows about. These metrics are specified under **Metrics Lists**, as indicated below:



Metric lists control what information is gathered from a system into the Reporter's database. A metric list groups metrics from a single metric class supplied by the performance agent for UNIX or Windows. The metric list can also select the degree of summarization (points every 5 minutes, hour, day, and so on) and how much data to gather and retain in the database. The shorter the interval, the more records collected. The default summarization level is one hour. Metric lists are tightly connected to Data Source and Objects within that Data Source on each system.

The following metric list is created for SPI for Citrix MetaFrame reports on MetaFrame services:

• METAFSPI_SVC

METAFSPI_SVC metric lists contains the following four metrics:

- hinstancename
- PAGEFILEBYTES
- PCTPROCESSORTIME
- WORKINGSET

Points in metric lists are summarized hourly, and retained for seven days.

The following metric lists are created for SPI for Citrix MetaFrame reports on MetaFrame sessions:

- METAFSPIUX_SESS
- METAFSPIUX_SICA
- METAFSPIUX_SESX
- METAFSPIUX_SESM

The METAFSPIUX_SESS metric list contains the following metrics:

- hinstancename
- WORKINGSET
- TOTALTIMEOUTS
- TOTALFRAMES
- TOTALERRORS
- PRIVATEBYTES
- PCTPROCESSORTIME
- PAGEFILEBYTES

The METAFSPIUX_SICA metric list contains the following metrics:

- hinstancename
- LATENCYSESSIONAVERA
- LATENCYLASTRECORDED

The METAFSPIUX_SESX metric list contains the following metrics:

- SESSIONNAME
- SESSIONID
- DOMAINNAME
- USERNAME
- STATE
- LOGONTIME
- LASTINPUTTIME
- APPDN
- ADDRFAMILY
- ISDESKTOPSESS
- ISMODEMSESS
- CPUTIME
- WORKINGSETSIZE
- PAGEFILESIZE

The METAFSPIUX_SESM metric list contains the following metrics:

- SUMMKEY
- NUMALLSESS
- NUMACTSESS
- NUMDISCSESS
- NUMAPPINST
- NUMIPSESS
- NUMIPXSESS
- NUMNETBIOSSESS
- NUMMODEMSESS
- NUMDESKTOPSESS
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• NUMPROCS

Points in metric lists are summarized with a 5-minute interval and retained for 42 days.

Also, the following metric list is created for all SPI for Citrix MetaFrame reports:

• METAFSPIUX_FARM

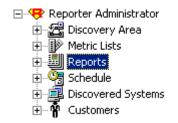
It contains the following metrics:

- FARMNAME
- ZONENAME

Points in the metric list are summarized hourly and retained for three days.

Generate Reports

Reporter generates HTML reports based on the data available in the local Reporter database. Additionally, Reporter creates the HTML reports from the set of reports that it knows about; reports which are located in the **Reports** group as indicated below:



Available reports are listed in families under the Reports icon. You can expand the Reports hierarchy in the Reporter window then click on a report family to display in the right pane, the reports it contains. You can also delete the report when it is in the right pane. Click on an individual report to display its definition details. Additionally, you can edit the report definition details in the right pane including the Date Range and Shift Name.

The following report family is created for SPI for Citrix MetaFrame purposes:

• SPI for Citrix MetaFrame

Reports Implemented in SPI for Citrix MetaFrame

Several report categories and related individual reports exist under the **SPI for Citrix MetaFrame** report family as specified in the tables that follow.

NOTE:

All SPI for Citrix MetaFrame reports require that the METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging scheduled template correctly logs its data. This template logs server configuration information once per hour – by default this occurs 17 minutes past the hour. You must ensure that at least at 12:17 PM, the MetaFrame server is operational; otherwise, it will not be included in reports on the following day.

Category	Report
	Session Logon/Logoff Activity (farm/yesterday)
	<i>Filename:</i> g_METAFSPIUX_SESS_LOGON_LOGOFF_FARM.rpt
MetaFrame Sessions	<i>Description:</i> This report presents the number of logons / logoffs per hour on each Citrix MetaFrame farm over time. Using this report it is possible to receive insight into user logon / logoff behavior and to identify periods of peak logon / logoff activity.
	IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those MetaFrame servers in a farm that have the following templates assigned to the nodes (for at least 2 days):
	METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging METAFSPI-SessionsExLogging

Category	Report
	Session Logon/Logoff Activity (Farm/last 28 days)
	Filename: g_METAFSPIUX_SESS_LOGON_LOGOFF_28DAYS_FARM.rpt
MetaFrame Sessions	<i>Description:</i> This report presents session logon/logoff activity on MetaFrame farms in last 28 days. A session is defined as a unique combination of session ID and session logon time. Using this report it is possible to receive insight into the trends of session logon/logoff activity on each farm.
	IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those MetaFrame servers in a farm that have the following templates assigned to the nodes (for at least 2 days):
	METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging METAFSPI-SessionsExLogging
	Session Logon/Logoff Activity (server/yesterday)
	Filename: g_METAFSPIUX_SESS_LOGON_LOGOFF_SERVER.rpt
MetaFrame Sessions	<i>Description:</i> This report presents the number of logons / logoffs per hour on each Citrix MetaFrame server over time. Using this report it is possible to receive insight into user logon / logoff behavior and to identify periods of peak logon / logoff activity.
	IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those MetaFrame servers that have the following templates assigned to the nodes (for at least 2 days):
	METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging METAFSPI-SessionsExLogging



Category	Report
	Session Logon/Logoff Activity (server/last 28 days)
	<i>Filename:</i> g_METAFSPIUX_SESS_LOGON_LOGOFF_28DAYS_SERVER.rpt
MetaFrame Sessions	<i>Description:</i> This report presents session logon/logoff activity for MetaFrame servers within farms for the last 28 days. A session is defined as a unique combination of session ID and session logon time. Using this report it is possible to receive insight into the trends of session logon/logoff activity on each individual server.
	IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those MetaFrame servers that have the following templates assigned to the nodes (for at least 2 days):
	METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging METAFSPI-SessionsExLogging
	Session Activity in MetaFrame Farms (farm/last 28 days)
	<i>Filename:</i> g_METAFSPIUX_SESS_STATE_28DAYS_FARM.rpt
MetaFrame Sessions	<i>Description:</i> This report presents daily average session activity in MetaFrame farms. Sessions are categorized according to their state into three groups: active, disconnected, and all other (connected, connecting, shadowing, idle, listening, resetting, down, init, stale). Each group is graphed with a different color. Using this report it is possible to identify trends in farm session activity and to perform inter-farm session activity comparison.
	IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those MetaFrame servers that have the following templates assigned to the nodes (for at least 2 days):
	METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging METAFSPI-SessionsExLogging

Category	Report
	Session Activity in MetaFrame Farms (farm/yesterday)
	Filename: g_METAFSPIUX_SESS_STATE_FARM.rpt
MetaFrame Sessions	<i>Description:</i> This report presents session activity in each Citrix MetaFrame farm over time. Sessions are categorized according to their state into three groups: active, disconnected, and all other. Each group is graphed with its own color. Using this report it is possible to identify farms with high session activity and to perform inter-farm session activity comparison.
	IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those MetaFrame servers that have the following templates assigned to the nodes (for at least 2 days):
	METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging METAFSPI-SessionsExLogging
	Session Activity on MetaFrame Servers (server/last 28 days)
	<i>Filename</i> : g_METAFSPIUX_SESS_STATE_28DAYS_SERVER.rpt
MetaFrame Sessions	<i>Description:</i> This report presents daily average session activity on MetaFrame servers within farms. Sessions are categorized according to their state into three groups: active, disconnected, and all other (connected, connecting, shadowing, idle, listening, resetting, down, init, stale). Each group is graphed with a different color. Using this report it is possible to identify trends in server session activity and to perform cross- server session activity comparison.
	IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those MetaFrame servers that have the following templates assigned to the nodes (for at least 2 days):
	METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging METAFSPI-SessionsExLogging

