

TECHNICAL BREAKOUT - RHHI
RED HAT HYPERCONVERGED
INFRASTRUCTURE

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AGENDA

RED HAT HYPERCONVERGED INFRASTRUCTURE

- INTRODUCTION
- RED HAT VIRTUALIZATION
- RED HAT GLUSTER STORAGE
- RED HAT HYPERCONVERGED INFRASTRUCTURE
- NEW FEATURES IN RHHI 2.0
- DEPLOYMENT PLANNING
- DEPLOYMENT STEPS





HYPERCONVERGED INFRASTRUCTURE WHAT IS IT AND WHAT DOES IT DELIVER?

- A combination of Red Hat Virtualization and Red Hat Gluster Storage
- Consolidation of compute and storage on the same physical hardware
- Software Defined Networking
- Major savings are realized by removal of dedicated SAN infrastructures and its associated maintenance cost
- Single staff looking after both compute and storage no silo's



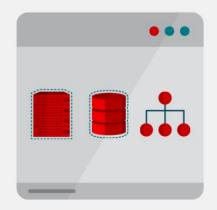
RHV

RED HAT VIRTUALIZATION

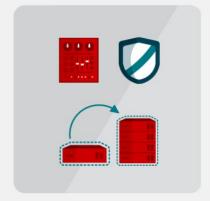


RED HAT VIRTUALIZATION OVERVIEW

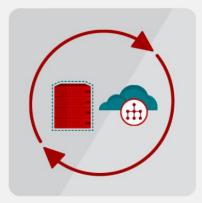
Red Hat Virtualization is an easy to use software-defined platform for virtualized Linux and Windows built on Red Hat Enterprise Linux and Kernel-based Virtual Machine (KVM) technologies



Centralized Management of virtualized compute, network and storage resources using the Open Source KVM Hypervisor



Automated workload management, scalability and security features for virtualized applications



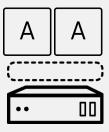
Engineered to optimize current IT and integrate with future technologies using a RESTful API



WHAT IS RHV?

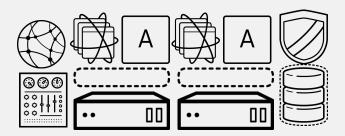
RHEL + KVM

- Basic support for KVM hypervisor
- No enterprise virtualization management features
- Limited number of VMs allowed
- RHV is built on RHEL+KVM



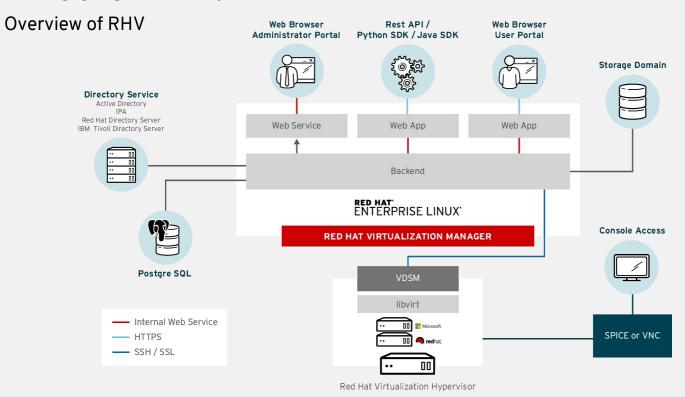
RED HAT VIRTUALIZATION

- Centralized Management for the KVM hypervisor as well as compute, network, and storage resources
- Enterprise features to support mission critical applications





What is RHV?



RHGS

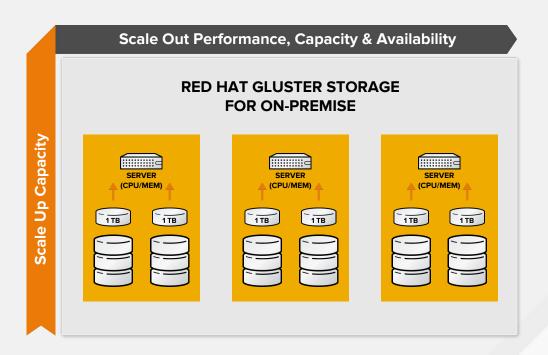
RED HAT GLUSTER STORAGE



GLUSTERFS - DISTRIBUTED FILE STORAGE

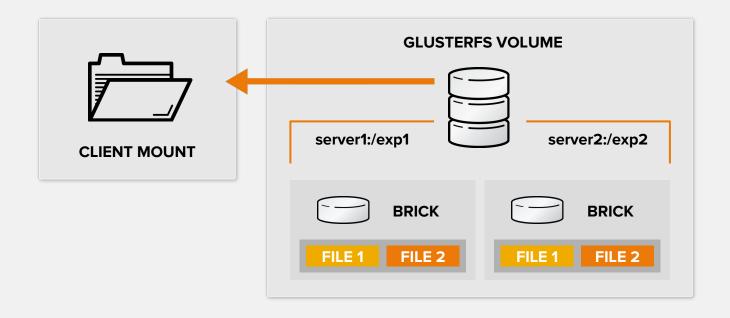
Single, Global namespace

- Deploys on Red Hat-supported servers and underlying storage: DAS, JBOD
- Scale-out linearly
- Replicate synchronously and asynchronous





FEDERATING LOCAL STORAGE





RHV

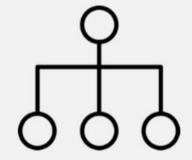
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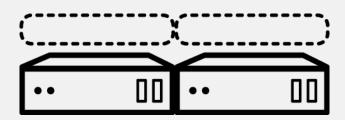
RHV ARCHITECTURE

SOLUTION COMPONENTS

• VIRTUALIZATION MANAGER RHV-M

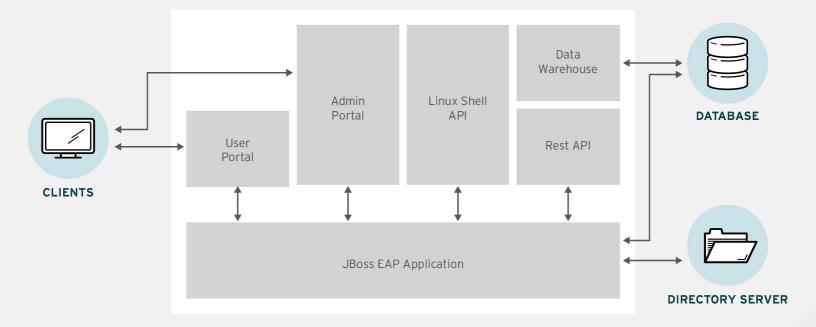


• **HYPERVISOR NODES** RHV-H

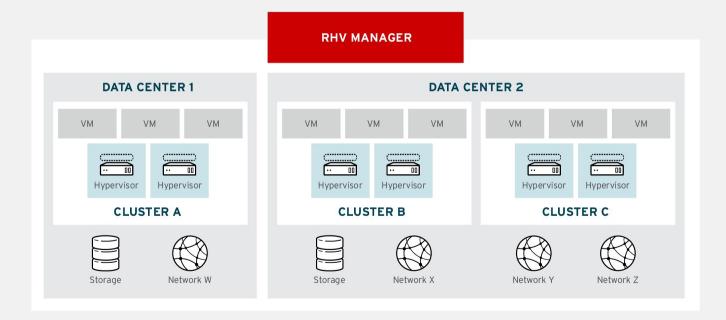


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RED HAT VIRTUALIZATION MANAGER



