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## Oracle SBC integration with Assertion SecureVoice

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## 2 Intended Audience

This document is intended for use by Oracle Systems Engineers, third party Systems Integrators, Oracle Enterprise customers and partners and end users of the Oracle Enterprise Session Border Controller (SBC). It's assumed that the reader is familiar with basic operations of the Oracle Enterprise Session Border Controller platform along with integrating UC and CC systems, Sip Trunking Services and Assertion Secure Voice.

## 3 Document Overview

This Application Note guides users through the process of configuring Oracle SBC to integrate with Assertion's SecureVoice. The document covers the full operational configuration of the Oracle SBC, including network settings, service parameters, and security configurations. The solution has been validated using Oracle Communication SBC with OS930p1

## 4 About Assertion SecureVoice

Assertion SecureVoice (hereafter referred also as Assertion Defender in this document) protects your enterprise contact center and SIP Remote Workers from Scam, Robo, Junk Calls and any voice threats. Assertion SecureVoice detects, reports and blocks voice threats in real time and SecureVoice works with almost all CC and UC vendors.

The Key features of Assertion SecureVoice is listed below:

- Detect number spoofing attempts to protect from ransomware attack and voice phishing (scam).
- Targeted routing of suspicious scam calls to trained agents / attendants.
- Detect and block brute force, extension enumeration and other attacks on the SIP remote worker infrastructure.
- TDoS protection to safeguard from call spikes which could result in customers not being able to connect to you.
- Monitor usage, choking and rejections in outbound and inbound traffic to provide an early warning to ensure smooth operations.

In addition, it should be noted that the configuration provided in this guide focuses mainly on the Oracle SBC related parameters. Many SBC applications may have additional configuration requirements that are specific to individual customer requirements. These configuration items are not covered in this guide. Please contact your Oracle representative with any questions pertaining to this topic.

For additional information on **Assertion SecureVoice**, please visit,

<https://assertion.cloud/securevoice/>

## 5 Introduction

### 5.1 Audience

This is a technical document intended for telecommunications engineers with the purpose of configuring Oracle Enterprise SBC. There will be steps that require navigating the Oracle SBC GUI interface, understanding the basic concepts of TCP/UDP, IP/Routing, DNS server and SIP/RTP are also necessary to complete the configuration and for troubleshooting, if necessary.

### 5.2 Requirements

- Fully functioning UC/CC Platform.
- Fully functioning Assertion SecureVoice (Assertion Defender and Scanner) Software.
- Oracle Enterprise Session Border Controller (hereafter Oracle SBC) running 9.3.0 version.

*Note: For deployment and configuration of Assertion Defender and Scanner, please contact your Assertion Account team. The Assertion team will provide necessary guidance and support throughout the process.*

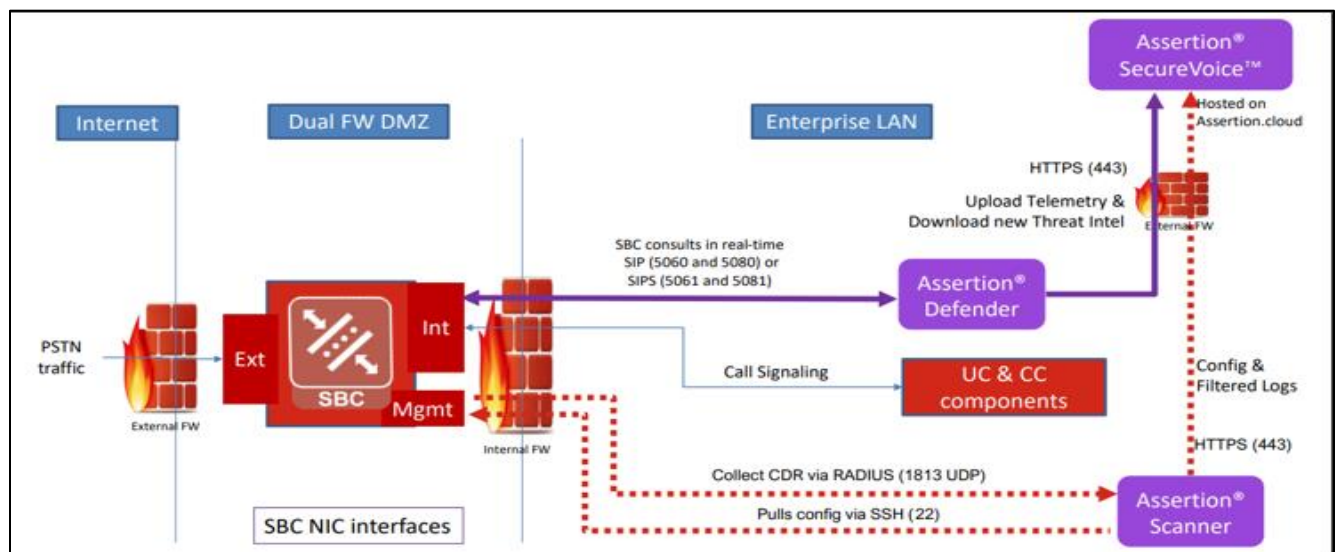
The below revision table explains the versions of the software used for each component:  
This table is Revision 1 as of now:

Software Used	SBC Version
Revision 1	9.3.0

### 5.3 Architecture

#### Security Scan Approach

Assertion SecureVoice uses two on-prem components; Assertion Scanner to collect the CDR from Oracle SBC and Assertion Defender to provide real-time session enforcement. The Scanner and the Defender send data to the cloud for advanced analytics.