Category	Report
MetaFrame Sessions	Session Activity on MetaFrame Servers
	(server/yesterday)
	<i>Filename:</i> g_METAFSPIUX_SESS_STATE_SERVER.rpt
	<i>Description:</i> This report presents session activity on each Citrix MetaFrame server over time. Sessions are categorized according to their state into three groups: active, disconnected, and all other. Each group is graphed with its own color. Using this report it is possible to identify servers within each farm with high session activity and to perform inter- server session activity comparison.
	IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those MetaFrame servers that have the following templates assigned to the nodes (for at least 2 days):
	METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging METAFSPI-SessionsExLogging
MetaFrame Published Applications	Number of Users of Published Applications (farm/yesterday)
	<i>Filename</i> : g_METAFSPIUX_APP_NR_USERS_DAY_FARM.rpt
	<i>Description:</i> This report presents the number of users of each published application per hour for MetaFrame farms. Using this report it is possible to monitor license utilization (if required by nature of application) or to receive insight into how much a specific published application is being used.
	IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those MetaFrame servers that have the following templates assigned to the nodes (for at least 2 days):
	METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging METAFSPI-SessionsExLogging

Category	Report
	Number of Users of Published Applications (farm/last 28 days)
MetaFrame Published Applications	<i>Filename</i> : g_METAFSPIUX_APP_NR_USERS_28DAYS_FARM.rpt
	<i>Description:</i> This report presents the number of users of each published application per day for MetaFrame farms for the last 28 days. The values depicted on the chart represent the number of unique (not concurrent) users that used a specific published application on that day. Using this report it is possible to receive insight into how much a specific published application is being used.
	IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those MetaFrame servers that have the following templates assigned to the nodes (for at least 2 days):
	METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging METAFSPI-SessionsExLogging
	Number of Users of Published Applications
	(server/yesterday)
MetaFrame Published Applications	<i>Filename</i> : g_METAFSPIUX_APP_NR_USERS_DAY_SERVER.rpt
	<i>Description:</i> This report presents the number of users of each published application per hour for MetaFrame servers within farms. Using this report it is possible to receive insight into how much a specific published application is being used on each server.
	IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those MetaFrame servers that have the following templates assigned to the nodes (for at least 2 days):
	METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging METAFSPI-SessionsExLogging

Category	Report
	Number of Users of Published Applications (server/last 28 days)
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	<i>Description:</i> This report presents the number of users of each published application per day for MetaFrame servers within farms for the last 28 days. The values depicted on the chart represent the number of unique (not concurrent) users that used a specific published application on that day. Using this report it is possible to receive insight into how much a specific published application is being used.
	IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those MetaFrame servers that have the following templates assigned to the nodes (for at least 2 days):
	METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging METAFSPI-SessionsExLogging
	Application Accounting Information (farm/last month)
MetaFrame Accounting	Filename: g_METAFSPIUX_ACCOUNTING_APP_MONTH_FARM.rpt
	<i>Description:</i> This report presents various accounting information for each published application used across all servers and all users in MetaFrame farms. 'Total number of logged application instances' field represents the number of running application instances that were detected in the reporting interval. 'Total use time' field represents the total duration application instances were running. 'Total CPU time spent' field represents the total CPU time application instances spent while running. 'Total memory use' field represents the total physical memory spent in time while application instances were running. This report provides accounting data that can be further used for billing of published application use.
	IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those MetaFrame servers that have the following templates assigned to the nodes (for at least 2 days):
	METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging METAFSPI-SessionsExLogging

Category	Report
	User Accounting Information (farm/last month)
MetaFrame Accounting	Filename: g_METAFSPIUX_ACCOUNTING_USER_MONTH_FARM.rpt
	<i>Description:</i> This report presents various accounting information for each user across all servers in MetaFrame farms. 'Total number of logged application instances' field represents the number of running application instances detected in the reporting interval. 'Total use time' field represents the total duration this users' application instances were running. 'Total CPU time spent' field represents the total CPU time application instances spent while running. 'Total memory use' field represents the total physical memory spent in time while application instances were running. This report provides accounting data that can be further used for billing of users based on their actual use of MetaFrame farm.
	IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those MetaFrame servers that have the following templates assigned to the nodes (for at least 2 days):
	METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging METAFSPI-SessionsExLogging
	Threshold Assistant for Session State Monitoring
	(farm/last 28 days)
Threshold Assistant	<i>Filename:</i> g_METAFSPIUX_THRASS_SESS_STATE_28DAYS_FARM.rpt
	<i>Description:</i> This report provides statistical information that helps adjust thresholds in session state monitoring templates for individual MetaFrame farms. For each corresponding monitoring template the report produces the average and minimum/maximum values for PRIME and ALL shifts across all servers in a farm (PRIME shift needs to be defined in HP OpenView Reporter). Using this report it is possible to determine farmwide threshold levels for session state monitoring templates, adjust them to the actual environment, and greatly reduce the number of false alarms that need administrative attention.
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Threshold Assistant	Threshold Assistant for Session State Monitoring (server/last 28 days)
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	Using this report it is possible to determine server-specific threshold levels for session state monitoring templates, adjust them to the actual environment, and greatly reduce the number of false alarms that need administrative attention.
	IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those MetaFrame servers that have the following templates assigned to the nodes (for at least 2 days):
	METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging METAFSPI-SessionsExLogging

Category	Report
Category	Threshold Assistant for Session CPU and Memory Monitoring (farm/last 28 days) Filename: g_METAFSPIUX_THRASS_SESS_CPUMEM_28DAYS_FARM.rpt Description: This report provides statistical information that helps adjust thresholds in session CPU and Memory monitoring templates for individual MetaFrame farms. For each corresponding monitoring template, the report produces the average and minimum/maximum values for PRIME and ALL shifts across all servers in a farm (PRIME shift
Threshold Assistant	needs to be defined in HP OpenView Reporter). Using this report it is possible to determine farm-wide threshold levels for session CPU and Memory monitoring templates, adjust them to the actual environment, and greatly reduce or even eliminate false alarms that need administrative attention. IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those MetaFrame servers that have the following templates assigned to the nodes (for at least 2 days): METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging METAFSPI-SessionsLogging



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Category Threshold Assistant	Report Threshold Assistant for Session Network Latency Monitoring (farm/last 28 days) Filename: g_METAFSPIUX_THRASS_SESS_NETLAT_28DAYS_FARM.rpt Description: This report provides statistical information that helps adjust thresholds in session network latency monitoring templates for individual MetaFrame farms. For each corresponding monitoring template, the report produces the average and minimum/maximum values for PRIME and ALL shifts across all servers in a farm (PRIME shift needs to be defined in HP OpenView Reporter). Using this report it is possible to determine farm-wide threshold levels for session network latency monitoring
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	Threshold Assistant for Session Network Latency
	Monitoring (server/last 28 days)
Threshold Assistant	<i>Filename:</i> g_METAFSPIUX_THRASS_SESS_NETLAT_28DAYS_SERVER.rpt
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 Filename: g_METAFSPIUX_THRASS_SESS_NETTRA_28DAYS_FARM.rpt Description: This report provides statistical information that helps adjust thresholds in session network traffic monitoring templates for individual MetaFrame farms. For each corresponding monitoring template, the report produces the average and minimum/maximum values for PRIME and ALL shifts across all servers in a farm (PRIME shift needs to be defined in HP OpenView Reporter). This report does not take into account Console and Idle sessions, since they are often incorrectly reporting very large values. Using this report it is possible to determine farm-wide threshold levels for session network traffic monitoring templates, adjust them to the actual environment, and greatly reduce or even eliminate false alarms that need administrative attention. IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those
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	(farm/yesterday)
MetaFrame Users	Filename: g_METAFSPIUX_NR_USERS_DAY_FARM.rpt
	<i>Description:</i> This report presents the number of logged-in users per hour for MetaFrame farms. Using this report it is possible to monitor user activity and to identify periods of high user activity.
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	<i>Filename:</i> g_METAFSPIUX_NR_USERS_28DAYS_FARM.rpt
MetaFrame Users	<i>Description:</i> This report presents number of logged-in users for MetaFrame farms. For every time-stamp graph depicts number of users that had at least one session opened on any MetaFrame server in a farm. Using this report it is possible to precisely monitor user activity over longer period of time and identify periods of high user activity.
	IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those MetaFrame servers that have the following templates assigned to the nodes (for at least 2 days):
	METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging METAFSPI-SessionsExLogging
	Number of Logged-in Users on Server Level (server/yesterday)
	<i>Filename:</i> g_METAFSPIUX_NR_USERS_DAY_SERVER.rpt
MetaFrame Users	<i>Description:</i> This report presents the number of logged-in users per hour for MetaFrame servers within farms. Using this report it is possible to monitor user activity on an individual server level, identify servers with high user load, and possibly to optimize load balancing algorithms.
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	IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those MetaFrame servers that have the following templates assigned to the nodes (for at least 2 days):
	METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging METAFSPI-SessionsExLogging
	Top 10 published applications by CPU use (farm/last 28 days)
	Filename: g_METAFSPIUX_TOP_APP_CPU_28DAYS_FARM.rpt
Top Applications	<i>Description:</i> This report presents the top 10 published applications by their CPU use in MetaFrame farms. Published applications are listed table-wise in descending order from largest CPU consumer down. The right side of the table presents total CPU time consumed by specific published application in minutes and also in % of CPU time all published applications spent while running on MetaFrame servers. CPU time consumed by all non-top 10 published applications is summarized under the 11th published application instance named "Other". This report is useful for determining the heaviest published applications in a farm in terms of CPU load. Correlating this information to the list of servers these applications are published on can help in the planning of future administrative actions.
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Top Servers	<i>Description:</i> This report shows the top 10 servers with the highest average ICA session latency for each MetaFrame farm. The first part of the report focuses on determining the top 10 servers and calculating their average ICA session latency, while the second part of the report shows in detail how average ICA session latency was changing over time on each farm's server. This report is useful for determining and focusing administrative attention on servers where users may be experiencing bad response times.
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Top Servers	<i>Description:</i> This report consist of two parts: an upper part that depicts the top ten systems where MetaFrame services on average consumed most of the CPU time and a lower part that displays for each of the top ten systems listed, a chart of CPU consumption with hourly accuracy.
	IMPORTANT NOTE: This report takes into account only those MetaFrame servers that have at least the following two templates assigned to the nodes (for at least 2 days):
	METAFSPI-ServicesLogging METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging
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	Top 10 Servers with Highest MetaFrame Services
	Memory use (farm/last 28 days)
	<i>Filename</i> : g_METAFSPIUX_TOP_SRV_SVCSMEM_28DAYS_FARM.rpt
Top Servers	<i>Description:</i> This report consists of two parts: an upper part that depicts the top ten systems where MetaFrame services on average consumed most of the Memory, that is, physical memory and a lower part that displays for each of the top ten systems listed, a chart of Memory consumption with hourly accuracy.
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Top Servers	<i>Description:</i> This report consists of two parts: an upper part that depicts the top ten systems where MetaFrame services on average consumed most of the Swap, that is, virtual memory and a lower part that displays for each of the top ten systems listed, a chart of Swap consumption with hourly accuracy.
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Service Navigator Support