RHV MANAGER (RHV-M)



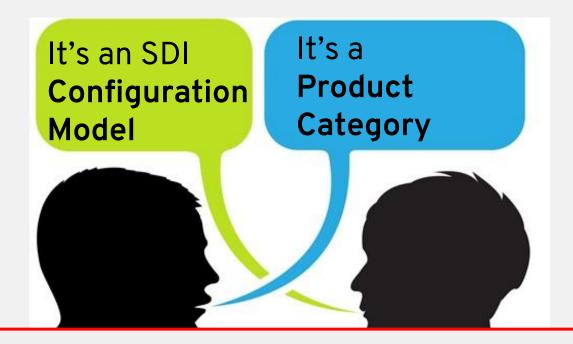


RHHI

RED HAT HYPERCONVERGED INFRASTRUCTURE



"Hyperconverged" is...



Define Hyperconverged



Demand-driven Innovation

1 + 1 = >2

RED HAT: VIRTUALIZATION RED HAT: GLUSTER STORAGE

RED HAT: HYPERCONVERGED INFRASTRUCTURE

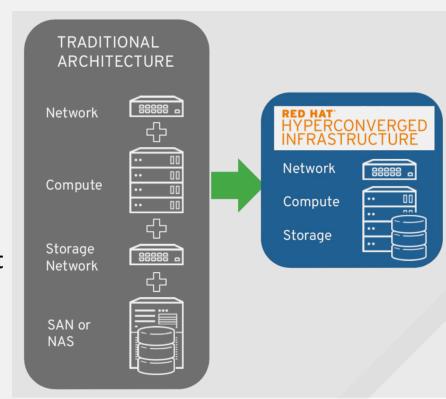
Powered by: Industry-Proven Distributed SDS & SDI Platform

TRIED, TESTED, TRUSTED WITH HARDWARE VENDOR PLATFORMS (HCL)



OPERATIONAL EFFICIENCY

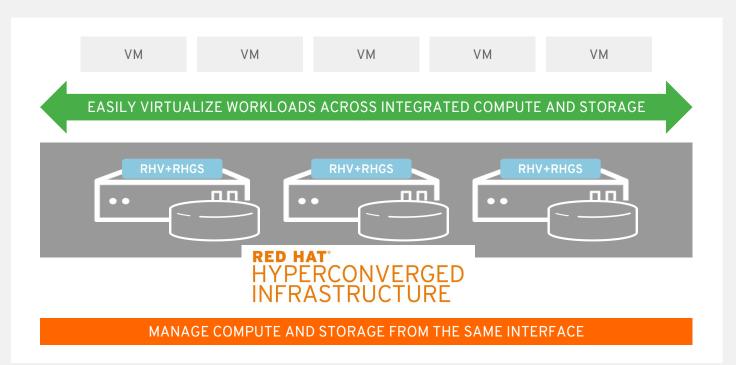
- Eliminate storage as a discrete tier
- Easily virtualize business applications, maximizing resource utilization
- Single budget for compute & storage
- Streamlined deployment & management
- Single support stack for compute & storage





RED HAT HYPERCONVERGED INFRASTRUCTURE

OPTIMIZE, INTEGRATE, MANAGE



Red Hat Virtualization and Red Hat Gluster storage as complete offering for Compute and Storage.



ARCHITECTURAL POD VIEW STARTING WITH 3 NODES

	ACCESS NETWORK (1GbE)	
qemu-kvm-rhev libvirt vdsm	qemu-kvm-rhev libvirt vdsm	qemu-kvm-rhev libvirt vdsm
RED HAT GLUSTER STORAGE VOLUME		
glusterfs LVMcache LVM H/W RAID	glusterfs LVMcache LVM H/W RAID	glusterfs LVMcache LVM H/W RAID
HDD's SSD's	HDD's SSD's	HDD's SSD's
NODE 1	NODE 2	NODE 3
	BACKEND NETWORK (10GbE)	



UNDER THE COVERS



RED HAT® HYPERCONVERGED INFRASTRUCTURE

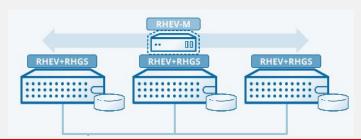


SOLUTION ARCHITECTURE

Simple, Self-Healing, High Available

- RHV with Self-Hosted Engine including GlusterFS
- 3 STORAGE VOLUMES
 - Hosted Engine
 - VM Images (sharded)
 - Data
- SSD cache fronting spinning media
- HW & SW monitoring, fault correlation
- Ansible based deployment tool & playbook

- THE MAIN MOVING PARTS
- VDSM (VM lifecycle agent)
- GLUSTERD (storage mgmt daemon)
- LIBGFAPI (qemu I/0)



- 3-node base POD configuration,
- RHGS w/ 3-way replica,
- Optional Arbiter config



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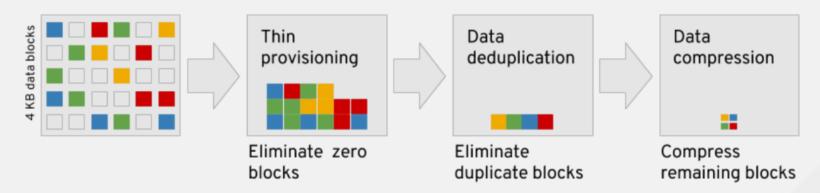
NEW FEATURES IN RHHI 2.0



RHHI 2.0 NEW FEATURES

DEDUPLICATION and COMPRESSION with Virtual Data Optimizer

VDO data reduction processing





RHHI 2.0 NEW FEATURES

 DISASTER RECOVERY with failover and failback

> Currently supports backup, Failover and Failback to a remote secondary site





RHHI 2.0 NEW FEATURES

- UPGRADING THE ENVIRONMENT
 Upgrade your RHHI deployment using the Admin Portal
- SCALE EASILY
 by using Cockpit to prepare and configure new nodes
- MANAGE STORAGE AND VIRTUAL MACHINES by using Cockpit as a centralized management place
- UPDATED USER INTERFACES better organizations operations and new functional options