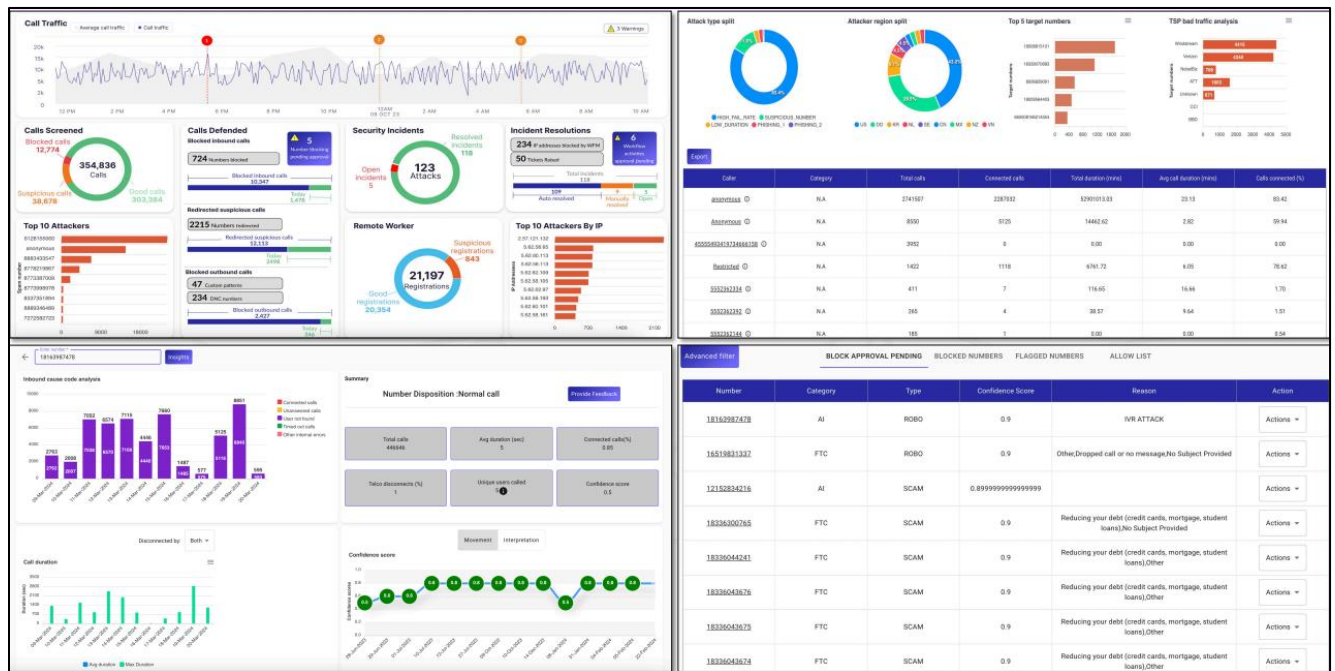
*Defender is consulted during call setup and "redirects" acceptable calls. It is not on the signaling path of connected calls and never in the media path.*

## 5.4 Assertion Hardware, Software and Network Requirements

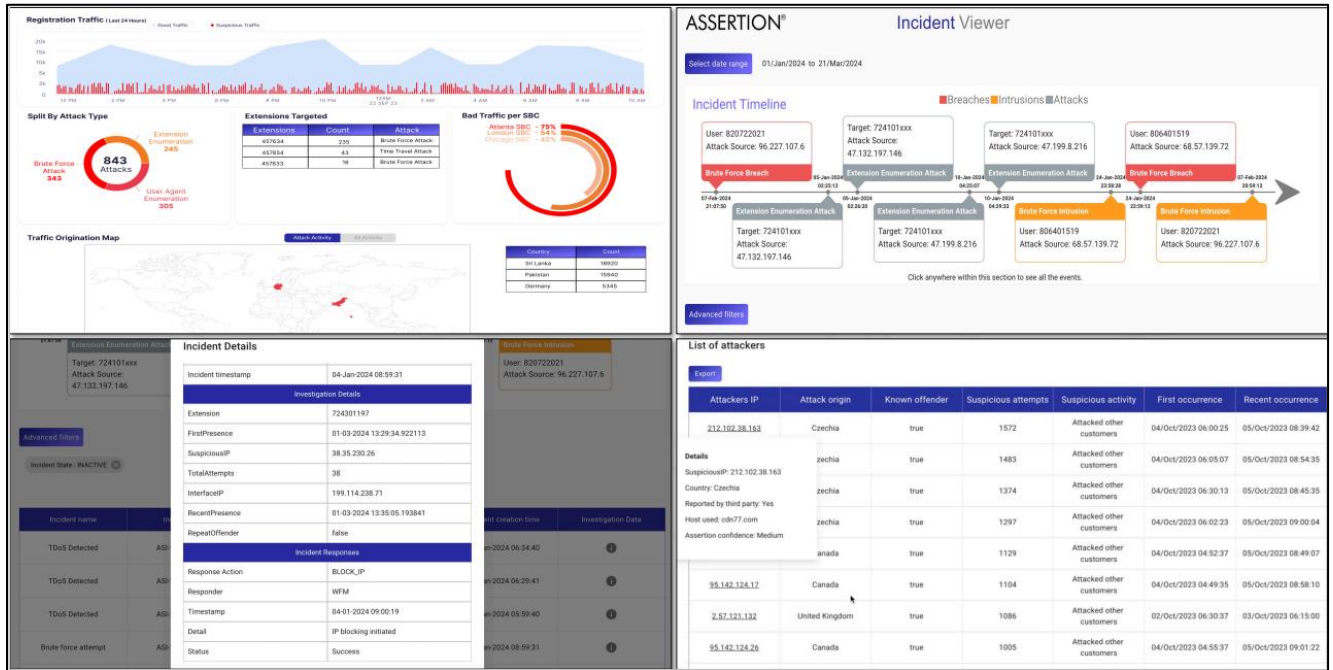
Minimum 2 VMs - 1 Scanner and 1 Defender

- Assertion Scanner has the following requirements:
  - Hardware requirements – VM with 8GB RAM, 4 vCPU \* 2.2GHz, free disk space of 150 GB.
  - Software requirements – OVA provided with RHEL 8.x/9.x. Customer to provide license.
  - Network – 2 NIC cards, 1Gbps
- Assertion Defender has the following requirements:
  - Hardware requirements – VM with 8GB RAM, 4 vCPU \* 2.2GHz, free disk space of 150 GB.
  - Software requirements – OVA provided with RHEL 8.x/9.x. Customer to provide license.
  - Network – 2 NIC cards, 1Gbps

## 5.5 Assertion Portal Product Screens







## 6 Configuring the SBC

This chapter provides step-by-step guidance on how to configure Oracle SBC to integrate Assertion SecureVoice with a PSTN service and UC/CC platform.

*Please note that the IP Addresses, FQDN and configuration names and details given in this document are used for reference purposes only. These same details cannot be used in customer configurations. End users of this document can use the configuration details according to their network requirements. There are some public facing IPs (externally routable IPs) that we use for our testing are masked in this document for security reasons. The customers can configure any publicly routable IPs for these sections as per their network architecture needs.*

### Validated Oracle SBC version

Oracle conducted tests with Oracle SBC 9.3 software – this software with the configuration listed below can run on any of the following products:

- AP 1100
- AP 3900
- AP 4600
- AP 6300
- AP 6350
- AP 3950
- AP 4900
- VME

## 7 New SBC configuration

If the customer is looking to setup a new SBC from scratch, please follow the sections given below.

As there are many ways to install the SBC (purpose-built appliance, VM, and public cloud deployment), please follow the link given below for the type of install base used to deploy the Oracle SBC.

<https://docs.oracle.com/en/industries/communications/session-border-controller/9.3.0/installation/index.html>

Once the SBC is installed and logged in, please follow the steps given below.