HP OpenView Service Navigator is a component of the HP OpenView Operations Java-based operator GUI. This component enables you to manage your IT (information technology) environment while focusing on the IT services that you provide.

SPI for Citrix MetaFrame contains support for Service Navigator; it automatically generates a MetaFrame service map of the Citrix MetaFrame enterprise configuration.

NOTE:

For additional information on the HP OpenView Services, refer to the HP OpenView Operations Navigator – Concepts and configuration guide.

Autodiscovery

SPI for Citrix MetaFrame offers autodiscovery of MetaFrame farms, zones, servers, and published applications, as well as the dependencies between them in a farm. SPI for Citrix MetaFrame also monitors any MetaFrame configuration changes, and allows you to update your service map once a day (this can be configured) if changes occurred.

NOTE:

You can also generate a service map whenever you desire by using a "Force Service Model Update" application. For details, see the *Forcing Autodiscovery* chapter later in the document. Before performing an autodiscovery, the following three issues should first be addressed:

- 1. SPI for Citrix MetaFrame must be configured correctly on at least one MetaFrame managed node that is part of a MetaFrame farm (the **Check Requirements/Configuration** application should report no errors on that node).
- 2. The template, METAFSPI-ChkServiceModel, should be provided with the OVO/U administrator account name and password to get access to message annotations. This is achieved by performing the following:
 - 1. Open the Message Source Templates window.
 - 2. Navigate to the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame...METAFSPI Discovery template group.
 - 3. Select the METAFSPI-ChkServiceModel monitor template.
 - 4. Select [Conditions]. You should see a window with three conditions listed.
 - 5. Select the first condition and press [Modify...].
 - 6. In the **Command** edit box of the operator-initiated action, modify the last three parameters that represent the account name and password of the OVO/U administrator you want to use to perform the Citrix MetaFrame service map update and the operator name to which you want to assign a service map. Operator parameter is optional. If operator parameter is not given opc_op operator will be used by default. For example, if you have configured the opc_adm account with the password OpC_pwd in your OVO/U installation and metafspi_op is operator, then you should modify the **Command** edit box as follows:

/opt/OV/metafspi/METAFSPI-updsvcmodel.sh
<\$MSG_ID> <\$MSG_OBJECT> opc_adm OpC_pwd
metafspi_op

Note that only the last two (if the operator is not set) or three parameters (written in *italic*) should be changed and that the account used in the command line must be an OVO/U administrator.

- 7. To confirm the changes, press [OK].
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- 8. Repeat steps 4 7 listed above to modify the second condition of the METAFSPI-ChkServiceModel monitor template. Do not modify the third condition.
- 9. Press [Close] to close the window.
- 10. Close the Message Source Templates window.
- 3. The template, METAFSPI-ChkServiceModel, should be distributed to MetaFrame managed node mentioned in step 1.

NOTE:

Refer to the section, *The METAFSPI-ChkServiceModel Templates Defined*, later in this chapter for detailed information on the METAFSPI-ChkServiceModel template.

Once these conditions are met, the MetaFrame service map autodiscovery will automatically occur within the next 24 hours (this value is configurable – the time value listed here is the default).

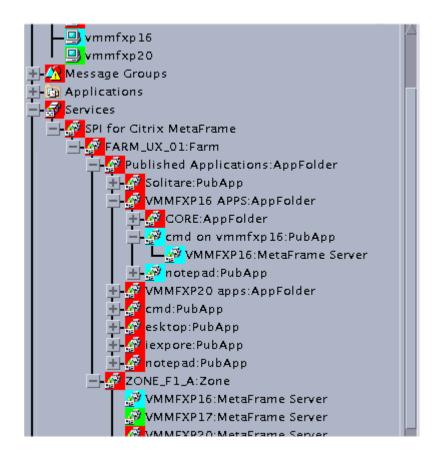
When either a MetaFrame service map change is detected or a service map is generated for the first time, the message indicating that will appear in the **Message Browser**. You must then perform the following steps in the OVO/Unix Java GUI:

- 1. Perform an operator initiated action on the message.
- 2. Perform the **File...Reload Configuration** action to receive the correct status information and services layout.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

For a service map to correctly propagate the message status, you need to have DNS reverse lookup zones correctly configured at least for your MetaFrame servers. Check with your DNS administrator on the status of DNS reverse lookups in your environment.

After an operator initiated action is performed, the service model is uploaded into the Service Navigator, where you will see an output similar to the one below:



NOTE:

FARM_UX_01 would be replaced by your Farm Name; ZONE_F1_A would be replaced by your Zone Name; and VMMFXP16, VMMFXP17, and VMMFXP20 would be replaced by your Server Names

Forcing Autodiscovery

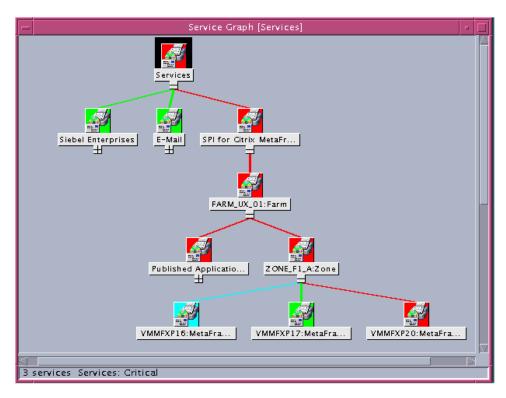
There is an alternative way of generating the MetaFrame service map for a farm, where you do not need to wait for the template to be executed (once every 24 hours by default). Instead, you can generate service map immediately by performing the following steps:

- 1. Distribute the template METAFSPI-ChkServiceModel2 to a MetaFrame managed node that is part of a farm for which you want the service map generated.
- 2. Execute the application MetaFrame Discovery...Force Service Model Update against the node.

Shortly, a message will appear in the **Message Browser** saying that generation of a service map has been requested. You have to perform an Operator Initiated action on it, which will upload the service model into the Service Navigator component of the OVO/Unix Java GUI.

Sample Service Navigator Map

Listed below is a sample MetaFrame service map.



