Veritas Access Appliance

7.4.2.100 Release Update

Linux







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About the release

This update contains critical updates, and enhancements for the Veritas 3340 Access Appliance (7.4.2) release. This patch can be applied only on top of the Veritas 3340 Access Appliance (7.4.2) release. If you are on an earlier version of the product, please upgrade to 7.4.2 version and then install the patch.

For upgrading Veritas Access 3340 Appliance to 7.4.2.100, refer to the following technote: <u>https://www.veritas.com/support/en_US/article.100045858.html</u>

New features/enhancements are included in this release:

- Ability to patch the appliance using rolling upgrade
 - Patch individual node before configuration
 - Perform rolling upgrade on the existing cluster
 - Select rpm update as part of the patch
- Separation of management and data network
 - o Ability to move appliance management network to a different subnet
 - o Ability to move data network to a different subnet
 - Host the Access management on eth1 interface
 - Support multiple network routes
- Support TSM workload over S3
 - o S3 bucket management enhancement
 - Performance enhancement
 - SSL (secure) connection related enhancements
- Ability to manage alerts and notifications
 - Ability to add/remove ignore strings
 - Support for additional components for filters



Separating data and management network from the Access CLISH

The following use cases are supported:

Use case 1	Fresh deployment and the management NIC
	and data NICs are in different subnets
Use case 2	Cluster is already configured with Veritas
	Access 7.4.2 version and all the data NICs are
	in the same subnet and you want to move
	management (eth1) NIC to a different subnet
Use case 3	Cluster is already configured with Veritas
	Access 7.4.2 version and you want to move
	the data NICs to a different subnet and the
	management NIC (eth1) remains in the same
	<u>subnet</u>

Use case 1: Fresh deployment and the management NICs and data NICs are in different subnets

This section includes the following topics:

- Prerequisites
- <u>Configuring the cluster</u>
- Moving the cluster management console to the management network and adding route for the data <u>network</u>

Prerequisites

- The Veritas Access 7.4.2 GA is installed
- The eth1 interface is connected to the management subnet
- The data NICs, eth4 and eth5 are connected to the data subnet
- Three IPs from the management subnet and nine IPs from data the subnet are required. Out of the nine IPs one IP from the data subnet will get free after the completion of management and data subnet segregation.

Configuring the cluster

- 1. Login to the first node using the IPMI console. Assign the management network IP to eth1. Main_Menu> Network Network> configure <IP> <netmask> <gateway> eth1 For example: Network> configure 192.168.101.112 255.255.252.0 192.168.100.1 eth1
- 2. Login to the second node using the IPMI console. Assign the management network IP to eth1. Main_Menu> Network Network> configure <IP> <netmask> <gateway> eth1 Network> configure 192.168.101.113 255.255.252.0 192.168.100.1 eth1
- Set DNS on both nodes.
 Network> DNS Add Nameserver <DNS IP>



For example: Network> DNS Add Nameserver 192.168.1.1 Network> DNS Add SearchDomain demodns.com

- Set the DNS registered hostname on both the nodes.
 Network> hostname set <node1> Network> hostname set <node2>
- 5. Start the cluster configuration.
 - Provide IPs from the data subnet when asked for physical and virtual IPs (IPsfrom 192.168.104.0/24 subnet).

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- Provide the data subnet's netmask when prompted for the netmask for the public IP address.
- Provide the management subnet's gateway IP when asked for the gateway.
 Main Menu> Manage> Cluster > Configure