### 7.1 Setup product

Setup product type to Enterprise Session Border Controller as shown below.

To configure product type, type in “*setup product*” in the terminal

```
base modified date 2023-02-08 08:20:20
NN4600-139# setup product

-----
WARNING:
Alteration of product alone or in conjunction with entitlement
changes will not be complete until system reboot

Last Modified 2023-02-07 15:50:20
-----
 1 : Product          : Enterprise Session Border Controller

Enter 1 to modify, d' to display, 's' to save, 'q' to exit. [s]: █
```



## 7.2 Setup Entitlements

Enable features for the ESBC using the “*setup entitlements*” command as shown below.

```
Entitlements for Enterprise Session Border Controller
Last Modified: Never
-----
 1 : Session Capacity                : 0
 2 : Advanced                        :
 3 : Admin Security                  :
 4 : Data Integrity (FIPS 140-2)     :
 5 : Transcode Codec AMR Capacity    : 0
 6 : Transcode Codec AMRWB Capacity  : 0
 7 : Transcode Codec EVRC Capacity   : 0
 8 : Transcode Codec EVRCB Capacity  : 0
 9 : Transcode Codec EVS Capacity    : 0
10 : Transcode Codec OPUS Capacity   : 0
11 : Transcode Codec SILK Capacity   : 0

Enter 1 - 11 to modify, d' to display, 's' to save, 'q' to exit. [s]: 1
  Session Capacity (0-128000)       : 500

Enter 1 - 11 to modify, d' to display, 's' to save, 'q' to exit. [s]: 3
*****
CAUTION: Enabling this feature activates enhanced security
functions. Once saved, security cannot be reverted without
resetting the system back to factory default state.
*****
  Admin Security (enabled/disabled)  :

Enter 1 - 11 to modify, d' to display, 's' to save, 'q' to exit. [s]: 5
  Transcode Codec AMR Capacity (0-102375) : 50

Enter 1 - 11 to modify, d' to display, 's' to save, 'q' to exit. [s]: 2
  Advanced (enabled/disabled)        : enabled

Enter 1 - 11 to modify, d' to display, 's' to save, 'q' to exit. [s]: 10
  Transcode Codec OPUS Capacity (0-102375) : 50

Enter 1 - 11 to modify, d' to display, 's' to save, 'q' to exit. [s]: 11
  Transcode Codec SILK Capacity (0-102375) : 50
```

Save changes and reboot the SBC.

The SBC comes up after reboot and is now ready for configuration.

## 7.3 Enable Management GUI

ALCI Path: config t→system→http-server

Enable the http-server-config to access the SBC using Web GUI. Save and activate the config.

```

http-server
  name                webServerInstance
  state               enabled
  realm
  ip-address
  http-state          enabled
  http-port           80
  HTTP-strict-transport-security-policy disabled
  https-state         disabled
  https-port          443
  http-interface-list GUI
  http-file-upload-size 0
  tls-profile
  auth-profile
  last-modified-by    @
  last-modified-date  2020-10-06 00:28:26
NN4600-139# █

```

## 7.4 Configure SBC using Web GUI

There are two methods for configuring the SBC, CLI or GUI. For the purposes of this note, we'll be using the SBC GUI for all configuration examples. We will however provide the CLI path to each element.

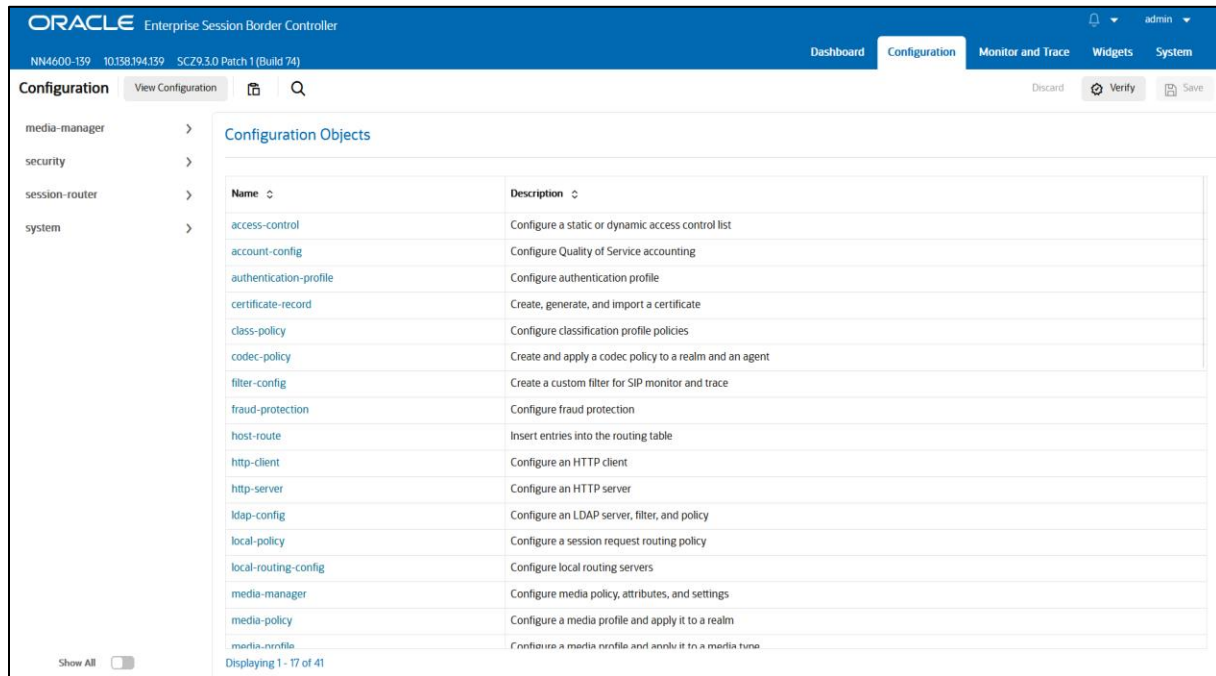
To access the SBC GUI, enter the management IP address into a web browser. When the login screen appears, enter the username and password to access the SBC.

Once you have access to the SBC GUI, at the top, click the Configuration Tab. This will bring up the SBC Configuration Objects List on the left-hand side of the screen.

*Any configuration parameter not specifically listed below can remain at the SBC default value and does not require a change for the connection to Assertion Secure Voice to function properly.*

*Note: the configuration examples below were captured from a system running the latest GA software, 9.3.0*

The screenshot shows the login interface for the Oracle Enterprise Session Border Controller (E-SBC). On the left, there is a blue vertical sidebar with the Oracle logo and the text "ORACLE Enterprise Session Border Controller". The main content area is white and contains a "Sign in to E-SBC" heading. Below the heading, it says "Enter your details below". There are two input fields: "Username" and "Password", both with "Required" labels to their right. Below the fields is a blue "SIGN IN" button.