RHHI 2.0 SETUP OPTIONS

SINGLE-NODE DEPLOYMENT
 Install and run RHHI based on a single server system



RHHI STANDARD SETUP
 Install RHHI on minimal 3 or maximal 12 nodes



VIRTUALIZATION HOST CONVERSION
 Existing RHV hosts can now be converted into hyperconverged hosts



RHHI

DEPLOYMENT FLAVORS







RHHI 2.0 HARDWARE REQUIREMENTS

SMALL SETUP

at least: 12 CORES

at least: 64 GB RAM

at most: 48 TB STORAGE

MEDIUM SETUP

at least: 12 CORES

at least: 128 GB RAM

at most: 64 TB STORAGE

LARGE SETUP

at least: 12 CORES

at least: 256 GB RAM

at most: 80 TB STORAGE



RHHI 2.0 SETUP OPTIONS

RHEL BASED INSTALLATION (LAYERED INSTALL)
 RHV being installed on top of RHEL

RHV HYPERVISOR BASED INSTALLATION (RECOMMENDED)
 ISO Appliance way of setup - contains all required software

 CONVERSION OF EXISTING RHV HYPERVISOR Migration towards hyperconverged setup



RHHI 2.0 MINIMAL SETUP REQUIREMENTS

• 3-NODE DEPLOYMENT RHHI requires at least <u>3</u> physical machines

NETWORKING REQUIREMENTS

2 NICS per node, split across 2 network switches FQDN resolvable in both forward and reverse lookups (DNS is key)

10-GbE **FRONT-end** network: for client connectivity 10-GbE **BACK-end** network: for internal storage and migration traffic



RHHI 2.0 STORAGE SETUP REQUIREMENTS

SOLID STATE DISKS (SSD) RECOMMENDED
 4k <u>native</u> devices are not supported as RHV requires 512k blocks emulation

- RAID
 Recommended setup: RAID6 (10+2) for most disk technology types
 RAID cards must have protected write cache (flash or battery backup)
- JBOD
 Not a recommended way and will require a Red Hat architecture review



RHHI 2.0 LOGICAL VOLUMES SETUP

- RHV ENGINE LOGICAL VOLUME
 Must always be <u>THICK</u> provisioned
 - Protecting the engine from out-of-space conditions and migration activity
- VMSTORE AND DATA LOGICAL VOLUMES
 Should ideally be <u>THIN</u> provisioned (unless using VDO!)
 Offering greater flexibility within underlying configuration
- USING HDD's

 If ThinP volumes are on HDD, a small SSD is recommended for lymcache



VDO: VIRTUAL DATA OPTIMIZER

IMPORTANT CONSIDERATION
 Only available for NEW implementations

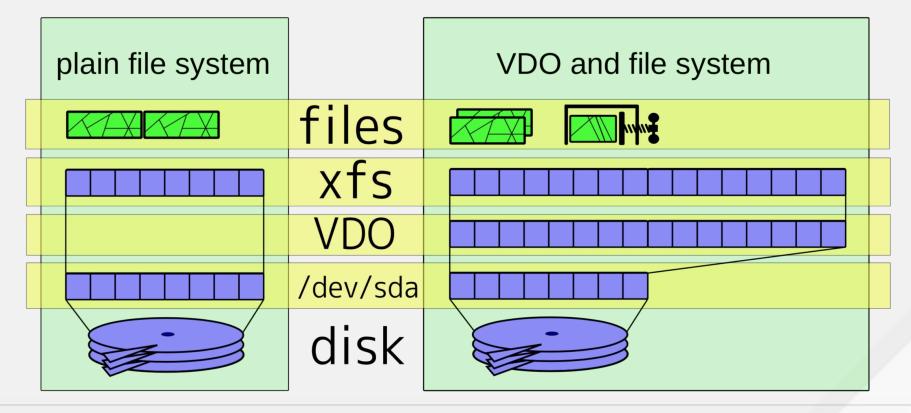
COMPATIBILITY

VDO and Thin-Provisioning are currently <u>NOT</u> compatible. These two technologies are not supported on the same device





VDO: VIRTUAL DATA OPTIMIZER



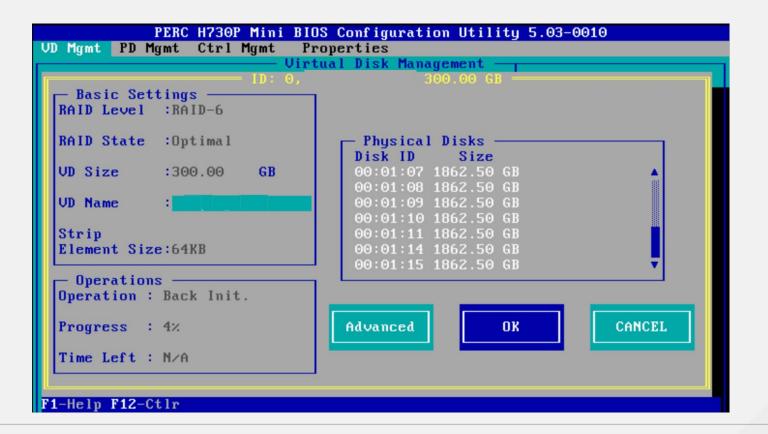


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DEPLOYMENT STEPS

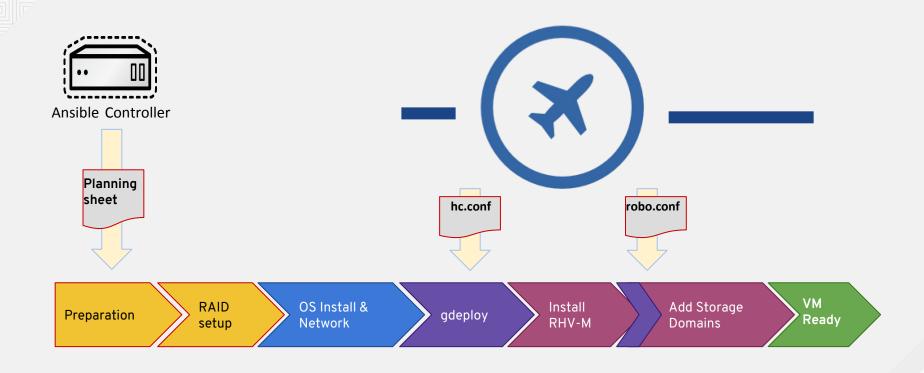


PREFERRED RAID SETUP: RAID 6





RHHI INSTALLATION WORKFLOW





RHHI SETUP WORKFLOW STEPS

BASIC SETUP

Install RHV-H Configure networking and passwordless ssh across other nodes Run Cockpit Interface to continue RHHI setup



COCKPIT

User interface for monitoring the host and performing administrative tasks Run Hyperconverged Wizard steps



RHUH 4.2

Install RHUH 4.2 Test this media & install RHUH 4.2

Troubleshooting

Press Tab for full configuration options on menu items.