Before you configure the cluster from this node, note the following: - The Access cluster configuration is only allowed to run from one node. Make sure that no other Access cluster configuration process is ongoing on the current node or other nodes. - Make sure that you have the node management IP addresses of the appliance nodes for clustering. - Make sure that you have reserved enough IP addresses for use as the physical and the virtual IP addresses of the Access cluster. At least four continuous IP addresses must be reserved for each type. Note the following cluster naming rules: - The cluster name must be at least three and no more than 10 characters long. - Allowed characters are lowercase letters, numbers, and hyphens. - The cluster name must start with a lowercase letter of the alphabet. - The cluster name must end with a lowercase letter of the alphabet or a number. >> Do you want to continue? [yes, no] yes >> Enter a name for the Veritas Access Cluster: vaclust >> Enter the IP addresses of the appliance nodes for clustering (separate with a space): 192.209.101.112 192.168.101.113 (These are IPs which are assigned to eth1 on nodes) >> Enter the appliance maintenance user password of the nodes: >> Do you want to configure network bonding for public networks? [yes,no] no >> Enter the public IP starting address (reserve a minimum of 4 continuous **IPs addresses):** 192.168.104.21 (This IP range is from data subnet) >> Enter the virtual IP starting address (reserve a minimum of 4 continuous IPs addresses): 192.168.104.25 (This IP range is from data subnet) >> Enter the netmask for the public IP address: 255.255.255.0 (Provide netmask of data subnet) >> Enter the default gateway IP address: 192.168.100.1 (Provide a gateway of management subnet) >> Enter the DNS server IP address: 192.168.1.1 >> Enter the DNS server domain name: demodns.com >> Enter the console virtual IP address: 192.168.104.30 _____ Summary of the cluster configuration:

Cluster name: vaclust

Appliance nodes for clustering: 192.168.104.12,192.168.104.13 Nodes with public IP: 192.168.104.14,192.168.104.15,192.168.104.16,192.168.104.17 Netmask for public IP address: 255.255.255.0 Virtual IP addresses: 192.168.104.21,192.168.104.22,192.168.104.23,192.168.104.24 Default gateway IP address: 192.168.100.1 DNS server IP address: 192.168.1.1 Veritas Access Appliance 7.4.2.100 Release Update



- >> Do you want to continue? [yes,no] yes
- 6. Wait for the cluster configuration to complete.
- 7. Upgrade the cluster to 7.4.2.100 using the steps here.

Moving the cluster management console to the management network and adding route for the data network

- 1. Login to the Access Appliance CLISH using its cluster console IP from a client machine which is in the data subnet.
- Add eth1 network interface to the cluster configuration. Network> device add eth1 If this fails, please contact Veritas Technical Support.
- 3. Verify that eth1 is added to the cluster configuration.

Network> ip addr show ΤP Netmask/Prefix Device Node Туре Status ----- -----___ ____ _____ 192.168.101.112 255.255.252.0 eth1 vaclust_02 Physical 192.168.101.113 255.255.252.0 eth1 vaclust_01 Physical 192.168.104.21 255.255.255.0 eth4 vaclust 01 Physical 192.168.104.22 255.255.255.0 eth5 vaclust 01 Physical 192.168.104.23 255.255.255.0 eth4 vaclust 02 Physical 192.168.104.24 255.255.255.0 eth5 vaclust 02 Physical 192.168.104.35 255.255.255.0 eth4 vaclust 01 Virtual ONLINE (Con IP) 192.168.104.31 255.255.255.0 eth4 vaclust 02 Virtual ONLINE 192.168.104.32 255.255.255.0 eth4 vaclust_01 Virtual ONLINE 192.168.104.33 255.255.255.0 eth5 vaclust_02 Virtual ONLINE 192.168.104.34 255.255.255.0 eth5 vaclust 01 Virtual ONLINE

4. You require a new IP from the management subnet (which will be used as the cluster console IP) to move the cluster console to management subnet. Move the new management console IP to eth1. Network> ip addr modify <old_console_IP> <new_console_IP> <netmask> eth1 For example: Network> ip addr modify 192.168.104.35 192.168.101.111 255.255.252.0 eth1

ACCESS ip addr INFO V-493-10-1468 All existing SSH session will be terminated, please logon with new Console ip.