Refer to the SBC GUI User Guide for more information:

<https://docs.oracle.com/en/industries/communications/enterprise-session-border-controller/9.3.0/webgui/web-gui-guide.pdf>

*Note: Expert Mode is used when adding or modifying the SBC configuration*

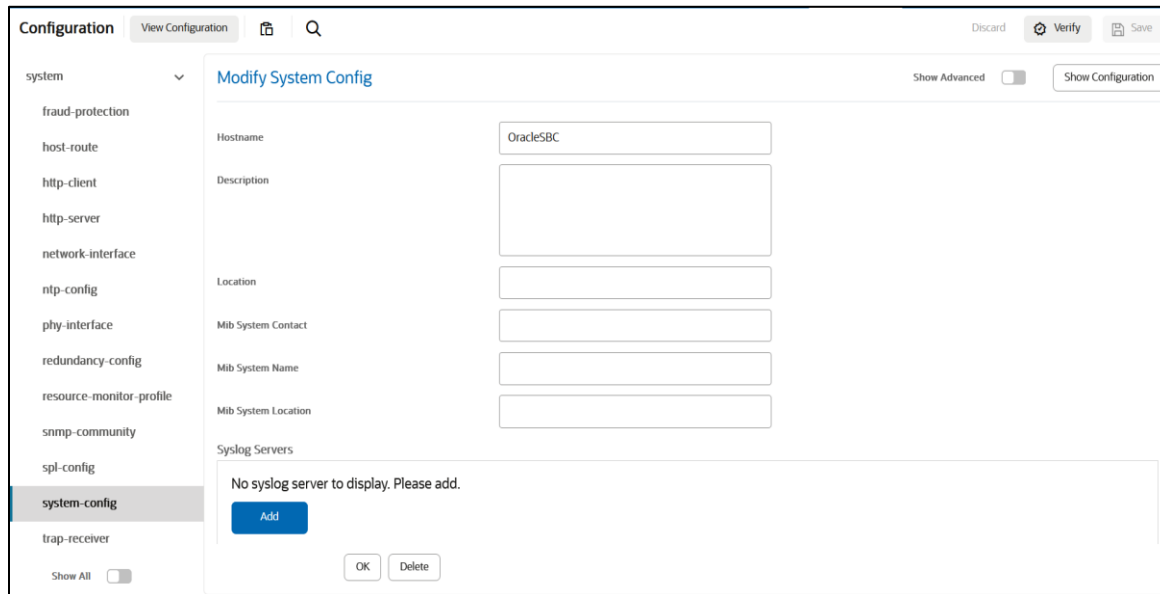
**Tip:** To make this configuration simpler, directly search the element to be configured from the Objects tab available.

## 7.5 System-Config

To enable system level functionality for the OCSBC, you must first enable the system-config

GUI Path: system/system-config

ACL Path: config t→system→system-config



If media transcoding is required in your environment and the SBC is deployed as VME SBC or in a public cloud, you'll need to enable transcoding cores under the system config element. Please see the document below for more information:

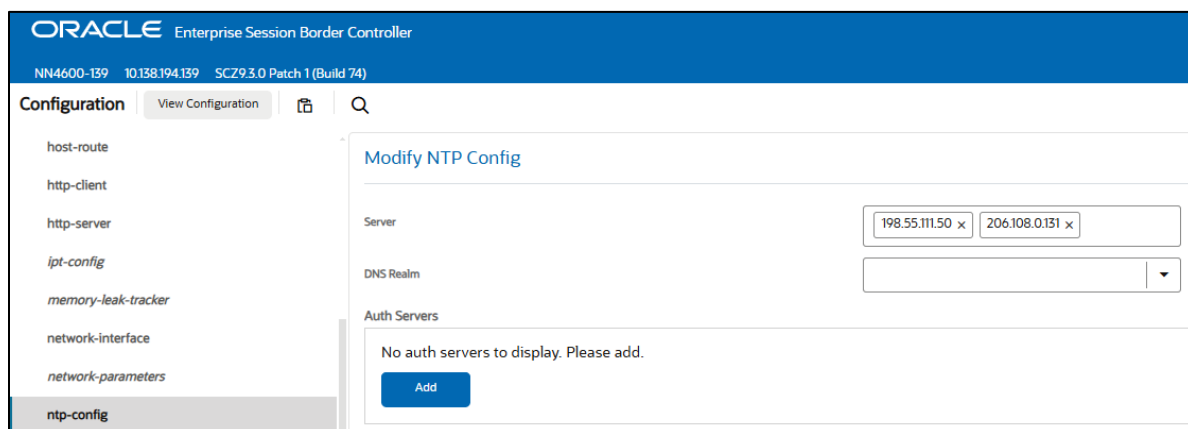
<https://docs.oracle.com/en/industries/communications/enterprise-session-border-controller/9.3.0/releasenotes/esbc-release-notes.pdf>

### 7.5.1 NTP-Sync

You can use the following example to connect the Oracle SBC to any network time servers you have in your network. This is an optional configuration but recommended.

GUI Path: system/ntp-config

ACL Path: config t→system→ntp-sync



- Select OK at the bottom

Now we'll move on configuring network connections on the SBC.

## 7.6 Networking configuration

To connect the SBC to network elements, we must configure both physical and network interfaces. For the purposes of this example, we will configure three physical interfaces, and three network interfaces. One to communicate with Assertion Secure Voice Platform, one to connect to PSTN Network and a third connection to the UC/CC platform.

