How can I enable Device-Led Conversion (DLC) in Cisco License On-Prem (CLP) deployment?

Introduction

This document provides a step-by-step guide for enabling the Device-Led Conversion (DLC) feature within your Cisco License On-Prem (CLP) deployment. Enabling DLC allows for the seamless conversion of traditional licenses to Smart Licenses.

Video

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Prerequisites

Before you start, ensure that you have the following:

- A Cisco Smart Account
- A valid CCO User ID and Password that has access to the Smart Account or Virtual Account.
- Admin Access to Cisco License On-Prem (CLP)

Steps

Step 1: Access the Cisco License On-Prem (CLP) portal at: https://<IP_Address>:8443/admin/#/mainview.

Step 2: Navigate to the *Licensing workspace* from the left-hand menu.

Step 3: Select the appropriate *On-Prem Account* from the *On-Prem Account tab*.

Step 4: Once the account is selected, additional tabs will appear in the left-hand menu. Navigate to the *On-Prem Account Management* Tab

Step 5: Under Settings select *Device Led Conversion Settings.*

Step 6: Check the box labeled *Enable device-led conversion to Smart license* to activate the DLC feature.

Step 7: Select the required Virtual Accounts from the drop down menu to which the DLC should be enabled.

Step 8: Click *Apply*.

Step Results: The Device-Led Conversion feature is now enabled for the selected Virtual Account(s).

Q: Where can I view the log of all conversions that have occurred in the selected On-Prem Account?

A: You can access the logs by following these steps:

- Navigate to the Licensing workspace.
- Select the relevant On-Prem Account.
- Navigate to Event History.
- Select Smart License Conversion Log.

Troubleshooting

For External Customer/Partner Use Only: Follow these instructions to resolve your issue. If you need further assistance, please initiate a request for License Support via Cisco Support Case Manager.