The METAFSPI-ChkServiceModel Template Defined

The METAFSPI-ChkServiceModel template is the center of the service model discovery functionality. It should be assigned to all MetaFrame Servers from which you want to retrieve service model information. This template periodically executes the script. If the return values are either 1 or 2, the following occurs:

- If the return value is 1, then an OpC message is generated stating that the service model changed
- If the return value is 2, then an OpC message is generated stating that there is no service model available yet

Besides generating a message, an automatic action is performed (the template executes metafspiutil -dumpmodelxml) and the output of the action is appended to the message in a form of an annotation. The instruction of the OpC message indicates that to upload the MetaFrame service model you must run the operator-initiated action of the OpC message, which calls the METAFSPI-updsvcmodel.sh batch script and the service model is uploaded to the Service Navigator.

SPI for Citrix MetaFrame Usage

Reference Information

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Reference Information

Helpful Facts

This section contains reference information, which can assist you when working with the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame product.

SPI for Citrix MetaFrame Components

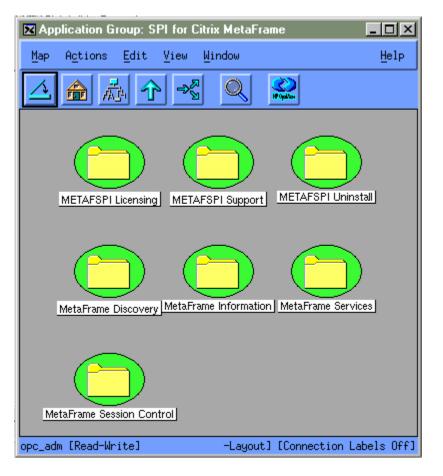
On the HP OpenView Operations management server, SPI for Citrix MetaFrame installs the following default components:

- Applications and application groups
- Templates and template groups

Applications and Application Groups

SPI for Citrix MetaFrame adds the top-level application group, **SPI for Citrix MetaFrame**, to HP OpenView Operations as indicated in the graphic below

Applications



Application Groups Available

Within the **SPI for Citrix MetaFrame** top-level application group, the following application groups are available:

- MetaFrame Session Control
- MetaFrame Discovery
- MetaFrame Information
- MetaFrame Services
- METAFSPI Licensing
- METAFSPI Support
- METAFSPI Uninstall

Each of these application groups is described in detail in the sections that follow.

Additional Applications Available

A farm administrator account configuration application is also available. This application is accessible with the executable file: METAFSPIconfig. For information on using this application, refer to the section *Application for Farm Administrator Account*, which follows later in this chapter.



MetaFrame Session Control Application Group

This application group contains applications for controlling Citrix MetaFrame sessions. It includes the following applications sub-groups:

- Disconnect
- Logoff
- Logon Control
- Send Message

Each of these applications sub-groups, and the applications contained within them, is described in the sections that follow.

Disconnect Application Group

The Disconnect application group contains the following applications for disconnecting MetaFrame sessions:

- Disconnect Server Session by Name
- Disconnect Farm Sessions by Username
- Disconnect All Sessions in Farm
- Disconnect All Sessions in Zone
- Disconnect All Sessions on Server

The applications differ in scope and must always be executed on a MetaFrame server with SPI for Citrix MetaFrame instrumentation installed. Applications will, after completion, display list of sessions that they affected. Each application is described in detail below.

Disconnect Server Session by Name

The operator must specify the name of the MetaFrame session that the operator wants to disconnect on a MetaFrame server.

Disconnect Farm Sessions by Username

The operator must specify the username of the user whose sessions the operator wants to disconnect. This process works farm wide (i.e., all sessions belonging to the specified user will be disconnected).

Disconnect All Sessions in Farm

The operator must run this application on a server in a desired farm where the operator wants to disconnect sessions. The process works farm wide (i.e., all sessions in a farm will be disconnected).

Disconnect All Sessions in Zone

The operator must run this application on a server in a desired zone where the operator wants to disconnect sessions. The process works zone wide (i.e., all sessions in a zone to which the server belongs to will be disconnected).

Disconnect All Sessions on Server

The operator must run this application on a server where the operator wants to disconnect sessions. The process works server wide (i.e., all sessions on the server will be disconnected).

Logoff Application Group

The Logoff application group consists of the following applications for logging-off MetaFrame sessions:

- Logoff Server Session by Name
- Logoff Farm Sessions by Username
- Logoff All Sessions in Farm
- Logoff All Sessions in Zone
- Logoff All Sessions on Server

The applications differ in scope and must always be executed on a MetaFrame server with SPI for Citrix MetaFrame instrumentation installed. Applications will, after completion, display list of sessions that they affected. Each application is described in detail below.

Logoff Server Session by Name

The operator must specify the name of the MetaFrame session that the operator wants to logoff on a MetaFrame server.

Logoff Farm Sessions by Username

The operator must specify the username of the user whose sessions the operator wants to logoff. This process works farm wide (i.e., all sessions belonging to the specified user will be logged-off).

Logoff All Sessions in Farm

The operator must run this application on a server in a desired farm where the operator wants to logoff sessions. The process works farm wide (i.e., all sessions in a farm will be logged-off).

Logoff All Sessions in Zone

The operator must run this application on a server in a desired zone where the operator wants to logoff sessions. The process works zone wide (i.e., all sessions in a zone will be logged-off).

Logoff All Sessions on Server

The operator must run this application on a server where the operator wants to logoff sessions. The process works server wide (i.e., all sessions on the server will be logged-off).

Logon Control Application Group

The Logon Control application group consists of the following applications for enabling/disabling logons to MetaFrame servers:

- Disable Logons to Farm
- Disable Logons to Zone
- Enable Logons to Farm
- Enable Logons to Zone
- Status of Logons to Farm
- Status of Logons to Zone

The applications must always be executed on a MetaFrame server with SPI for Citrix MetaFrame instrumentation installed. Each application is described in detail below.

Disable Logons to Farm

The operator must run the application on the MetaFrame server in the desired farm. The application disables logons to all servers in the farm where the server, on which the application was executed, is located.

Disable Logons to Zone

The operator must run the application on the MetaFrame server in the desired zone. The application disables logons to all servers in the zone within the farm where the server, on which the application was executed, is located.



Enable Logons to Farm

The operator must run the application on the MetaFrame server in the desired farm. The application enables logons to all servers in the farm where the server, on which the application was executed, is located.

Enable Logons to Zone

The operator must run the application on the MetaFrame server in the desired zone. The application enables logons to all servers in the zone within the farm where the server, on which the application was executed, is located.

Status of Logons to Farm

The operator must run the application on the MetaFrame server in the desired farm. The application displays whether logons are enabled/disabled for each server within the farm where the server, on which the application was executed, is located.

Status of Logons to Zone

The operator must run the application on the MetaFrame server in the desired zone. The application displays whether logons are enabled/disabled for each server within the zone where the server, on which the application was executed, is located.

Send Message Application Group

The Send Message application group consists of the following applications for sending MetaFrame messages:

- Send Message to Farm Sessions
- Send Message to Server Sessions
- Send Message to Session
- Send Message to Zone Sessions
- Send Message to User Sessions

The applications differ in to whom the message is sent. Additionally, the applications must always be executed on a MetaFrame server with SPI for Citrix MetaFrame instrumentation installed. Applications will, after completion, display list of sessions that they affected. Each application is described in detail below.

Send Message to Farm Sessions

The operator must only specify the message enclosed in a backslash-double quote pair, for example:

 \This is a message "

and select the desired MetaFrame server. A message is sent to all sessions in the MetaFrame farm to which the server belongs.

Send Message to Server Sessions

The operator must only specify the message enclosed in a backslash-double quote pair, for example:

 \This is a message "

and select the desired MetaFrame server. A message is sent to all sessions on the MetaFrame server.



Send Message to Session

The operator must specify the name of the session to which the message is to be sent and the message must be enclosed in a backslash-double quote pair, for example:

"This is a message "

A message is sent to the session with the specified session name in a farm.

Send Message to Zone Sessions

The operator must only specify the message enclosed in a backslash-double quote pair, for example:

"This is a message "

and select a MetaFrame server in the desired zone. A message is sent to all sessions in the MetaFrame zone to which the server belongs.

Send Message to User Sessions

Here, the operator must specify the username of the user to whom the message is to be sent along with the message enclosed in a backslash-double quote pair as indicated in the graphic below. A message is sent to all sessions that belong to a specified username.