*Note: The slots and ports used in this example may be different from your network setup.*

### 7.6.1 Physical Interfaces

GUI Path: system/phy-interface

ACL Path: config t→system→phy-interface

- Click Add, use the following table as a configuration example:

Config Parameter	Assertion	PSTN	UC/CC Platform
Name	s1p0	s0p0	s0p1
Operation Type	Media	Media	Media
Slot	1	0	0
Port	0	0	1

*Note: Physical interface names, slot and port may vary depending on environment*

The screenshot shows the Oracle Enterprise Session Border Controller GUI. The left sidebar shows the configuration tree with 'system' expanded. The main area is titled 'Phy Interface' and contains a table with the following data:

Select	Action	Name	Operation Type	Port	Slot
<input type="checkbox"/>	:	s0p0	Media	0	0
<input type="checkbox"/>	:	s0p1	Media	1	0
<input type="checkbox"/>	:	s1p0	Media	3	0

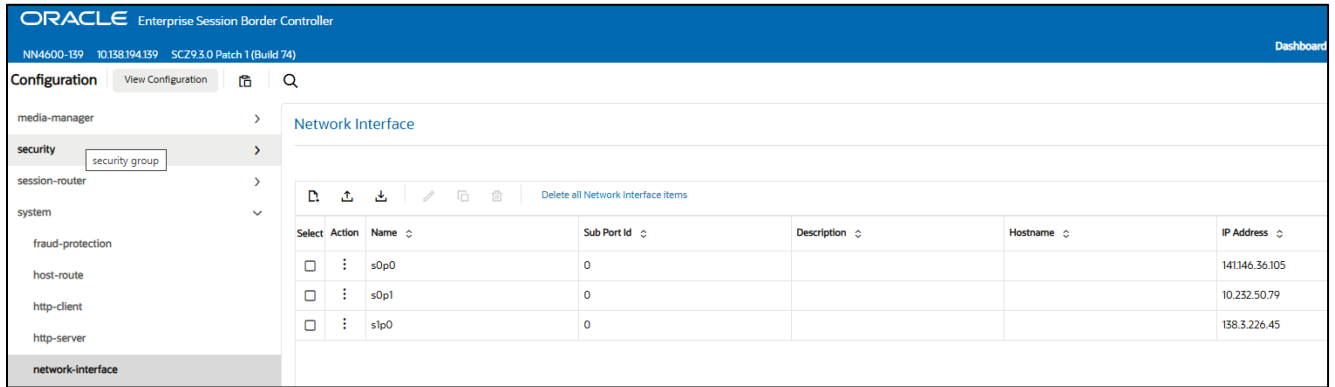
### 7.6.2 Network Interfaces

GUI Path: system/network-interface

ACL Path: config t→system→network-interface

- Click Add, use the following table as a configuration example:

Config Parameter	Assertion	PSTN	UC/CC Platform
Name	s1p0	s0p0	s0p1
IP Address	138.3.226.45	141.146.36.105	10.232.50.79
Netmask	255.255.255.224	255.255.255.192	255.255.255.0
Gateway	138.3.226.33	141.146.36.65	10.232.50.1



Click OK at the bottom of each after entering the config information.

Next we'll configure the necessary elements to setup Media on the SBC.

## 7.7 Media Configuration

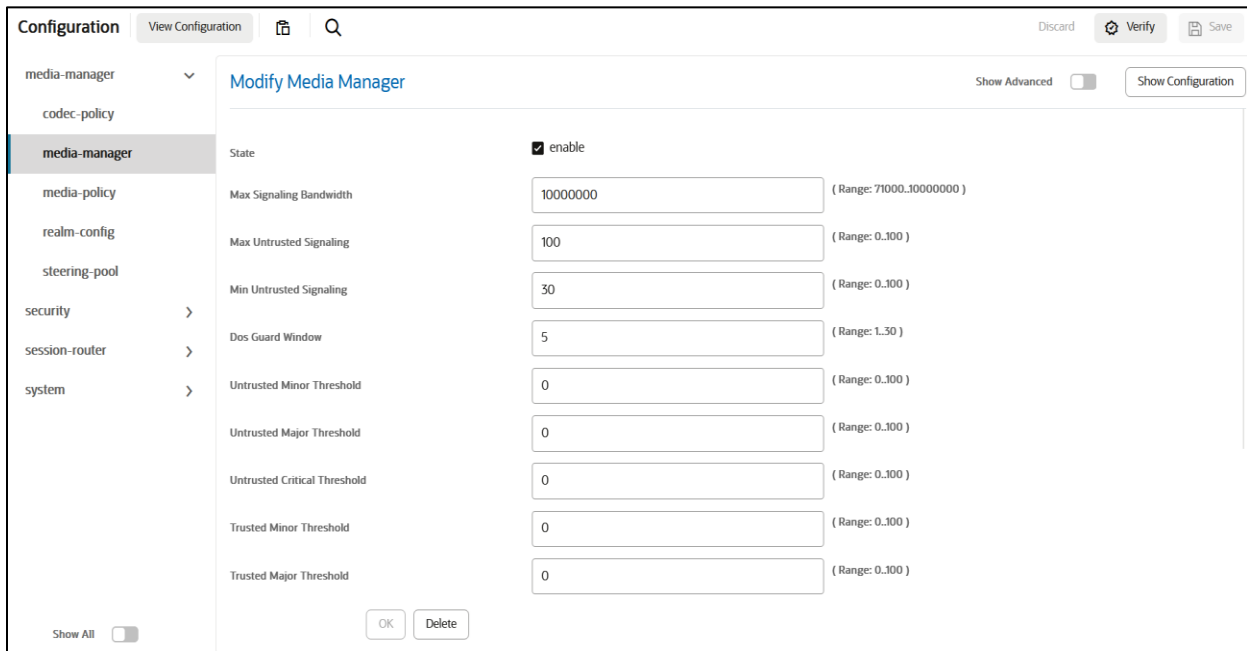
This section will guide you through the configuration of media manager, realms, and steering pools, all of which are required for the SBC to handle signaling and media flows through the SBC.

### 7.7.1 Media Manager

To configure media functionality on the SBC, you must first enable the global media manager

GUI Path: media-manager/media-manager

ACL Path: config t→media-manager→media-manager-config



- Click OK at the bottom.

## 7.7.2 Realm Config

Realms are a logical distinction representing routes (or groups of routes) reachable by the Oracle® Session Border Controller and what kinds of resources and special functions apply to those routes. Realms are used as a basis for determining ingress and egress associations to network interfaces.

GUI Path; media-manger/realm-config

ACL Path: config t→media-manger→realm-config

Click Add and use the following table as a configuration example for the realms. The following parameters are all required unless mentioned as optional below.

Config Parameter	Assertion	PSTN	UC/CC Platform
Identifier	Assertion Defender	SIPTrunk	IPPBX
Network Interface	s1p0	s0p0	s0p1
MM in Realm		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Access Control trust level	High	High	High

Select	Action	Identifier	Description	Addr Prefix	Network Interfaces	Media Realm List	Mm In Realm
<input type="checkbox"/>	:	AssertionDefender		0.0.0.0	s1p0:0.4		enabled
<input type="checkbox"/>	:	IPPBX		0.0.0.0	s0p1:0.4		enabled
<input type="checkbox"/>	:	SIPTrunk		0.0.0.0	s0p0:0.4		enabled

- Select OK at the bottom of each.