5. The old session is terminated after you run this command. Login to the Veritas Access CLISH using the console IP and eth1 interface. Verify that the IP is shifted using the network ip addr show command. Network> ip addr show

 IP
 Netmask/Prefix
 Device Node
 Type
 Status

 192.168.101.112
 255.255.252.0
 eth1
 vaclust_02
 Physical

 192.168.101.113
 255.255.252.0
 eth1
 vaclust_01
 Physical

 192.168.104.21
 255.255.255.0
 eth4
 vaclust_01
 Physical

 192.168.104.22
 255.255.255.0
 eth5
 vaclust_01
 Physical

 192.168.104.23
 255.255.255.0
 eth4
 vaclust_02
 Physical

 192.168.104.24
 255.255.255.0
 eth4
 vaclust_02
 Physical

 192.168.104.24
 255.255.255.0
 eth5
 vaclust_02
 Physical





192.168.101.111 255.255.255.0 vaclust 01 Virtual ONLINE (Con IP) eth1 vaclust_02 Virtual ONLINE vaclust_01 Virtual ONLINE 192.168.104.31 255.255.255.0 eth4 192.168.104.32 255.255.255.0 eth4 192.168.104.33 255.255.255.0 eth5 vaclust_02 Virtual ONLINE 192.168.104.34 255.255.255.0 vaclust 01 Virtual ONLINE eth5

6. Configure a gateway for the data subnet. Network> ip route add all 0.0.0.0 0.0.0.0 via <gateway> dev eth4 Network> ip route add all 0.0.0.0 0.0.0.0 via <gateway> dev eth5

You can now provision storage, create shares and mount it from the clients which are in the data subnet.





Use case 2: Cluster is already configured with Veritas Access 7.4.2 version and all the data NICs are in the same subnet and you want to move management (eth1) NIC to a different subnet

This section includes the following topics:

- Prerequisites
- <u>Configuring the network</u>

Prerequisites

- The Veritas Access 7.4.2.100 patch is installed
- All the network interfaces should be in the same subnet (data subnet).
- Three new IPs from the management subnet

Configuring the network

Note: Since the network configuration of the cluster is getting changed, some I/O pause/stop/interrupt occurs for all the currently running service on the Access nodes. It is recommended that you stop all the service such as NFS, CIFS, FTP, S3, ISCSI, Veritas Data Deduplication, Cloud Catalyst, and Enterprise Vault.

- 1. Login to the Veritas Access CLISH using the Access console IP (192.168.100.50) and perform the following steps.
- 2. Verify if all the IPs are in same subnet (eth1, eth4, eth5) using the **ip addr show** command. Note that all the physical as well as virtual IPs belong to only one network (192.168.100.0) with subnet mask as 255.255.255.0.

Network> ip addr show

IP	Netmask/Prefix	Device	Node	Туре	Status		
192.168.100.51	255.255.255.0	eth4	app742_01	Physical			
192.168.100.52	255.255.255.0	eth5	app742_01	Physical			
192.168.100.53	255.255.255.0	eth4	app742_02	Physical			
192.168.100.54	255.255.255.0	eth5	app742_02	Physical			
192.168.100.50	255.255.255.0	eth4	app742_01	Virtual	ONLINE	(Con	IP)
192.168.100.55	255.255.255.0	eth4	app742_02	Virtual	ONLINE		
192.168.100.56	255.255.255.0	eth4	app742_01	Virtual	ONLINE		
192.168.100.57	255.255.255.0	eth5	app742_02	Virtual	ONLINE		
192.168.100.58	255.255.255.0	eth5	app742_01	Virtual	ONLINE		

Add the eth1 network interface to the Veritas Access configuration.
 Network> device add eth1

100% [#] Success: device eth1 added.