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Help!

WELCOME TO RHVH 4.2.

What language would you like to use during the installation process?

English	English	>
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العربية	Arabic	
অসমীয়া	Assamese	
Asturianu	Asturian	
Беларуская	Belarusian	
Български	Bulgarian	
বাংলা	Bengali	
Bosanski	Bosnian	
Català	Catalan	
Čeština	Czech	
Cymraeg	Welsh	
Dansk	Danish	
Deutsch	German	
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English (India)

English (Australia)

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English (New Zealand)

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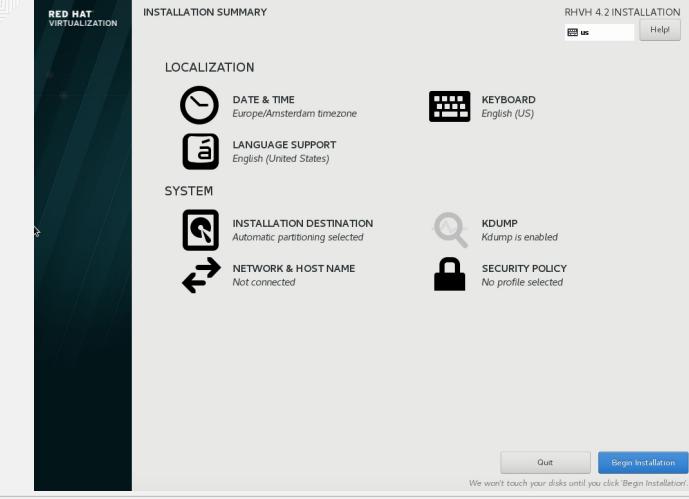
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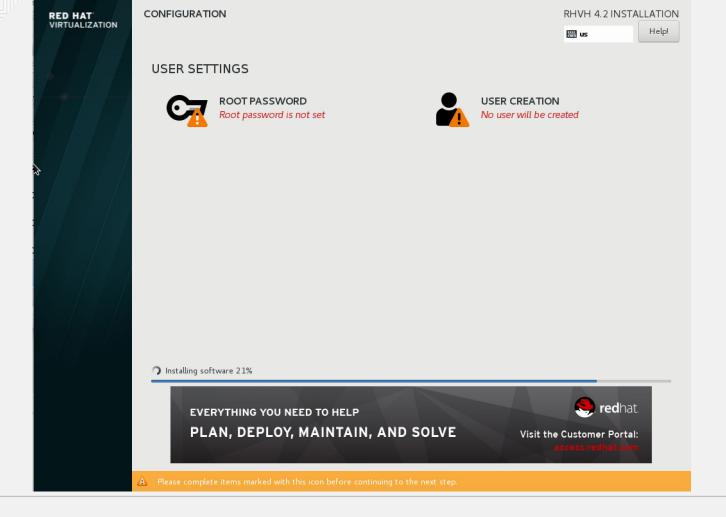
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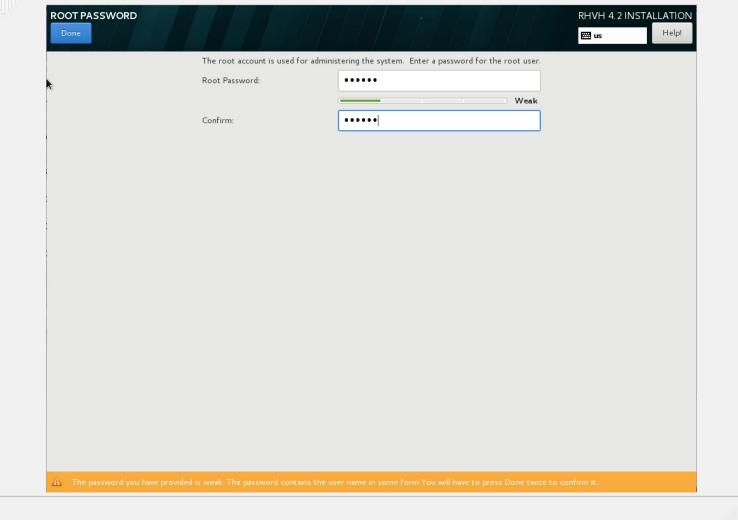


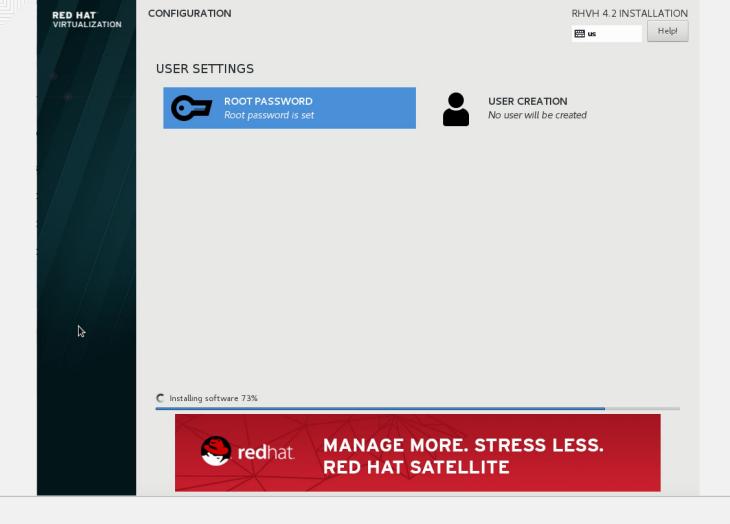


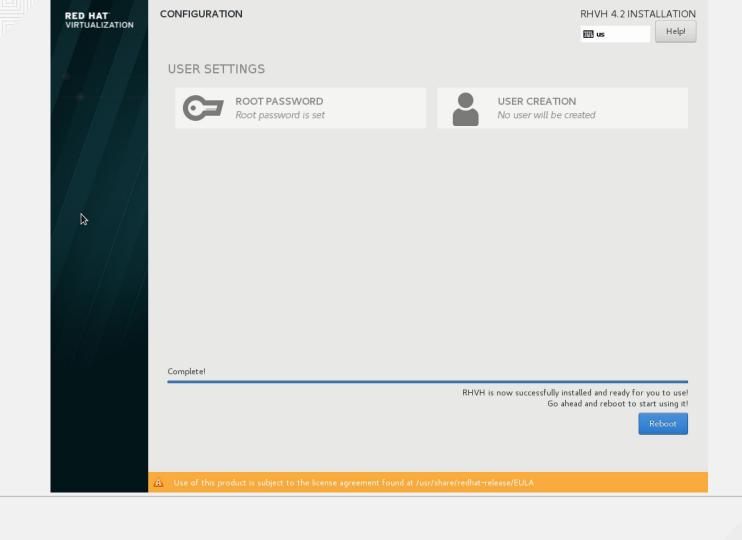
Help!