## 7.7.3 Steering Pools

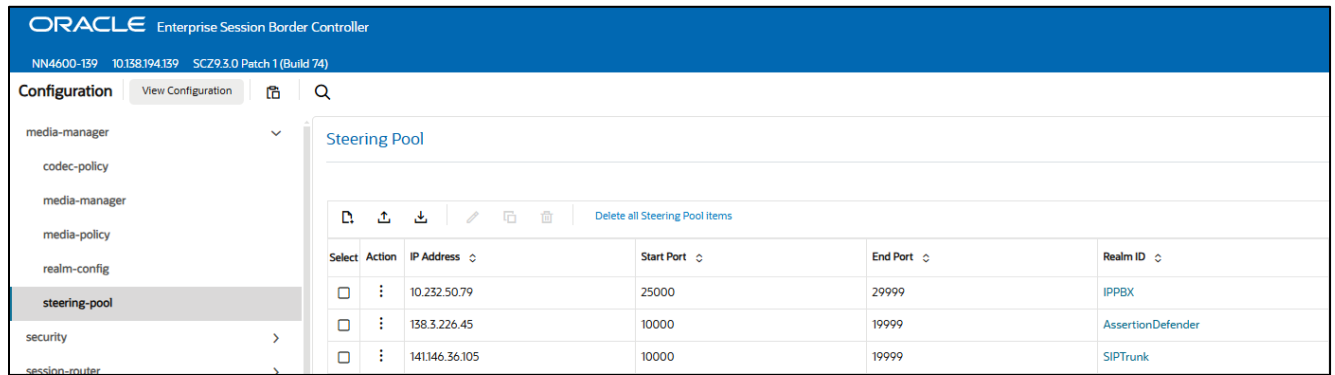
Steering pools define sets of ports that are used for steering media flows through the OCSBC. These selected ports are used to modify the SDP to cause receiving session agents to direct their media toward this system. We configure one steering pool for each configured realm:

GUI Path: media-manger/steering-pool

ACL Path: config t→media-manger→steering-pool

- Click Add and use the below examples to configure.





Select OK at the bottom of each.

We'll now work through configuring what is needed for the SBC to handle SIP Signaling.

## 7.8 Sip Configuration

This section outlines the configuration parameters required for processing, modifying, and securing sip signaling traffic.

### 7.8.1 Sip-Config

To enable sip related objects on the Oracle SBC, you must first configure the global Sip Config element:

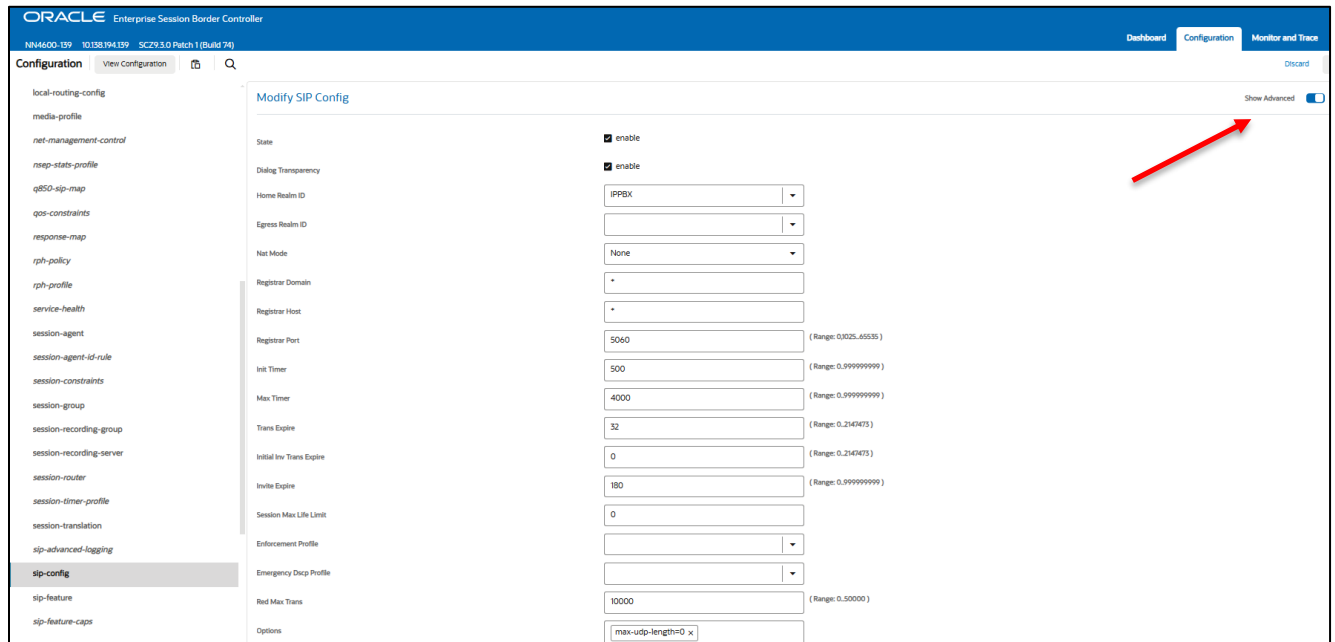
GUI Path: session-router/sip-config

ACLI Path: config t→session-router→sip-config

There are only two recommended and one optional changes/additions to the global Sip Config.

- Set the home realm ID parameter to IPPBX Realm, and add the following hidden option:
- Max-udp-length=0: Setting this option to zero (0) forces sipd to send fragmented UDP packets. Using this option, you override the default value of the maximum UDP datagram size (1500 bytes; sipd requires the use of SIP/TCP at 1300 bytes).
- Enable sag-lookup-on-redirect if using a session agent group for your UC/CC platform

*Note: toggle show advanced to expose the "Option" parameter*



- Select OK at the bottom.