Verify that device is added to the configuration using the following command **Network> ip addr show**

IP	Netmask/Prefix	Device	Node	Туре	Status		
192.168.100.41	255.255.255.0	eth1	app742_01	Physical			
192.168.100.42	255.255.255.0	eth1	app742_02	Physical			
192.168.100.51	255.255.255.0	eth4	app742_01	Physical			
192.168.100.52	255.255.255.0	eth5	app742_01	Physical			
192.168.100.53	255.255.255.0	eth4	app742_02	Physical			
192.168.100.54	255.255.255.0	eth5	app742_02	Physical			
192.168.100.50	255.255.255.0	eth4	app742_01	Virtual	ONLINE	(Con	IP)



192.168.100.51 255.255.255.0 app742 02 Virtual eth4 ONLINE app742 01 Virtual 255.255.255.0 192.168.100.56 eth4 ONLINE 192.168.100.57 255.255.255.0 eth5 app742_02 Virtual ONLINE 192.168.100.58 255.255.255.0 eth5 app742 01 Virtual ONLINE

4. Modify the eth1 physical IP from Access CLISH.

Network> ip addr modify <old-eth1-physical-ip> <new_IP> <new_netmask>
For example:

Network> ip addr modify 192.168.100.41 192.168.20.25 255.255.255.0 In this command:

- The new subnet is 192.168.20.0 which is the management subnet.
- The old IP address of eth1 is 192.168.100.41
- The new IP address is the IP which you want to give to eth1 from the new subnet IP (192.168.20.25)
- Netmask is the new IP's subnet mask (255.255.255.0)

Note: You are required to modify all the physical IPs of eth1 to IPs of the new subnet. eth1 will not be accessible for some time until we change the physical connections for eth1 and add gateway for new subnet.

 Add the old eth1 physical IPs as virtual IPs. Use the same old physical IPs of eth1 (192.168.100.41, 192.168.100.42) and add them as virtual IPs using following command: Network> ip addr add <old-eth1-physical-ip> <old-eth1-subnetmask> virtual eth1

Note: This is temporary action. Once the separation of data and management subnet is done, the virtual IPs can be removed.

For example:

Network> ip addr add 192.168.100.41 255.255.252.0 eth1 virtual eth1 ACCESS ip addr SUCCESS V-493-10-1381 ip addr add successful. In this command:

- The IP (192.168.100.41) is the old eth1 physical IP which is free now (after step 4)
- Netmask is the eth1 IP's subnet mask (255.255.255.0)
- Device is eth1 because you want to have the virtual IP on eth1

For example:

Network> ip addr add 192.168.100.42 255.255.252.0 virtual eth1 ACCESS ip addr SUCCESS V-493-10-1381 ip addr add successful. In this command:

- The IP (192.168.100.42) is the old eth1 physical IP which is free now (after step 4)
- Netmask is the eth1 IP's subnet mask (255.255.255.0)
- Device is eth1 we want to have virtual IP is on eth1

After both the **ip addr add** operations are complete, verify that both the virtual IPs are on eth1 on both the nodes (app742_01 and app742_02). **Network> ip addr show**

ΙP Netmask/Prefix Device Node Status Туре _____ _ ____ ____ 192.168.20.25 255.255.255.0 eth1 app742_01 Physical 192.168.20.26 255.255.255.0 eth1 app742 02 Physical 192.168.100.51 255.255.255.0 eth4 app742 01 Physical app742 01 Physical 192.168.100.52 255.255.255.0 eth5 192.168.100.53 255.255.255.0 eth4 app742 02 Physical

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192.168.100.54	255.255.255.0	eth5	app742 02 Physical			
192.168.100.50	255.255.255.0	eth4	app742_01 Virtual	ONLINE	(Con	IP)
192.168.100.55	255.255.255.0	eth4	app742_02 Virtual	ONLINE		
192.168.100.56	255.255.255.0	eth4	app742_01 Virtual	ONLINE		
192.168.100.57	255.255.255.0	eth5	app742 ⁰² Virtual	ONLINE		
192.168.100.58	255.255.255.0	eth5	app742_01 Virtual	ONLINE		
192.168.100.41	255.255.255.0	eth1	app742_02 Virtual	ONLINE		
192.168.100.42	255.255.255.0	eth1	app742 ⁰¹ Virtual	ONLINE		

- 6. Change the physical network connections for eth1 and connect it to the switch which is in subnet.
- 7. Login to the Veritas Access node's server console to perform further steps.
- 8. Use the Appliance CLISH to find the current Access management console node by going in maintenance mode from any of the Appliance node.