🛛 Customized Startup - VPO Application:				
Target Nodes				
kmet.hermes.si	Get Map Selections			
	Get Browser Selections			
	Delete			
Additional Node:	Add			
Application Call:				
METAFSPI-sendmsguser.batį́				
Application Parameters:				
Administrator \"Send this message\"				
Execute as User				
User	Name: IP ITO account			
Pass	word:			
OK Cancel	Help			



MetaFrame Discovery Application Group

This application group contains one application: *Force Service Model Update*. This application is responsible for forcing the generation of the OpC message, which contains MetaFrame service model information.

NOTE:

For this application to operate correctly, a node on which the application is executed needs to have the METAFSPI-ChkServiceModel2 application distributed to it.

MetaFrame Information Application Group

This application group was developed to retrieve and to display/return various MetaFrame-specific information. It includes the following applications:

- Display Application Information
- Display License Information
- Display MetaFrame Server Information
- Display Number of Servers in Farm
- Display Number of Servers in Zone
- Display Server Mode
- Display Session Information
- Display Session Information Grouped by User
- Display Zone Information

Each of these applications is described in the sections that follow.

Reference Information

Display Application Information

Application Name: Display Application Information

Executable: METAFSPI-switch.bat displapps

Actual call: metafspiutil -applications Actual call represents the call that is being performed in the batch file.

Description: Display all published applications on the MetaFrame server

Display License Information

Application Name: Display License Information

Executable: METAFSPI-switch.bat displlic

Actual call: metafspiutil -licenses Actual call represents the call that is being performed in the batch file.

Description: Display license information on the MetaFrame server and farm

Display MetaFrame Server Information

Application Name: Display MetaFrame Server Information

Executable: METAFSPI-switch.bat displsrv

Actual call: metafspiutil -servers Actual call represents the call that is being performed in the batch file.

Description: Display detailed information about MetaFrame servers in a farm

Display Number of Servers in Farm

Application Name: Display Number of Servers in Farm

Executable: METAFSPI-switch.bat displsrv

Actual call: metafspiutil -farmsrvcount Actual call represents the call that is being performed in the batch file.

Description: Display number of servers in a farm

Display Number of Servers in Zone

Application Name: Display Number of Servers in Zone

Executable: METAFSPI-switch.bat displzonesrvcnt

Actual call: metafspiutil -zonesrvcount Actual call represents the call that is being performed in the batch file.

Description: Display number of servers in a zone

Display Server Mode

Application Name: Display Server Mode

Executable: METAFSPI-switch.bat displmode

Actual call: METAFSPIUtil.exe -mode

Description: Displays whether the farm operates in direct or indirect mode with Data Store.

Reference Information

Display Session Information

Application Name: Display Session Information

Executable: METAFSPI-switch.bat displsessions

Actual call: metafspiutil -sessions Actual call represents the call that is being performed in the batch file.

Description: Display all sessions on the MetaFrame server

Display Session Information Grouped by User

Application Name: Display Session Information By User

Executable: METAFSPI-switch.bat displsessbyusr

Actual call: metafspiutil -sessionsbyuser Actual call represents the call that is being performed in the batch file.

Description: Display all sessions on the MetaFrame server, sorted by username

Display Zone Information

Application Name: Display Zone Information

Executable: METAFSPI-switch.bat displzones

Actual call: metafspiutil -zones Actual call represents the call that is being performed in the batch file.

Description: Display all zones and their corresponding Data Collectors in a MetaFrame farm

MetaFrame Services Applications Group

This application group contains tools that relate to MetaFrame services. It includes the following tools:

- Start/Stop/Status ADF Installer Service
- Start/Stop/Status Citrix WMI Service
- Start/Stop/Status Citrix XTE Server Service
- Start/Stop/Status Client Network Service
- Start/Stop/Status Encryption Service
- Start/Stop/Status IMA Service
- Start/Stop/Status MetaFrame COM Server Service
- Start/Stop/Status Resource Manager Mail Service
- Start/Stop/Status SSL Server Relay Service
- Start/Stop/Status Terminal Services Service

Each of these applications is described in the sections that follow.

Start/Stop/Status ADF Installer Service

Application Name: Start ADF Installer Service Executable: net start "ADF Installer Service"

Application Name: Stop ADF Installer Service Executable: net stop "ADF Installer Service"

Application Name: Status ADF Installer Service Executable: opcntmserv.exe /status "ADF Installer"



Reference Information

Start/Stop/Status Citrix WMI Service

Application Name: Start Citrix WMI Service Executable: net start CitrixWMIService

Application Name: Stop Citrix WMI Service Executable: net stop CitrixWMIService

Application Name: Status Citrix WMI Service Executable: opcntmserv.exe /status CitrixWMIService

Start/Stop/Status Citrix XTE Server Service

Application Name: Start Citrix XTE Server Service Executable: net start CitrixXTEServer

Application Name: Stop Citrix XTE Server Service Executable: net stop CitrixXTEServer

Application Name: Status Citrix XTE Server Service Executable: opcntmserv.exe /status CitrixXTEServer

NOTE: Citrix XTE Server service is only available on Presentation Server 3.0.

Start/Stop/Status Client Network Service

Application Name: Start Client Network Service Executable: net start CdmService

Application Name: Stop Client Network Service Executable: net stop CdmService

Application Name: Status Client Network Service Executable: opcntmserv.exe /status CdmService

Start/Stop/Status Encryption Service

Application Name: Start Encryption Service Executable: net start "Encryption Service"

Application Name: Stop Encryption Service Executable: net stop "Encryption Service"

Application Name: Status Encryption Service Executable: opcntmserv.exe /status "Encryption Service"

Start/Stop/Status IMA Service

Application Name: Start IMA Service Executable: net start IMAService

Application Name: Stop IMA Service Executable: METAFSPI-stopIMAWMIservice.bat

Application Name: Status IMA Service Executable: opcntmserv.exe /status IMAService

Start/Stop/Status MetaFrame COM Server Service

Application Name: Start MetaFrame COM Server Service *Executable*: net start MFCom

Application Name: Stop MetaFrame COM Server Service *Executable*: net stop MFCom

Application Name: Status MetaFrame COM Server Service Executable: opcntmserv.exe /status MFCom

Reference Information

Start/Stop/Status Resource Manager Mail Service

Application Name: Start Resource Manager Mail Service Executable: net start ResourceManagerMail

Application Name: Stop Resource Manager Mail Service *Executable*: net stop ResourceManagerMail

Application Name: Status Resource Manager Mail Service Executable: opcntmserv.exe /status ResourceManagerMail

Start/Stop/Status SSL Server Relay Service

Application Name: Start SSL Server Relay Service Executable: net start "Citrix SSL Relay"

Application Name: Stop SSL Server Relay Service Executable: net stop "Citrix SSL Relay"

Application Name: Status SSL Server Relay Service Executable: opcntmserv.exe /status "Citrix SSL Relay"

Start/Stop/Status Terminal Services Service

Application Name: Start Terminal Services Service Executable: net start TermService

Application Name: Stop Terminal Services Service Executable: net stop TermService

Application Name: Status Terminal Services Service Executable: opcntmserv.exe /status TermService

METAFSPI Licensing Application Group

This application group contains applications for licensing your SPI for Citrix MetaFrame product. Within this group, the following applications are available:

- 1. Clear License Request File on Mgmt Server
- 2. Generate License Request for Node
- 3. Merge License Activation Codes on Mgmt Server

List License Activation Codes

Each of these applications is described in the sections that follow.

1. Clear License Request File on Mgmt Server

This application clears the METAFSPI license request file (/opt/OV/metafspi/metafspi_license_requests.dat) on the management server. It executes on the management server only and does not need to be executed on any of the managed nodes. It is usually the first step when requesting METAFSPI licenses, hence number 1 in front of the application name.

2. Generate License Request for Node

This application generates the METAFSPI license request information for the managed node. The application is usually executed on many nodes at once to quicken license request generation. Note that license request information for all nodes is collected on the management server in a single license request file (/opt/OV/metafspi/metafspi_license_requests.dat). It is usually the second application executed when requesting METAFSPI licenses, hence number 2 in front of the application name.

NOTE:

For this application to work correctly, a node on which this application is executed needs to have distributed all templates from the METAFSPI Licensing template group.

3. Merge License Activation Codes on Mgmt Server

This application merges newly obtained METAFSPI license activation codes to existing license activations. Once this occurs, license activation codes are ready to be distributed to the Citrix MetaFrame managed nodes. It is usually the third application executed when requesting METAFSPI licenses, hence number 3 in front of the application name.