## 7.8.2 Sip-Manipulations

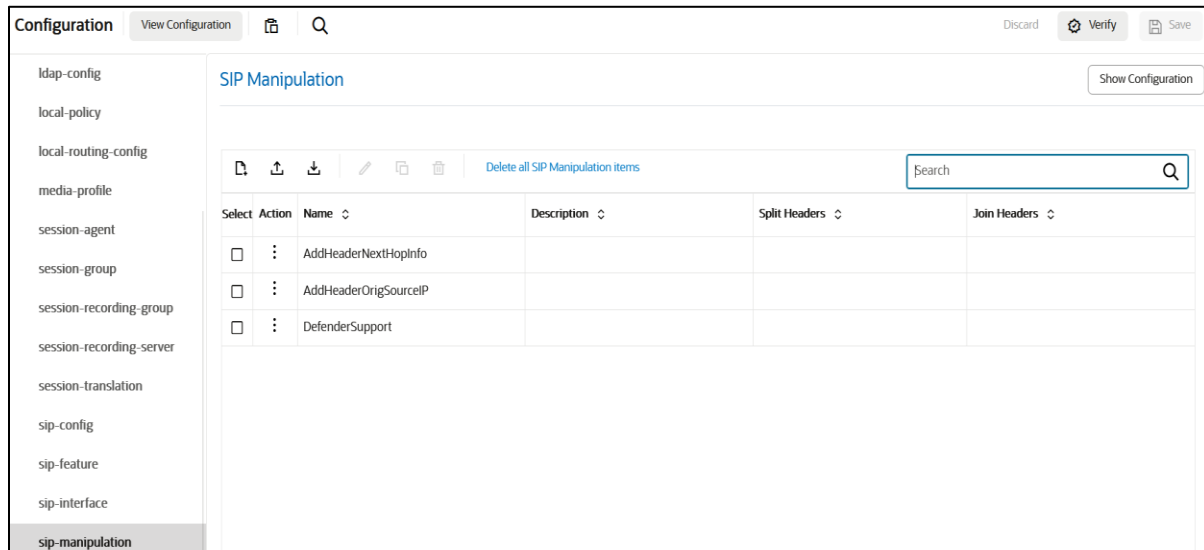
To successfully integrate Assertion Defender with the SBC, three sip manipulations need to be configured:

1. Name: AddHeaderNextHopInfo
  - Adds custom sip header to Invite "Next Hop Info" with the Session Agent IP and port.
2. Name: AddHeaderOrigSourceIP
  - Adds custom sip header to Invite "OrigSourceInfo" with the Remote IP of PSTN service.
3. Name: DefenderSupport
  - Updates the from header display-uri and To user-uri
  - Deletes the maddr parameter from the Request URI header.

Sip Manipulations can be configured through the SBC's management GUI, we are displaying the complete manipulations with output from the ACLI for ease of viewing.

GUI Path: session-router/sip-manipulation

ACLI Path: config t→session-router→sip-manipulation



```

sip-manipulation
  name                AddHeaderNextHopInfo
  description
  split-headers
  join-headers
  header-rule
    name              InboundNextHopInfo
    header-name       NextHopInfo
    action            add
    comparison-type   case-sensitive
    msg-type          request
    methods           INVITE
    match-value
    new-value         "<Session_Agent_IP>:<Port>"
  
```

```

sip-manipulation
  name                AddHeaderOrigSourceIP
  description
  split-headers
  join-headers
  header-rule
    name              AddTrunkIp
    header-name       OrigSourceIP
    action            add
    comparison-type   case-insensitive
    msg-type          request
    methods           INVITE
    match-value
    new-value         $REMOTE_IP
  
```

Note: If using a Session Agent Group for your UC/CC platform, modify the '*new-value*' in the "AddHeaderNextHopInfo" manipulation above to "*<DefenderIP>;maddr=<sag>*"

```

sip-manipulation
  name          DefenderSupport
  description
  split-headers
  join-headers
  header-rule
    name          storedisplay
    header-name   request-uri
    action        store
    comparison-type pattern-rule
    msg-type      request
    methods
    match-value   .*displayupdate.*
    new-value
    element-rule
      name          storedisplayfromuri
      parameter-name displayupdate
      type          uri-param
      action        store
      match-val-type any
      comparison-type case-sensitive
      match-value
      new-value
    element-rule
      name          deletefromruri
      parameter-name displayupdate
      type          uri-param
      action        delete-element
      match-val-type any
      comparison-type case-sensitive
      match-value
      new-value
  header-rule
    name          updatefromdisplay
    header-name   From
    action        manipulate
    comparison-type boolean
    msg-type      any
    methods
    match-value   ${storedisplay}.${storedisplayfromuri}
    new-value
    element-rule
      name          updatedisplay
      parameter-name
      type          uri-display
      action        replace
      match-val-type any
      comparison-type case-sensitive
      match-value
      new-value   ${storedisplay}.${storedisplayfromuri}.$0
  header-rule
    name          storetoupdate
    header-name   request-uri
    action        store
    comparison-type pattern-rule
    msg-type      request

```

methods	
match-value	. *toupdate.*
new-value	
element-rule	
name	storetoupdatefromuri
parameter-name	toupdate
type	uri-param
action	store
match-val-type	any
comparison-type	case-sensitive
match-value	
new-value	
element-rule	
name	deletetoupdatefromruri
parameter-name	toupdate
type	uri-param
action	delete-element
match-val-type	any
comparison-type	case-sensitive
match-value	
new-value	
header-rule	
name	updatetouser
header-name	To
action	manipulate
comparison-type	boolean
msg-type	request
methods	
match-value	\$storetoupdate.\$storetoupdatefromuri
new-value	
element-rule	
name	updateuser
parameter-name	
type	uri-user
action	replace
match-val-type	any
comparison-type	case-sensitive
match-value	
new-value	\$storetoupdate.\$storetoupdatefromuri.\$0
header-rule	
name	RemoveSourceIP
header-name	OrigSourceIP
action	delete
comparison-type	case-sensitive
msg-type	any
methods	
match-value	
new-value	
header-rule	
name	deletemaddr
header-name	request-uri
action	store
comparison-type	pattern-rule
msg-type	request
methods	
match-value	. *maddr.*

new-value	
element-rule	
name	deletemaddr
parameter-name	maddr
type	uri-param
action	delete-element
match-val-type	any
comparison-type	case-sensitive
match-value	
new-value	

### 7.8.3 Sip Interface

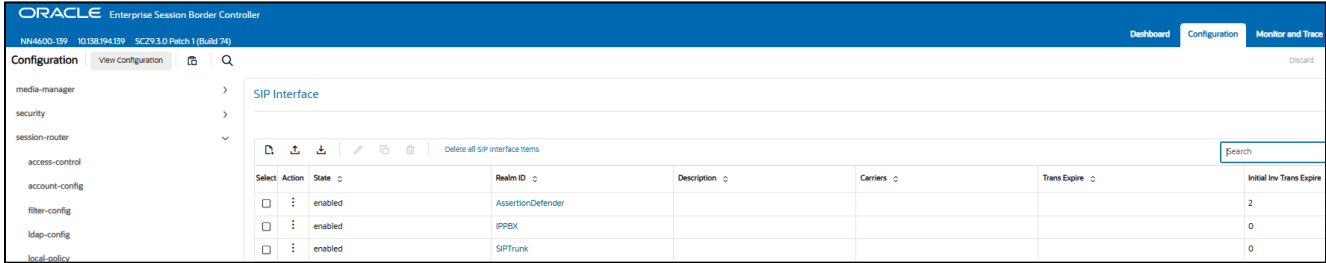
The SIP interface defines the transport addresses (IP address and port) upon which the Oracle SBC receives and sends SIP messages. Configure three sip interfaces, one associated with PSTN Realm, one associated with Assertion SecureVoice and a third for the UC/CC platform.