/home/maintenance # hagrp -state ManagementConsole

#Group	Attribute	System	Value
ManagementConsole	State	app742_01	OFFLINE
ManagementConsole	State	app742_02	ONLINE

Note: The Access management console is online on the second node (app742 02).

9. Login to the node where the management node is online from the Appliance CLISH and go in to maintenance mode and enterthe following command to open Access CLISH for further route related operations.

/home/maintenance # /opt/VRTSnas/clish/bin/clish -u admin

10. Once the Access CLISH is open, delete the the global default route of data network. Enter the following command to delete the global default gateway: Network> ip route del all 0.0.0.0 0.0.0.0 via <gateway> dev eth1 scope=global For example: Network> ip route del all 0.0.0.0 0.0.0.0 via 192.168.100.1 dev eth1 scope=global ACCESS ip route SUCCESS V-493-10-1462 ip route del success

In this command:

- Gateway IP is the current default gateway IP (192.168.100.1)
- Use the **ip route show** command to find the default gateway IP.
- 11. Add new IP routes. Enter the following command to add the global default gateway: Network> ip route add all 0.0.0.0 0.0.0.0 via <gateway> dev eth1 scope=global For example: Network> ip route add all 0.0.0.0 0.0.0.0 via 192.168.20.1 dev eth1 scope=global ACCESS ip route SUCCESS V-493-10-1462 ip route add success

In this command:

- Gateway IP is the new subnet's default gateway IP (192.168.20.1)
- Device Name is eth1 as eth1 is moving to other subnet (management subnet)
- 12. Delete the virtual IPs assigned to eth1. Network> ip addr del <eth1_virtual_ip>





For example:

Network> ip addr del 192.168.100.41 ACCESS ip addr SUCCESS V-493-10-1381 ip addr del successful. In this command:

• The current virtual IP address of eth1 (192.168.100.41)

After both the **ip addr del** operations are complete, verify that both the virtual IPs are deleted.

Network> ip addr show

ΙP Netmask/Prefix Device Node Type Status ___ _____ _ ____ 192.168.20.25 255.255.255.0 app742 0 Physical eth1 app742 02 Physical 192.168.20.26 255.255.255.0 eth1 app742_01 Physical 192.168.100.51 255.255.255.0 eth4 192.168.100.52 255.255.255.0 eth5 app742 01 Physical 192.168.100.53 255.255.255.0 app742 02 Physical eth4 192.168.100.54 255.255.255.0 eth5 app742 02 Physical 192.168.100.50 255.255.255.0 app742 01 Virtual ONLINE (Con IP) eth4 192.168.100.55 255.255.255.0 app742 02 Virtual ONLINE eth4 app742 01 Virtual ONLINE 192.168.100.56 255.255.255.0 eth4 app742 02 Virtual ONLINE 192.168.100.57 255.255.255.0 eth5 192.168.100.58 255.255.255.0 eth5 app742 01 Virtual ONLINE

13. Move the management console IP to eth1. Network> ip addr modify <current console ip> <new IP> <new netmask> eth1

For example: Network> ip addr modify 192.168.100.50 192.168.20.50 255.255.255.0 eth1 ACCESS ip addr INFO V-493-10-1468 All existing SSH session will be terminated, please logon with new Console ip. In this command:

n this command:

- Specify new IP address from the management subnet
- Specify netmask from the management subnet
- Device name (Interface connect to the management network, eth1)

14. Login to the Access management Console IP using SSH from any client in the management subnet.

Note: Since all the network configurations of the cluster are updated now, you can start all the services on the Veritas Access nodes which you stopped before updating the network configuration.