List License Activation Codes

This application lists and counts METAFSPI license activation codes on the management server.

For additional information on SPI for Citrix licensing, refer to the section *SPI for Citrix MetaFrame Licensing Overview* listed in *Chapter 2: Installing SPI for Citrix MetaFrame* of this manual.

METAFSPI Support Application Group

This application group contains applications that provide you with assistance when troubleshooting your SPI for Citrix MetaFrame product as well as to help you verify your SPI for Citrix MetaFrame requirements and configuration settings. Both applications in this group create files under the following directory on the node where the application is executed:

%OvAgentDir%\metafspi

Within the **METAFSPI Support** application group, the following applications are available:

- Check Requirements/Configuration
- Collect Support Information

Each of these applications in described in the sections that follow.

Check Requirements/Configuration

This application checks whether the MetaFrame server matches METAFSPI requirements and whether SPI for Citrix MetaFrame is correctly configured. This application should be executed on each node prior to using full SPI for Citrix MetaFrame features. For additional information on this application's usage, refer to the section *Verifying Requirements and Configuration* listed in *Chapter 2: Installing SPI for Citrix MetaFrame* of this manual.



Collect Support Information

This application is primary created as a support application to collect various support information about the MetaFrame server and to copy it into the support directory.

If a Support Engineer tells you to run this application, after executing the application on one or more nodes, you should copy the files from the following directory and its sub-directories:

%OvAgentDir%\metafspi

for further analysis.

METAFSPI Uninstall Application Group

Applications in this group help you with uninstalling SPI for Citrix MetaFrame from managed nodes. At the moment, there is only one application in this group:

• Remove instrumentation from Managed Node

This application is described in the section that follows.

Remove Instrumentation from Managed Node

This application deletes all of the SPI for Citrix MetaFrame-related files from the managed node. You must run this application during the uninstall process after unassigning all METAFSPI templates from the managed nodes and before uninstalling SPI for Citrix MetaFrame from the management server.

To use the application, execute it and select node(s) from which you want to remove the METAFSPI-related files. Once this action is performed, all SPI for Citrix MetaFrame files and METAFSPI-specific directories are removed.

Reference Information

Templates and Template Groups

SPI for Citrix MetaFrame installs the top-level template group SPI for Citrix MetaFrame. This group contains template groups for monitoring your Citrix MetaFrame environment. Refer to the *Figure 3* for detailed information on template group hierarchy.

Figure 3: View of the Template Group "SPI for Citrix MetaFrame" in HP OpenView Operations for Unix, version 7.10

Template Groups	
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Default	
=> SPI for Citrix MetaFrame	
METAFSPI-Additional	
METAFSPI-Discovery	
METAFSPI-Quick Start	
METAFSPI-Reporter	
VantagePoint Performance	

Types of Templates

The following templates have been established in SPI for Citrix MetaFrame:

- Templates for monitoring MetaFrame Server Services
- Templates for monitoring MetaFrame Sessions
- Templates for MetaFrame NT EventLog Entries
- Templates for Logging Extended Performance Data of MetaFrame Services and Sessions

Descriptions of these template types are included in the sections that follow.

Templates for MetaFrame Server Services

MetaFrame servers consist of several Windows Services. Failure in the system could cause a service not to start or could terminate it. This could lead to inoperability of the MetaFrame server. Because of this, such events need to be reported. SPI for Citrix MetaFrame monitors MetaFrame Windows Services, includes instruction text on the service purpose and the impact of its failure, and provides actions to remedy the situation.

Action Matrix for MetaFrame Services Templates

All messages contain operator-initiated actions and instruction text describing the impact of the failure. The table that follows indicates the actions that specific messages will have and the text displayed with each message.

Service Name	Operator -initiated Action	Automatic Action	Message Text	
Client Network	Х		Client Network service on node <i>nodename</i> is not running.	
Encryption	Х		Encryption service on node <i>nodename</i> is not running.	
Independent Management Architecture (IMA)	Х		Independent Management Architecture service on node <i>nodename</i> is not running.	
MetaFrame COM Server	Х		MetaFrame COM Server service on node <i>nodename</i> is not running.	
ADF Installer Service	Х		ADF Installer Service service on node <i>nodename</i> is not running.	
Resource Manager Mail	Х		Resource Manager Mail service is not running.	
Terminal Services	Х		Terminal Services service on node nodename is not running.	
SSL Server Relay Service	Х		SSL Server Relay Service service on node nodename is not running.	
Citrix WMI Service	Х		Citrix WMI Service service on node <i>nodename</i> is not running.	
Citrix XTE Server service	Х		Citrix XTE Server Service service on node <i>nodename</i> is not running.	

Templates for MetaFrame Sessions

These templates monitor state and perfmon data, that is, % Processor Time, Private Bytes, and so on of MetaFrame sessions on a MetaFrame server.

Templates for Logging Extended Performance Data of MetaFrame Services and Sessions

A template is created for all MetaFrame service processes for logging their "% Processor Time", "Working Set", and "Page File Bytes" metrics. Additionally, for logging server farm membership and session data, two additional templates are implemented.

Note that the last two columns of each template listed on the tables that follow specify the following:

- The name of the CODA Data Source
- The name of the Object within the Data Source used by this template
- The names of the metrics within that object

NOTE:

At present, SPI for Citrix MetaFrame logs performance information only to the embedded performance agent (CODA). OpenView Performance Agent (MeasureWare agent) is not supported.

Template Name	CODA Data Source. Object	CODA Metrics
METAFSPI-ServerConfigLogging	METAFSPIUX_FARM/ METAFSPIUX_FARM	FARMNAME ZONENAME
METAFSPI-ServicesLogging	METAFSPIUX_SVCS/ METAFSPIUX_SVCS	HINSTANCENAME PCTPROCESSORTIME PAGEFILEBYTES WORKINGSET
METAFSPI-SessionsLogging	METAFSPIUX_SESS/ METAFSPIUX_SESS	HINSTANCENAME WORKINGSET TOTALTIMEOUTS TOTALFRAMES TOTALERRORS PRIVATEBYTES PCTPROCESSORTIME PAGEFILEBYTES
METAFSPI-SessionsICALogging	METAFSPIUX_SICA/ METAFSPIUX_SICA	HINSTANCENAME LATENCYSESSIONAVERA LATENCYLASTRECORDED
METAFSPI-SessionsExLogging	METAFSPIUX_SESX/ METAFSPIUX_SESX	SESSIONID SESSIONNAME DOMAINNAME USERNAME LOGONTIME LASTINPUTTIME STATE APPDN ADDRFAMILY ISDESKTOPSESS ISMODEMSESS CPUTIME WORKINGSETSIZE PAGEFILESIZE
	METAFSPIUX_SESM/ METAFSPIUX_SESM	SUMMKEY NUMALLSESS NUMACTSESS NUMDISCSESS NUMAPPINST NUMIPSESS NUMIPXSESS NUMNETBIOSSESS NUMMODEMSESS NUMDESKTOPSESS NUMPROCS

Template Groups within SPI for Citrix MetaFrame

When you use SPI for Citrix MetaFrame, templates are grouped by common usage. This structure helps you to quickly find the templates that you need to assign. Common usage template groups include the following:

- METAFSPI-Quick Start
- METAFSPI-Additional
- METAFSPI-Discovery
- METAFSPI-Reporter

Each of these groups, along with templates that they contain, is described in the sections that follow.

METAFSPI-Quick Start

This group contains templates that can be assigned to every MetaFrame server. You should always assign this whole group to get started quickly with the SPI. Templates within this group are further organized, as follows, into these subgroups:

- METAFSPI-Services
- METAFSPI-Sessions
- METAFSPI-Zones
- METAFSPI-Licensing

Reference Information

METAFSPI-Services

This group contains the following templates:

- METAFSPI-ChkIMASvc
- METAFSPI-ChkMFComSvc
- METAFSPI-ChkTermServiceSvc
- METAFSPI-ChkClientNetworkSvc
- METAFSPI-ChkEncryptionSvc
- METAFSPI-FwdAllSystemWarnError
- METAFSPI-FwdAllApplicationWarnError
- METAFSPI-ChkIMASvcAdvanced

Each of these templates is described in the sections that follow.