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Red Hat Virtualization Host 4.2.3 (e17.5)
Kernel 3.10.0-862.2.3.e17.x86_64 on an x86_64

rhvh001 login: root
Password:
Last login: Wed May 23 17:36:21 on tty1

node status: OK
See `nodectl check` for more information

Admin Console: https://10.0.2.15:9090/ or https://192.168.122.31:9090/

[root@rhvh001 ~1#
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Admin Console: https://10.0.2.15:9090/ or https://192.168.122.31:9090/
[root@rhvh001 ~]# nodectl check
Status: OK
Bootloader ... OK
 Layer boot entries ... OK
 Valid boot entries ... OK
Mount points ... OK
  Separate /var ... OK
 Discard is used ... OK
Basic storage ... OK
  Initialized VG ... OK
  Initialized Thin Pool ... OK
  Initialized LVs ... OK
Thin storage ... OK
  Checking available space in thinpool ... OK
 Checking thinpool auto-extend ... OK
∨dsmd ... OK
[root@rhvh001 ~]#
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CONFIGURE PUBLIC KEY BASED SSH AUTHENTICATION

ON FIRST RED HAT VIRTUALIZATION HOST
 Configure Public Key authentication based SSH for the root user to all three virtualization hosts

IMPORTANT

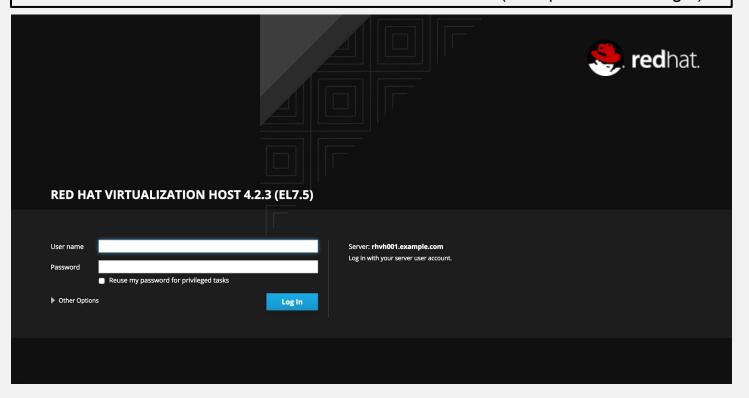
RHHI for Virtualization expects key-based SSH authentication without password between these nodes for both IP addresses and FQDNs





HTTPS://RHVHOST:9090

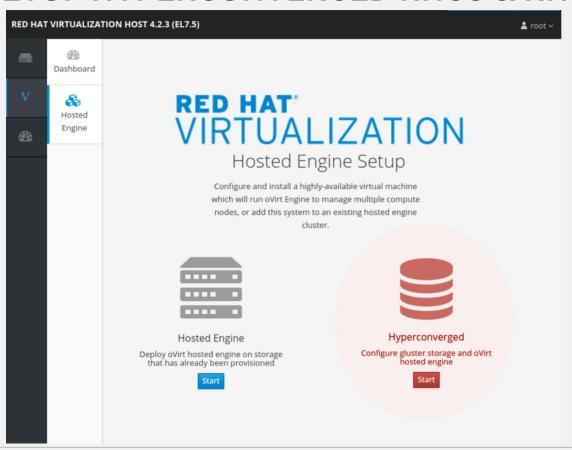
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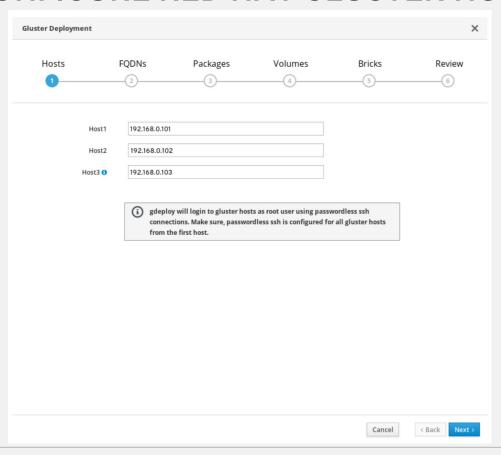
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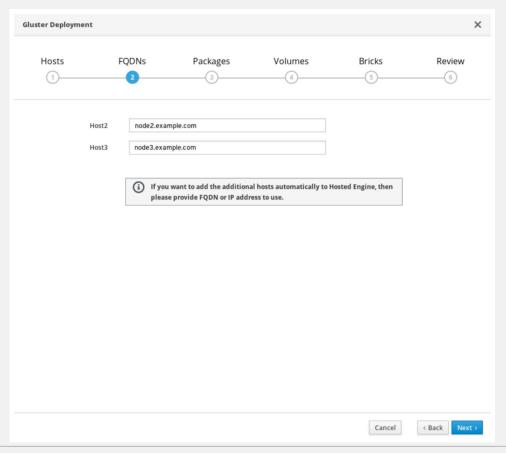
CONFIGURE RED HAT GLUSTER HOSTS