Use case 3: Cluster is already configured with Veritas Access 7.4.2 version and you want to move the data NICs to a different subnet and the management NIC (eth1) remains in the same subnet

This section includes the following topics:

- Prerequisites
- <u>Configuring the network</u>
- <u>Reconnecting the protocols after changing the data network to different subnet</u>

Prerequisites

- The Veritas Access 7.4.2.100 patch is installed
- All the network interfaces should be in the same subnet (management subnet).

Configuring the network

Note: Since the network configuration of the cluster is getting changed, some I/O pause/stop/interrupt occurs for all the currently running services on the Access nodes. It is recommended that you stop all the service such as NFS, CIFS, FTP, S3, ISCSI, Veritas Data Deduplication, Cloud Catalyst, and Enterprise Vault.

- Add the eth1 network interface to the Veritas Access configuration. Network> device add eth1 100% [#] Success: device eth1 added.
- 2. Move the management console IP to eth1. Network> ip addr modify <old_ip> <new_IP> <new_netmask> eth1

ACCESS ip addr INFO V-493-10-1468 All existing SSH session will be terminated, please logon with new Console ip.

3. Login to the Veritas Access CLISH using the console IP and eth1 interface.

login as: admin admin@192.168.10.30's password:

Network> ip addr show

ΙP Netmask/Prefix Device Node Туре Status ----- -----_ _ ____ 192.168.10.12 255.255.255.0 eth1 accessupg 02 Physical 192.168.10.11 255.255.255.0 eth1 accessupg 01 Physical 192.168.10.13 255.255.255.0 eth4 accessupg 01 Physical 192.168.10.14 255.255.255.0 eth5 accessupg 01 Physical 192.168.10.15 255.255.255.0 eth4 accessupg 02 Physical eth5 accessupg 02 Physical 192.168.10.16 255.255.255.0 192.168.10.30 255.255.255.0 eth1 accessupg 01 Virtual ONLINE (Con IP) 192.168.10.17 255.255.255.0 eth4 accessupg 01 Virtual ONLINE 192.168.10.18 255.255.255.0 eth4 accessupg 02 Virtual ONLINE 192.168.10.19 255.255.255.0 eth5 accessupg 01 Virtual ONLINE 192.168.10.20 255.255.255.0 eth5 accessupg 02 Virtual ONLINE

4. Modify the physical and virtual IPs of eth4 and eth5 to the required subnet (which is different from eth1 subnet).

Network> ip addr modify <old_ip> <new_IP> <new_netmask> Modify all the IPs to which the eth4 and eth5 interfaces are connected.

5. Verify that all the IPs are modified correctly.

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Network> ip addr show

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IP	Netmask/Prefix	Device	Node	Туре	Status		
192.168.10.12	255.255.255.0	eth1	accessupg_02	Physical	1		
192.168.10.11	255.255.255.0	eth1	accessupg 01	Physical	1		
192.168.20.13	255.255.255.0	eth4	accessupg_01	Physical	1		
192.168.20.14	255.255.255.0	eth5	accessupg_01	Physical	1		
192.168.20.15	255.255.255.0	eth4	accessupg_02	Physical	1		
192.168.20.16	255.255.255.0	eth5	accessupg_02	Physical	1		
192.168.10.30	255.255.255.0	eth1	accessupg_01	Virtual	ONLINE	(Con	IP)
192.168.20.17	255.255.255.0	eth4	accessupg_01	Virtual	ONLINE		
192.168.20.18	255.255.255.0	eth4	accessupg_02	Virtual	ONLINE		
192.168.20.19	255.255.255.0	eth5	accessupg_01	Virtual	ONLINE		
192.168.20.20	255.255.255.0	eth5	accessupg_02	Virtual	ONLINE		

- 6. Modify the network connections at the switch level (physical connectivity) for both the eth4 and eth5 interfaces.
- 7. Add the default route entry and new gateway IP for both the eth4 and eth5 interfaces. Network> ip route add all 0.0.0.0 0.0.0 via <gateway> dev any scope=local ACCESS ip route SUCCESS V-493-10-1462 ip route add success
- 8. Verify the connectivity of all the IP addresses from the clients of respective subnets.