METAFSPI-ChkIMASvc

Template Name: METAFSPI-ChkIMASvc

Service: IMAService (Independent Management Architecture service)

Process: imasrv.exe

Monitoring tool: opcntservice_chk.bat (provided with HP OpenView Operations for Windows Agent)

Return value: If returned value is not 0, then a message is generated with an Operator-initiated action to start the service.

METAFSPI-ChkMFComSvc

Template Name: METAFSPI-ChkMFComSvc

Service: MFCom

Process: mfcom.exe

Monitoring tool: opcntservice_chk.bat (provided with HP OpenView Operations for Windows Agent)

Return value: If returned value is not 0, then a message is generated with an Operator-initiated action to start the service.

METAFSPI-ChkTermServiceSvc

Template Name: METAFSPI-ChkTermServiceSvc

Service: TermService

Process: termsrv.exe

Monitoring tool: opcntservice_chk.bat (provided with HP OpenView Operations for Windows Agent)

Return value: If returned value is not 0, then a message is generated with an Operator-initiated action to start the service.

METAFSPI-ChkClientNetworkSvc

Template Name: METAFSPI-ChkClientNetworkSvc

Service: CdmService

Process: cmdsvc.exe

Monitoring tool: opcntservice_chk.bat (provided with HP OpenView Operations for Windows Agent)

Return value: If returned value is not 0, then a message is generated with an Operator-initiated action to start the service.

METAFSPI-ChkEncryptionSvc

Template Name: METAFSPI-ChkEncryptionSvc

Service: Encryption Service

Process: encsvc.exe

Monitoring tool: opcntservice_chk.bat (provided with HP OpenView Operations for Windows Agent)

Return value: If returned value is not 0, then a message is generated with an Operator-initiated action to start the service.



METAFSPI-FwdAllSystemWarnError

Template Name: METAFSPI-FwdAllSystemWarnError

Description: This NT event log monitoring template forwards all Warning and Error System event log messages belonging to Citrix MetaFrame components from the managed node to the management server.

METAFSPI-FwdAllApplicationWarnError

Template Name: METAFSPI-FwdAllApplicationWarnError

Description: This NT event log monitoring template forwards all Warning and Error Application event log messages belonging to Citrix MetaFrame components from the managed node to the management server.

METAFSPI-ChkIMASvcAdvanced

Template Name: METAFSPI-ChkIMASvcAdvanced

Service: IMAService (Independent Management Architecture service)

Process: imasrv.exe

Description: Occasionally, IMA service, although still running, stops responding to client requests, such as XML service. This monitoring template periodically tries to enumerate published applications from the IMA service and if it does not receive a response within 50 seconds, sends a message to the management server indicating that most probably the IMA service has stopped responding.

Reference Information

METAFSPI-Sessions

This template group contains the following templates:

- METAFSPI-ChkSessionsActive
- METAFSPI-ChkSessionsDisconnected
- METAFSPI-ChkSessionsAll
- METAFSPI-ChkSessionPrivateBytes
- METAFSPI-ChkProcessesNum
- METAFSPI-ChkICASessionLatencyAverage
- METAFSPI-ChkSessionTotalErrors
- METAFSPI-ChkSessionPageFileBytes
- METAFSPI-ChkSessionTotalTimeouts
- METAFSPI-ChkSessionWorkingSet
- METAFSPI-ChkSessionTotalFrames
- METAFSPI-ChkSessionProcessorTime
- METAFSPI-ChkICASessionLatencyLast

Each of these templates is described in the sections that follow.

METAFSPI-ChkSessionsActive

Description: Check number of active sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

Monitoring tool: METAFSPI-switch.bat cntsess METAFSPI-ChkSessionsActive active

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Default threshold: 100 -major (*), 70 - warning (*)
```

 \star There are two threshold rules defined: one for major (100) of active sessions and one for warning (70).

METAFSPI-ChkSessionsDisconnected

Description: Check number of disconnected sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

Monitoring tool: METAFSPI-switch.bat cntsess METAFSPI-ChkSessionsDisconnected disconnected

Default threshold: 50 - major (*), 30 - warning (*)

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major number (50) of disconnected sessions and one for warning (30).

METAFSPI-ChkSessionsAll

Description: Checks the number of sessions in all possible states on a MetaFrame server.

Monitoring tool: METAFSPI-switch.bat cntsess METAFSPI-ChkSessionsAll all

Default threshold: 120 - major (*), 90 - warning (*)

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major number (120) of sessions and one for warning (90).

METAFSPI-ChkSessionPrivateBytes

Description: Check private bytes size for all sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

Monitoring tool: Through HP OpenView Operations NT performance counter monitoring

```
Default threshold for Console session:
768.000.000 – major (*), 640.000.000 – warning (*)
Default threshold for all other sessions:
384.000.000 – major (*), 256.000.000 – warning (*)
```

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major amount of private bytes consumed and one for warning.

METAFSPI-ChkProcessesNum

Description: Check number of processes across all sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

Monitoring tool: METAFSPI-switch.bat cntprocs METAFSPI-ChkProcessesNum

Default threshold: 500 - major (*), 300 - warning (*)

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major number (500) of processes and one for warning (300).

METAFSPI-ChkICASessionLatencyAverage

Description: Check average latency of all sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

Monitoring tool: Through HP OpenView Operations NT performance counter monitoring

Default threshold: 700 - major (*), 400 - warning (*) milliseconds

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major (700) average latency and one for warning (400).

METAFSPI-ChkSessionTotalErrors

Description: Check number of total errors for all sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

Monitoring tool: Through HP OpenView Operations NT performance counter monitoring

Default threshold: 10 – major (*), 3 – warning (*)

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major (10) number of network errors and one for warning (3).

METAFSPI-ChkSessionPageFileBytes

Description: Check page file size usage for all sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

Monitoring tool: Through HP OpenView Operations NT performance counter monitoring

