

AutoMonitor Express Scan for VMWare

Rapidly discover and configure monitoring for VMWare private cloud components and resources



Accelerate monitoring of fast-growing VMWare private clouds. Avoid issues in the critical cloud layer by optimizing health and performance of critical VMWare components, services, and guest workloads.



Prevent VMWare issues - protect critical workloads and ensure continued availability

VMWare private cloud brings increased efficiency and agility to enterprise data centers. But it also adds several layers of complexity and concern, including the critical need to monitor and manage the health of the VMWare cloud layer – even as it scales dynamically and becomes more elaborate over time.

Many enterprises are on a constant treadmill: growing VMWare capacity while consolidating disparate infrastructures on the platform – often with the help of consultants. That makes for constant work keeping things monitored: bare-metal hosts and physical networks, VMWare components, and potentially fast-changing guest workloads. It's hard to keep up – especially for IT generalists still gaining knowledge of VMWare operations and best practices.

Opsview AutoMonitor Express Scan for VMWare, built into Opsview Monitor 6.3, helps you consolidate and scale VMWare capacity with confidence – enabling rapid discovery of existing and newly-deployed VMWare cloud components and workloads, and implementation of best-practices health and performance monitoring on them with just a few clicks.

Benefits: Opsview Monitor Express Scan for VMWare speeds time to insight, helping IT operations staff ride herd on fast-growing, elaborate VMWare cloud implementations, ensuring continued availability for the private cloud layer, and the workloads and applications it supports.

Speed discovery and monitoring of VMWare clusters, components, and services

Monitoring VMWare infrastructure manually can be complex and time-consuming: requiring understanding of diverse cluster components (e.g., vCenter servers, ESX hosts, databases), specific knowledge of cluster configuration, plus authentication details. Opsview's AutoMonitor Express Scan for VMWare lowers the skill and knowledge bar: just direct the wizard to discover unmonitored VMWare infrastructure and apply appropriate host templates, adjust template configuration if needed, then start monitoring.

Benefits: AutoMonitor Express Scan for VMWare can recognize and monitor vCenter servers, ESXi virtualization hosts and their guests, Datastores, and Resource Pools. You get speedy, best-practices insight into health, capacity utilization, and performance of critical cloud layer entities and abstract resource subsets, as well as basic monitoring of workload availability, all in one pass.

Monitor your full private cloud stack with just a few clicks

AutoMonitor Express Scan for VMWare works in harmony with other AutoMonitor wizards, including AutoMonitor for Linux and Windows, enabling rapid, error-free discovery and monitoring of host operating systems, co-resident applications, VMWare components and guests, plus discovery and customizable monitoring of guest VM operating systems and applications.

Benefits: Opsview's growing array of AutoMonitor wizards enable rapid, assured monitoring of complex stacks, working alongside Opsview automation, business service monitoring (BSM) and other features to create actionable intelligence: a clear visualization of complex system health, taking component dependencies into account when determining availability and reserve capacity.

Scale up and out without losing control or compromising security

Opsview AutoMonitor Express Scan for VMWare can discover resources within the same network that hosts the Opsview Orchestrator, or on any network segment visible to a remote Opsview Collector. Centralize monitoring without losing insight into far-away data centers, and exploit Opsview Monitor's distributed architecture to gain vast capacity: viewing your entire global enterprise IT estate, including all VMWare implementations, under a "single pane of glass."

Benefits: Easily manage VMWare clusters scattered across multiple data centers from a single Opsview Orchestrator, providing all operations staff with a unified view of enterprise-wide VMWare infrastructure health, and enabling centralized administration of alerting, and one-stop integration with ticketing and IT Ops automation platforms. Achieve resilience by distributing VMWare clusters and other distributable IT assets across separate availability zones – all without losing insight or letting monitoring lag behind infrastructure growth and change.



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