Reconnecting the protocols after changing the data network to different subnet

After changing the physical cable connections to the respective subnets, you can reconnect the applications.

1. Veritas Data Deduplication:

Perform the following steps after the patch upgrade is complete.

- Before changing the IPs of the data network, eth4 and eth5, note down the deduplication user which is used to configure from the Access management console.
 Dedupe> listuser
- Unconfigure the deduplication before modifying the IPs from the Access management console.
 Dedupe> unconfig

```
ACCESS dedupe INFO V-493-10-0 Removing deduplication server configuration...
ACCESS dedupe INFO V-493-10-0 Deduplication server unconfigured
successfully.
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• Configure deduplication using the new virtual IP with the same user which was listed in the previous step.

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Dedupe> config <filesystem_list> <new_virtual_IP> <username>
Enter Password:<password>
```

ACCESS dedupe INFO V-493-10-0 configuring deduplication server... ACCESS dedupe INFO V-493-10-0 Deduplication server configured successfully

- Make sure the NetBackup master, media and client servers are connected to the newly added subnets and configured accordingly.
- If the disk pool is created with a host name, you can modify the DNS entries with new IPsagainst the host.
- 2. NFS, CIFS, FTP, ObjectAccess (S3):

Perform the following steps after the patch upgrade is complete.

- Unmount the NFS, CIFS and FTP, S3 clients.
- Modify the physical IP, and virtual IP of eth4 and eth5 to the required subnet. You may get a warning





message while changing the virtual IPs.
Network> ip addr modify <old_ip> <new_IP> <new_netmask>

ACCESS cifs WARNING V-493-10-258 CIFS share 'cifs_share' will be redistributed to other virtual IP address due to modification, interruption for the share access is expected. ACCESS ip addr SUCCESS V-493-10-1381 ip addr modify successful.

- Make sure all the NFS, CIFS, FTP and S3 clients are connected to new subnet.
- Mount the respective clients using the respective protocol commands.





Support for IBM Spectrum[®] Protect

This release supports using Access S3 as a storage target for IBM Spectrum Protect. For further information on this solution, please refer to the *Access Appliance 3340 with IBM Spectrum Protect Solution* whitepaper at <u>https://www.veritas.com/protection/access-appliance/resources</u>

IBM Spectrum Protect expects the following configuration information when using Access as an S3 storage target:

- S3 endpoint URL (i.e. s3.<clustername>)
- An S3 bucket to be created. Bucket creation can be done via the Access command line using the **map** function.
- Access keys and secret key
- If using SSL, then the Access certificate needs to be added to the IBM Spectrum Protect keystore.

Refer to the Appendix section of the above whitepaper for an example of how to configure the Access Appliance 3340 as a cloud container storage pool for IBM Spectrum Protect.





Managing alerts and notifications

You can add an email add ignore-string functionality to an existing group as well as delete an existing ignore notification string.

If you want to block specific email notifications, then you can add the notification string to an email group. To add the notification string, enter the following:

Report> email add ignore-string <group> <notification-to-ignore> Where <group> specifies the group to which the email address is added and <notification-to-ignore> specifies the notification that you want to ignore.

If you want to delete an existing ignore notification string in an email group, enter the following: Report> email del ignore-string <group> <string-to-delete> Where <group> specifies the group to which the email address is added and <string-to-delete> specifies the notification that you want to delete.

Veritas Access also classifies event notifications by type. You can set the event filter to specify which type of events to include in notifications. Notifications are sent only for events matching the given filter. New components have been added to the filters to include options such as, admin, backup, CIFS, cluster, database, FTP, network, NFS, OpenStack, replication, report, SmartIO, storage, support, system and upgrade.