ADD OTHER NODES TO HOSTED ENGINE







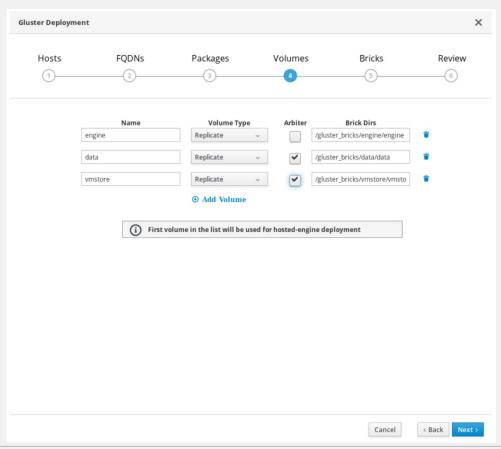
ADDITIONAL PACKAGES OPTION

Gluster Deployment					×
Hosts	FQDNs 2	Packages 3	Volumes 4	Bricks 5	Review 6
Repositories Packages	Update Hosts				
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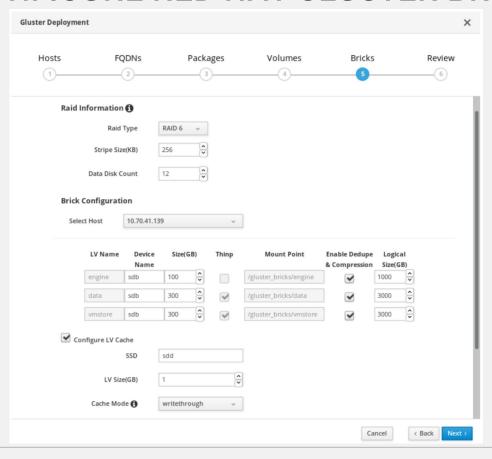
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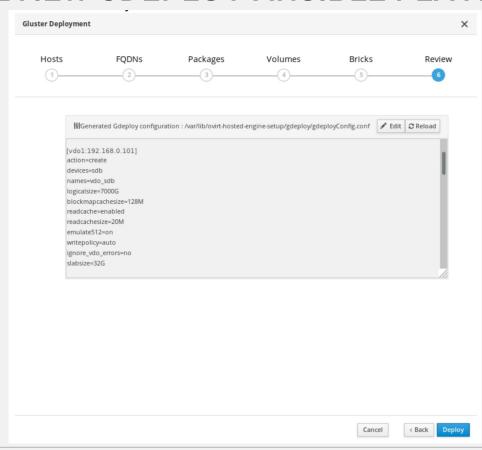
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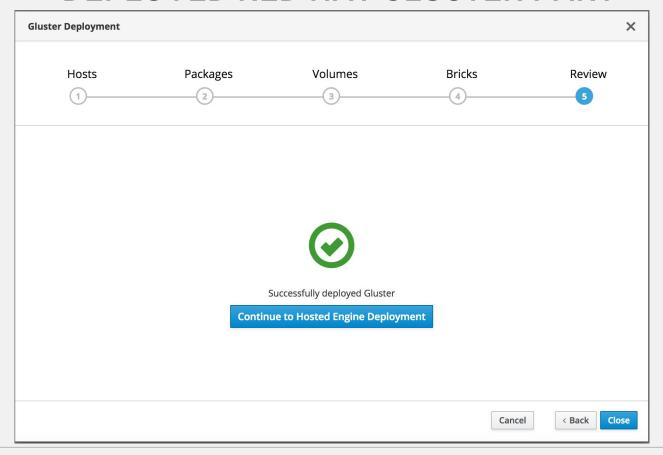
REVIEW GDEPLOY ANSIBLE PLAYBOOK







DEPLOYED RED HAT GLUSTER PART







DEPLOYMENT PART SELF-HOSTED ENGINE

PREREQUISITES

- Configure Red Hat Gluster Storage for Hosted Engine
- 2. Gather information needed for Hosted Engine deployment:
 - IP address for a pingable gateway to the virtualization host
 - IP address of the front-end management network
 - Fully-qualified domain name (FQDN) for the Hosted Engine appliance
 - MAC address that resolves to the static FQDN and IP address



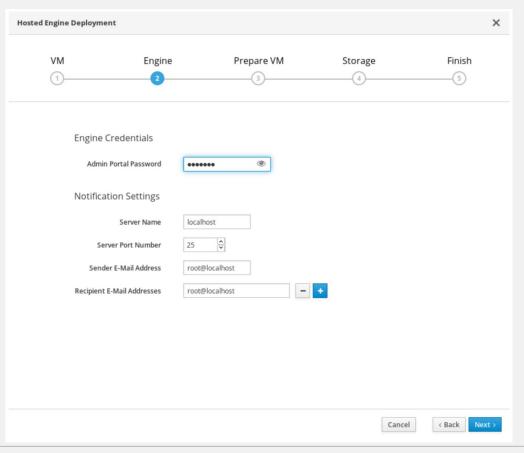
SELF-HOSTED ENGINE VM SETTINGS

Hosted Engine Deployment				
VM	Engine	Prepare VM	Storage 4	Finish 5
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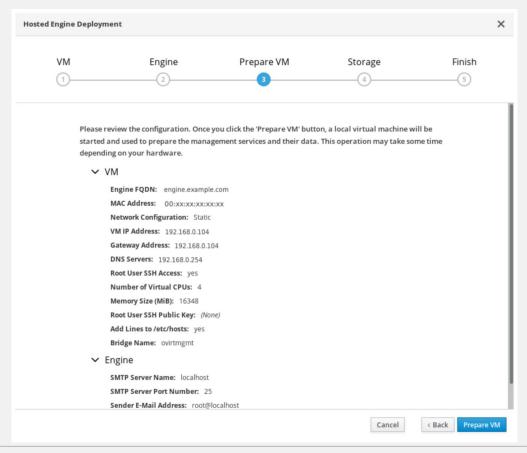
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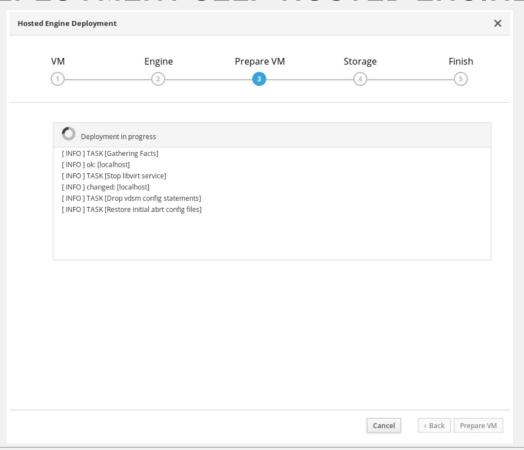
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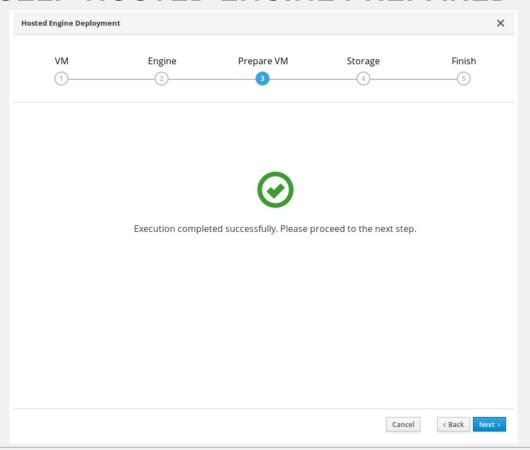
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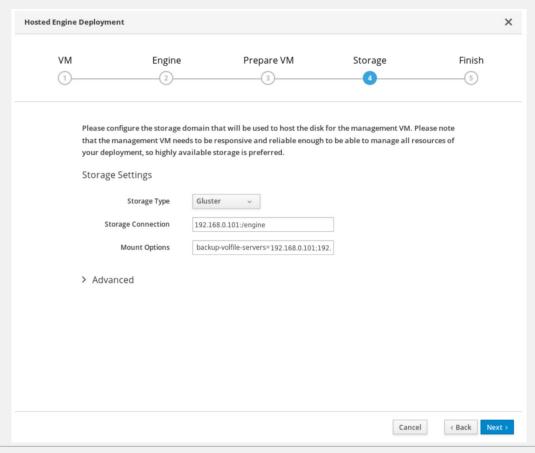
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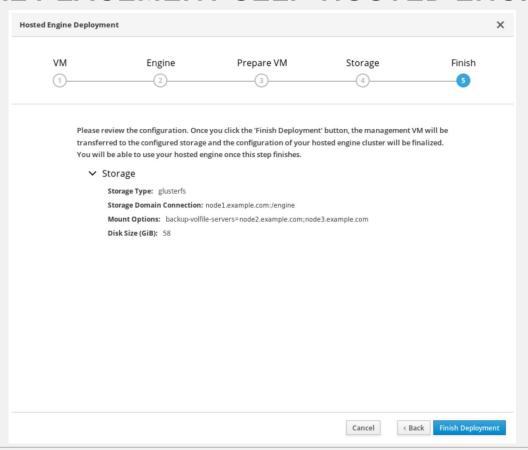
SPECIFY SELF-HOSTED ENGINE STORAGE