```
Default threshold for Console session:
768.000.000 – major (*), 640.000.000 – warning (*)
Default threshold for all other sessions:
384.000.000 – major (*), 256.000.000 – warning (*)
```

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major amount of page file bytes consumed and one for warning.

METAFSPI-ChkSessionTotalTimeouts

Description: Check number of total timeouts for all sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

Monitoring tool: Through HP OpenView Operations NT performance counter monitoring.

Default threshold: 10 - major (*), 3 - warning (*)

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major (10) number of network

timeouts and one for warning (3).

METAFSPI-ChkSessionWorkingSet

Description: Check working set size for all sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

Monitoring tool: Through HP OpenView Operations NT performance counter monitoring

Default threshold for Console session: 512.000.000 - major (*), 384.000.000 - warning (*) Default threshold for all other sessions: 256.000.000 - major (*), 128.000.000 - warning (*)

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major amount of working set size consumed and one for warning.

METAFSPI-ChkSessionTotalFrames

Description: Check number of total frames for all sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

Monitoring tool: Through HP OpenView Operations NT performance counter monitoring

Default threshold: 512 - major (*), 256 - warning (*)

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major (512) total number of frames and one for warning (256).

METAFSPI-ChkSessionProcessorTime

Description: Check % of processor time used by all sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

Monitoring tool: Through HP OpenView Operations NT performance counter monitoring

Default threshold for Console session: 95 – major (*), 75 – warning (*) Default threshold for all other sessions: 90 – major (*), 70 – warning (*)

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major % processor time and one for warning.

METAFSPI-ChkICASessionLatencyLast

Description: Check latest recorded latency of all sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

Monitoring tool: Through HP OpenView Operations NT performance counter monitoring

Default threshold: 1000 - major (*), 700 - warning (*) milliseconds

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major (1000) latency and one for warning (700).

Reference Information

METAFSPI-Zones

This template group contains the following template:

• METAFSPI-ChkDCChanges

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Description: Detects data collector change in a MetaFrame zone.

Monitoring tool: METAFSPI-switch.bat chkdc METAFSPI-ChkDCChanges

Default threshold: If the threshold reaches 0, which indicates a data collector change in a zone, a message is sent to the message browser indicating the old and new zone data collector.

METAFSPI-Licensing

This template group contains the following template:

• METAFSPI-LicOpcMsg

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Description: Filters METAFSPI opcmsg licensing-related messages and provides additional instruction text about possible errors.



METAFSPI-Additional

This group contains templates for those MetaFrame components that are optional to use. Templates within this group are as organized into the following sub-groups:

- METAFSPI-Services Add
- METAFRAME-Sessions Add

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This template group contains the following templates:

- METAFSPI-ChkSSLServerRelaySvc
- METAFSPI-ChkResourceManagerMailSvc
- METAFSPI-ChkADFInstallerSvc
- METAFSPI-ChkCitrixWMISvc
- METAFSPI-ChkCitrixXTEServerSvc
- METAFSPI-FwdAllSystemInformation
- METAFSPI-FwdAllApplicationInformation

Each of these templates is described in the sections that follow.

METAFSPI-ChkSSLServerRelaySvc

Template Name: METAFSPI-ChkSSLServerRelaySvc

Service: Citrix SSL Relay

Process: sslserverrelay.exe

Monitoring tool: opcntservice_chk.bat (provided with HP OpenView Operations for Windows Agent)

Reference Information

Return value: If returned value is not 0, a message is generated with an Operatorinitiated action to start the service.

METAFSPI-ChkResourceManagerMailSvc

Template Name: METAFSPI-ChkResourceManagerMailSvc

Service: ResourceManagerMail

Process: mailservice.exe

Monitoring tool: opcntservice_chk.bat (provided with HP OpenView Operations for Windows Agent)

Return value: If returned value is not 0, a message is generated with an Operatorinitiated action to start the service.

METAFSPI-ChkADFInstallerSvc

Template Name: METAFSPI-ChkADFInstallerSvc

Service: ADF Installer Service

Process: agentsvc.exe

Monitoring tool: opcntservice_chk.bat (provided with HP OpenView Operations for Windows Agent)

Return value: If returned value is not 0, a message is generated with an Operatorinitiated action to start the service.

METAFSPI-ChkCitrixXTEServerSvc

Template Name: METAFSPI-ChkCitrixXTEServerSvc

Service: Citrix XTE Server Service

Process: XTE.exe

Monitoring tool: opcntservice_chk.bat (provided with HP OpenView Operations Agent)

Return value: If returned value is not 0, a message is generated with an operatorinitiated action to start the service.

METAFSPI-ChkCitrixWMISvc

Template Name: METAFSPI-ChkCitrixWMISvc

Service: Citrix WMI Service

Process: ctxwmisvc.exe

Monitoring tool: opcntservice_chk.bat (provided with HP OpenView Operations Agent)

Return value: If returned value is not 0, a message is generated with an operatorinitiated action to start the service.

METAFSPI-FwdAllSystemInformation

Template Name: METAFSPI-FwdAllSystemInformation

Description: This event log monitoring template forwards all Informational System NT event log messages belonging to Citrix MetaFrame components from the managed node to the management server.

METAFSPI-FwdAllApplicationInformation

Template Name: METAFSPI-FwdAllApplicationInformation

Description: This event log monitoring template forwards all Informational Application NT event log messages belonging to Citrix MetaFrame components from the managed node to the management server.

METAFSPI-Sessions Add

This template group contains the following templates:

- METAFSPI-LogOffSessions
- METAFSPI-ChkSessionsListening
- METAFSPI-ChkSessionsDown
- METAFSPI-ChkSessionsShadowing
- METAFSPI-ChkSessionsStale
- METAFSPI-ChkSessionsResetting
- METAFSPI-ChkSessionsIdle
- METAFSPI-ChkSessionsInit
- METAFSPI-ChkSessionsConnected
- METAFSPI-DisconnectSessions
- METAFSPI-ChkSessionsConnecting

Each of these templates is described on the following pages.

METAFSPI-LogOffSessions

Description: This is a scheduled template that logs off all sessions that have been disconnected longer than the log off threshold time.

Executable: METAFSPI-switch.bat logoffsessions 180

Default scheduling: 15 minutes

Default log off threshold time: 3 hours

METAFSPI-ChkSessionsListening

Description: Check number of listening sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

Monitoring tool: METAFSPI-switch.bat cntsess METAFSPI-ChkSessionsListening listening

Default threshold: 15 - major (*), 8 - warning (*)

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major number (15) of listening sessions and one for warning (8).

METAFSPI-ChkSessionsDown

Description: Check number of down sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

Monitoring tool: METAFSPI-switch.bat cntsess METAFSPI-ChkSessionsDown down

Default threshold: 15 - major (*), 8 - warning (*)

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major number (15) of down sessions and one for warning (8).

METAFSPI-ChkSessionsShadowing

Description: Check number of shadowing sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

Monitoring tool: METAFSPI-switch.bat cntsess METAFSPI-ChkSessionsShadowing shadowing

Default threshold: 15 - major (*), 8 - warning (*)

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major number (15) of shadowing sessions and one for warning (8).

METAFSPI-ChkSessionsStale

Description: Check number of stale sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

Monitoring tool: METAFSPI-switch.bat cntsess METAFSPI-ChkSessionsStale stale

Default threshold: 15 - major (*), 8 - warning (*)

There are two threshold rules defined: one for major number (15) of stale sessions and one for warning (8).

METAFSPI-ChkSessionsResetting

Description: Check number of resetting sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

Monitoring tool: METAFSPI-switch.bat cntsess METAFSPI-ChkSessionsResetting resetting

Default threshold: 15 - major (*), 8 - warning (*)

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major number (15) of sessions and one for warning (8).

METAFSPI-ChkSessionsIdle

Description: Check number of idle sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

Monitoring tool: METAFSPI-switch.bat cntsess METAFSPI-ChkSessionsIdle idle



Default threshold: 15 - major (*), 8 - warning (*)

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major number (15) of idle sessions and one for warning (8).

METAFSPI-ChkSessionsInit

Description: Check number of init sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

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Monitoring tool: METAFSPI-switch.bat cntsess METAFSPI-ChkSessionsInit init
```

Default threshold: 15 – major (*), 8 – warning (*)

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major number (15) of sessions in init state and one for warning (8).

METAFSPI-ChkSessionsConnected

Description: Check number of connected sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

```
Monitoring tool: METAFSPI-switch.bat cntsess METAFSPI-ChkSessionsConnected connected
```

Default threshold: 15 - major (*), 8 - warning (*)

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major number (15) of connected sessions and one for warning (8).

METAFSPI-DisconnectSessions

Description: This is a scheduled template that disconnects all sessions that have last input time longer than specified default disconnect threshold time.

Executable: METAFSPI-switch.bat disconsessions 60

Default scheduling: 15 minutes

Default disconnect threshold time: 1 hour

METAFSPI-ChkSessionsConnecting

Description: Check number of connecting sessions and send opcmsg if threshold is exceeded.

Monitoring tool: METAFSPI-switch.bat cntsess METAFSPI-ChkSessionsConnecting connecting

Default threshold: 15 – critical (*), 8 – warning (*)

* There are two threshold rules defined: one for major number (15) of connecting sessions and one for warning (8).

METAFSPI-Discovery

This template contains the following templates that help you to continuously update your Citrix MetaFrame service map.

- METAFSPI-ChkServiceModel
- METAFSPI-ChkServiceModel2

Each of these templates is described in the sections that follow.

METAFSPI-ChkServiceModel

This template periodically checks the MetaFrame model and updates the service map via an Operator-initiated command, if necessary.

METAFSPI-ChkServiceModel2

This template retrieves an external signal to trigger the MetaFrame service map discovery. External signal is sent when the *Force Service Model Update* application is executed.

METAFSPI-Reporter

This template group contains templates that are responsible for logging performance data for the reports that HP Reporter generates. For a list of these templates, refer to the section *Templates for Logging Extended Performance Data of MetaFrame Services and Sessions*, which is listed earlier in this chapter.



Monitoring End-user Experience

SPI for Citrix MetaFrame monitors end-user experience by monitoring two performance counters that MetaFrame is exposing: *Average ICA Session Latency* and *Last ICA Session Latency*. These two counters are provided on a per-session basis on every MetaFrame server; thus, you receive a good overall view what the end-user experience is.

ICA Session Latency is, quoting Citrix, "...a measure of the round trip time of a keyboard or mouse event from client to server and back. It is the amount of time that elapses between the user clicking their mouse in an ICA session, and the result of that mouse click being seen on the client."

By monitoring Average ICA Session Latency, you can detect the degradation of end-user experience over longer periods of time, and perhaps limit the number of users on a server or add another server to the farm before the end-users start to complain about "slow" system response.

By monitoring Last ICA Session Latency of each session on a server, you can identify short-term degradations of end-user experience and correlate them to other events on the server/in a farm for better understanding of the impact that these events have on the overall farm performance in terms of end-user experience.

Troubleshooting

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Troubleshooting Assistance

This section provides information relating to errors. It describes the possible errors that can occur during SPI for Citrix MetaFrame usage, and how to resolve any problems if encountered.