For more details, refer to the Veritas Access Administrator's Guide on SORT.

Retrieving and sending debugging information

A new module, **nas-prostacks**, is added that collects stack trace and memory usage for all running process. This module use *collect_memory_stats.sh* script to collect various memory related information in a file which can be used later for analysis.





Known issues

This section documents the known issues of this release.

The PUT operation fails for virtual hosted style requests for AWS signature version 2 and 4.

Workaround:

The S3 clients should use path-based addressing style requests for the PUT operation.

Adding a node to a cluster fails in an environment where management and data subnets are in the same network

Workaround:

If you want to add a node to a cluster which is upgraded to 7.4.2.100, perform the following steps:

- 1. Assign IP to the eth1 interface of the new node.
- 2. Upgrade the new node (which is on 7.4.2 version) to 7.4.2.100 using the steps <u>here</u>.
- 3. Add new node to the cluster using the following command: cluster> add <new node> eth1 <IP>

The add node operation is not supported in an environment where management and data subnets are on different network

Workaround: If you want to add a node in an environment where you have separate management and data subnets, then call Veritas Support.





Fixed issues in this release

This section includes the issues fixed since the last release.

Fixed issues	Description
3972425	ISSUES fixed in this EEB:
	IA-17240: disable selective email notifications
	IA-17163: /etc/pam.d/ files got empty
	IA-17151: debuginfo appears hung
	IA-17244: When balancing vipgroups, Veritas Data Deduplication is
	moved between nodes
3971871	The EEB bundle contains fixes for Veritas Data Deduplication issues on
	Access 7.4.2
3971580	Fix Access Appliance memory corruption issue
3971549	This EEB fixes following defect: When balancing vipgroups, Veritas Data
	Deduplication is moved between nodes
3971116	Issues fixed in this EEB:
	ISSUE1: /etc/pam.d/ files got empty preventing login to the node
	ISSUE2: debuginfo collection hung
3964974	Fix reboot/shutdown issue in cluster nodes
IA-19171	Not able to create key if multiple admin_endpoints are set
IA-18859	Callhome Test failed due to updated settings conflict with firewall when
	cluster is setup
IA-18780	Remove 80% storage notification for Licensing in GUI
IA-18615	Network show command does not print the information about all the
	NIC Statistics
IA-18600	Certificate is not generated from other node if SSL is enabled and
	management console switches to the other node
IA-18529	NTP add clish command failing
IA-18484	Bucket delete operation failed for mapped bucket
IA-16655	Access - S3 Performance for small range reads of 256K needs to be
	optimized
APPSOL-95056	Includes the Access Appliance shell menu audit functionalities.
	Resolves the appliance reboot hung issue.
	Updates the Access product JSON for AutoSupport.
APPSOL-90738	Resolves the SNMP configuration failure when community string includes
	'\$' or '#'.
APPSOL-98019	After running DataCollect from the Access Appliance shell menu, unable
	to share DataCollect.zip.
APPSOL-98077	Log 'Share Open' command takes a long time to complete.
APPSOL-	Cannot SSH to cluster nodes after configuring Acess in a pure IPv6
102605	environment.

For information on all the other features, refer to the Veritas Access Appliance 7.4.2 documentation which is available online. The latest version of the product documentation is available on the <u>SORT</u> website.





Note: The FPE cache limit is changed from 75% to 50% as part of this patch. Before installing the patch, ensure that you note down the cache limit. If the cache limit is lower than 50% before the patch is applied, the patch application sets the value to 50% after the patch is installed. You must manually change the cache value to the original value after the patch installation if the original value before installation of the patch was lower than 50%.

Veritas recommends the following if you increase the RAM on the Access 3340 appliance:

- If the 3340 cluster nodes each have 350 GB RAM or more, use a value of 25%.
- If the 3340 cluster nodes each have less than 350 GB RAM , use a value of 50%

For more information, refer to https://www.veritas.com/support/en_US/article.100045745.html

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