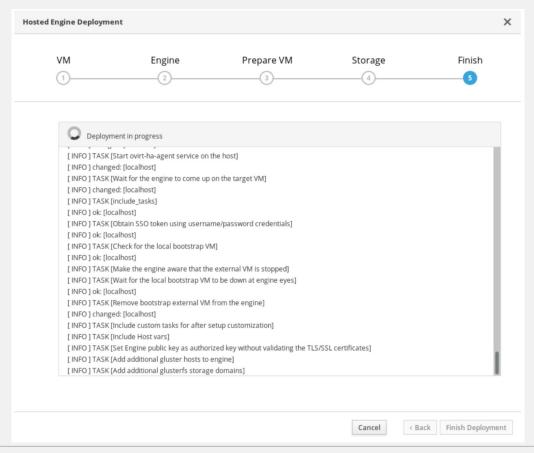
FINAL PLACEMENT SELF-HOSTED ENGINE







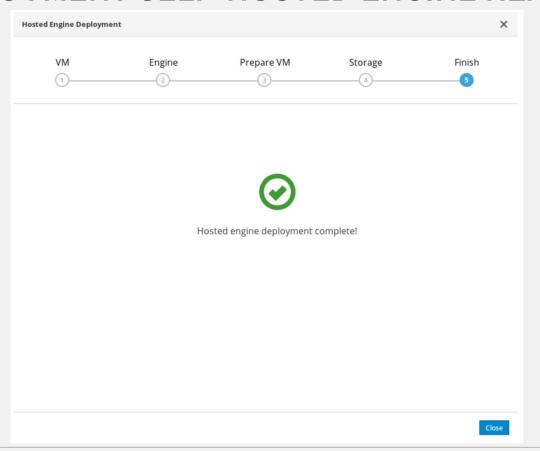
PROGRESS SELF-HOSTED ENGINE ACTIONS







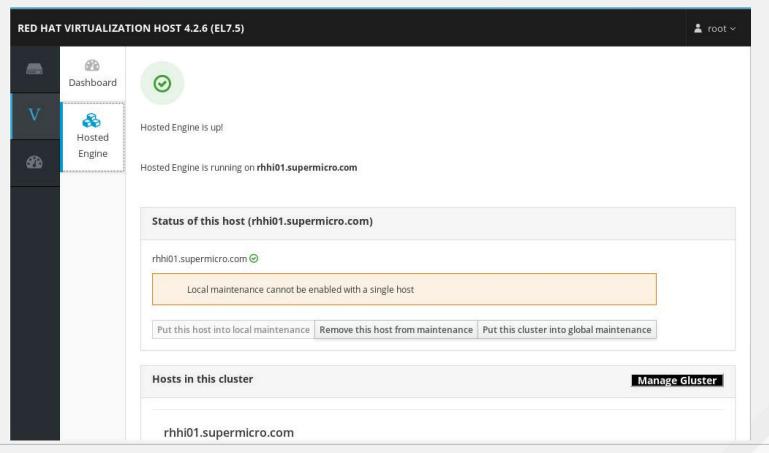
DEPLOYMENT SELF-HOSTED ENGINE READY





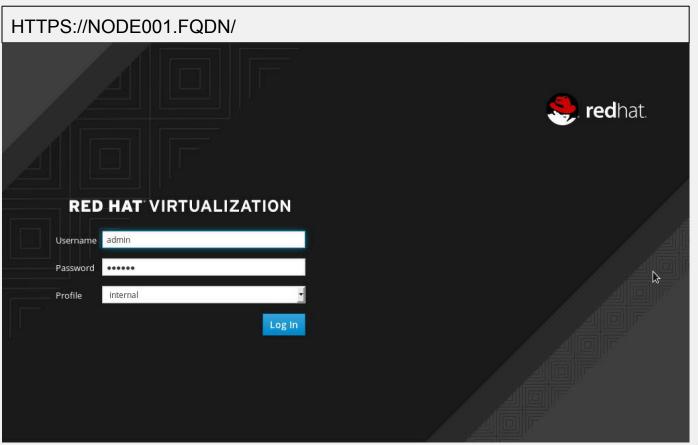


SELF-HOSTED ENGINE UP & RUNNING



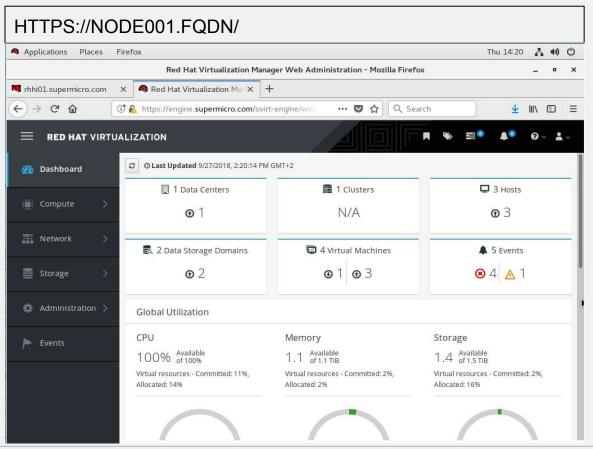


ACCESSING RHHI HOSTED ENGINE





ACCESSING RHHI HOSTED ENGINE





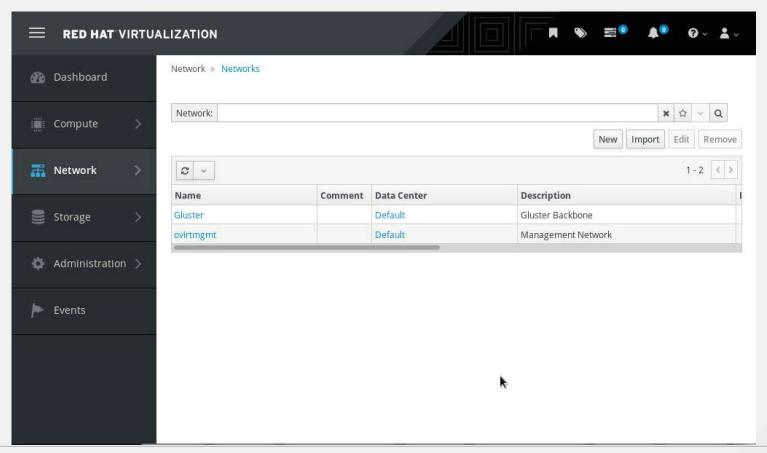
FINALIZING ACTIONS: NETWORK

CREATE LOGICAL NETWORK FOR GLUSTER TRAFFIC

- 1. Create Gluster Network by following the wizard steps
- 2. Enable the newly created Gluster network (administrative action)
- 3. Mark the network for host replication and Gluster traffic
- 4. Attach the appropriate host NIC to the Gluster network



LOGICAL NETWORKS SETUP





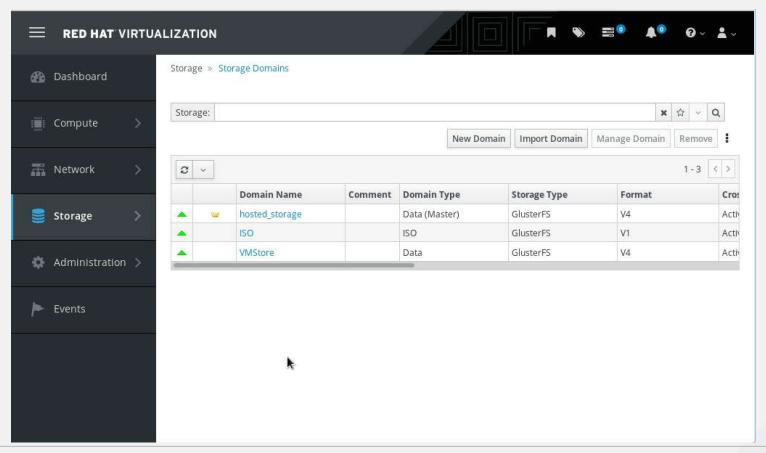
FINALIZING ACTIONS: STORAGE

CREATE MASTER STORAGE DOMAIN

- 1. Create new storage domain
- 2. Set the storage type option to GlusterFS
- 3. Select the VMstore volume
- 4. Use mount option: backup-volfile-servers=<node2>:<node3>



RHHI STORAGE DOMAINS





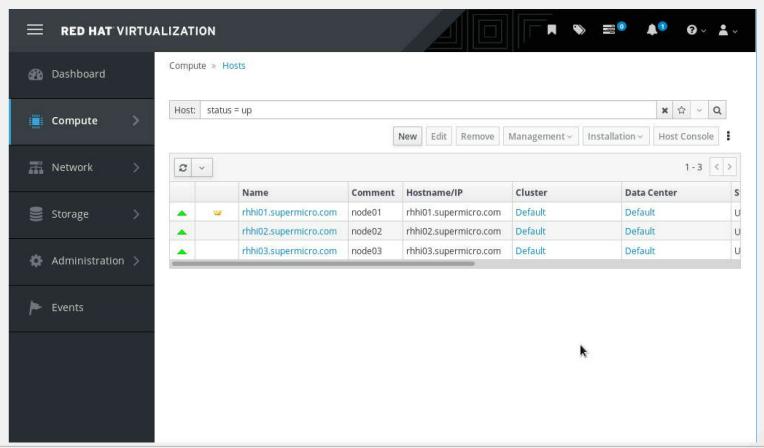
FINALIZING ACTIONS: ADD RHHI HOSTS

ADD YOUR RHHI HOSTS TO THE HOSTED ENGINE

- 1. Login to the Hosted Engine
- 2. In the Hosts section, add new hosts
- 3. Specify the 2nd and 3rd RHHI host
- 4. Activate new hosts and configure logical networks

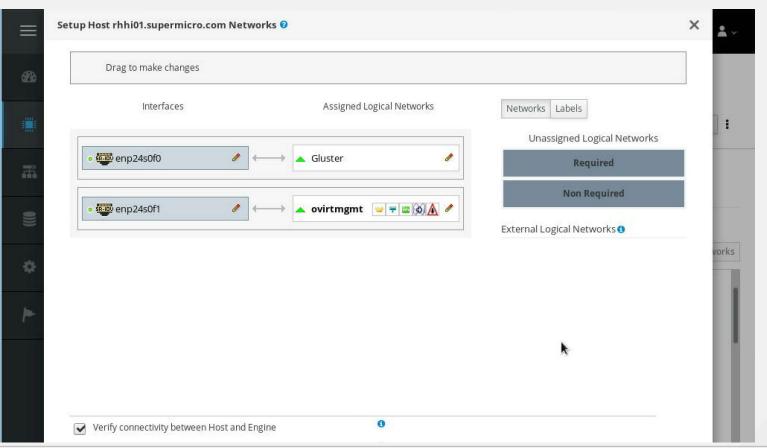


RHHI HOSTS ADDED TO THE CLUSTER





RHHI HOSTS LOGICAL NETWORKS SETUP





POST DEPLOYMENT SUGGESTIONS

RECOMMENDED ACTIONS AFTER SUCCESSFUL INSTALLATION

- 1. Configure a SSD Logical Volume Cache for improved performance
- 2. Configure Fencing for High Availability
- 3. Configure Backup & Recovery options
- 4. Enjoy the RHHI!





SUPERMICRO DEMO BOOTH











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