GUI Path: session-router/sip-interface

ACL Path: config t→session-router→sip-interface

Click Add, and use the table below as an example to configure:

Config Parameter	Assertion Defender	SIPTrunk	IPPBX
Realm ID	AssertionDefender	SIPTrunk	IPPBX
in-manipulationid		AddHeaderOrigSourceIP	
out-manipulationid			DefenderSupport
initial-inv-trans-expire	2		
Sip Port Config Parameter	Assertion Defender	SIPTrunk	IPPBX
Address	138.3.226.45	141.146.36.105	10.232.50.79
Port	5060	5060	5060
Transport	TCP	UDP	TCP
Allow Anonymous	agents-only	agents-only	agents-only



Notice this is where we assign two of the three sip manipulations configured under the [Sip Manipulation](#) section of this guide.

- Select OK at the bottom of each when applicable

### 7.8.4 Session Agents

Session Agents are configuration elements which are trusted agents that can both send and receive traffic from the Oracle SBC with direct access to the trusted data path.

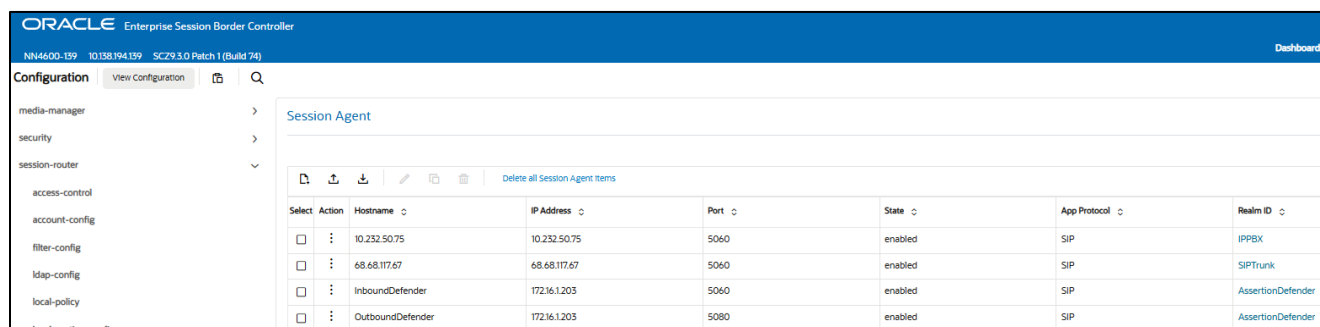
GUI Path: session-router/session-agent

ACL Path: config t→session-router→session-agent

In this configuration example, we'll configure four session agents on the SBC. Two for Assertion SecureVoice, One for Sip Trunk and one for the UC/CC platform:

- Click Add, and use the table below to configure:

Config Parameter	Assertion Inbound	Assertion Outbound	SIPTrunk	IP-PBX
Hostname	InboundDefender	OutboundDefender	68.68.117.67	10.232.50.75
IP Address	172.16.1.203	172.16.1.203	68.68.117.67	10.232.50.75
Port	5060	5080	5060	5060
Transport Method	StaticTCP	StaticTCP	UDP	StaticTCP
Realm ID	AssertionDefender	AssertionDefender	SIPTrunk	IPPBX
Redirect Action	Recurse			
Ping Method	OPTIONS		OPTIONS	OPTIONS
Ping Interval	120		30	30
Out ManipulationID	AddHeaderNextHopInfo			



*Note: redirect action is only required if using a SAG to connect to your UC/CC platform*

- Select OK at the bottom.

## 7.9 Routing Configuration

Now that most of the system, signaling, and media configuration is in place, we can configure the SBC to route calls from one end of the network to the other. The SBC has multiple routing features that can be utilized, but for the purposes of this example configuration, we'll configure local policies to route calls to and from Assertion SecureVoice platform, the Sip trunk and UC/CC system.

### 7.9.1 Local Policy

GUI Path: session-router/local-policy

ACL Path: config t→session-router→local-policy

Configure two local policies to route calls from PSTN to Assertion and from IP-PBX to Assertion. Each local policy will have two possible routes. We leverage the SBC's least cost routing to prioritize each next hop.



Note: The second policy attribute routes calls to sip-trunk or UC/CC platform if there is no response from Assertion Defender for more than 2 secs (which we configured previously in the [sip-interface](#) config).

1. Route Calls from SIPTrunk to Assertion SecureVoice Inbound, with a second route to the UC/CC platform:

The screenshot shows the Oracle Enterprise Session Border Controller configuration interface. The left sidebar lists various configuration categories, with 'local-policy' selected. The main area is titled 'Modify Local Policy Entries' and contains several input fields: 'From Address', 'To Address', 'Source Realm' (set to 'SIPTrunk'), and 'Policy Priority' (set to 'none'). Below these fields is a table of 'Policy Attributes'.

Select	Action	Next Hop	Realm	Action	Terminate Recursion	Cost
<input type="checkbox"/>	:	InboundDefender	AssertionDefender	replace-uri	disabled	0
<input type="checkbox"/>	:	10.232.50.75	IPPBX	replace-uri	disabled	5

2. Route calls from the UC/CC platform to Outbound Defender with a second route to SipTrunk.

The screenshot shows the Oracle Enterprise Session Border Controller configuration interface. The left sidebar lists various configuration categories, with 'session-group' selected. The main area is titled 'Modify Local Policy Entries' and contains several input fields: 'From Address', 'To Address', 'Source Realm' (set to 'IPPBX'), and 'Policy Priority' (set to 'none'). Below these fields is a table of 'Policy Attributes'.

Select	Action	Next Hop	Realm	Action	Terminate Recursion	Cost
<input type="checkbox"/>	:	OutboundDefender	AssertionDefender	none	disabled	0
<input type="checkbox"/>	:	68.68.117.67	SIPTrunk	none	disabled	5

- Click OK at the bottom of each when applicable.

## 7.10 Access Controls

The Oracle Session Border Controller (SBC) family of products are designed to increase security when deploying Voice over IP (VoIP) or Unified Communications (UC) solutions. Properly configured, Oracle's SBC family helps protect IT assets, safeguard confidential information, and mitigate risks—all while ensuring the high service levels which users expect from the corporate phone system and the public telephone network.

Please note, DDOS values are specific to platform and environment. For more detailed information please refer to the Oracle Communications SBC Security Guide.

<https://docs.oracle.com/en/industries/communications/session-border-controller/9.3.0/security/index.html>

However. While some values are environment specific, there are some basic security parameters that can be implemented on the SBC that will help secure your setup.

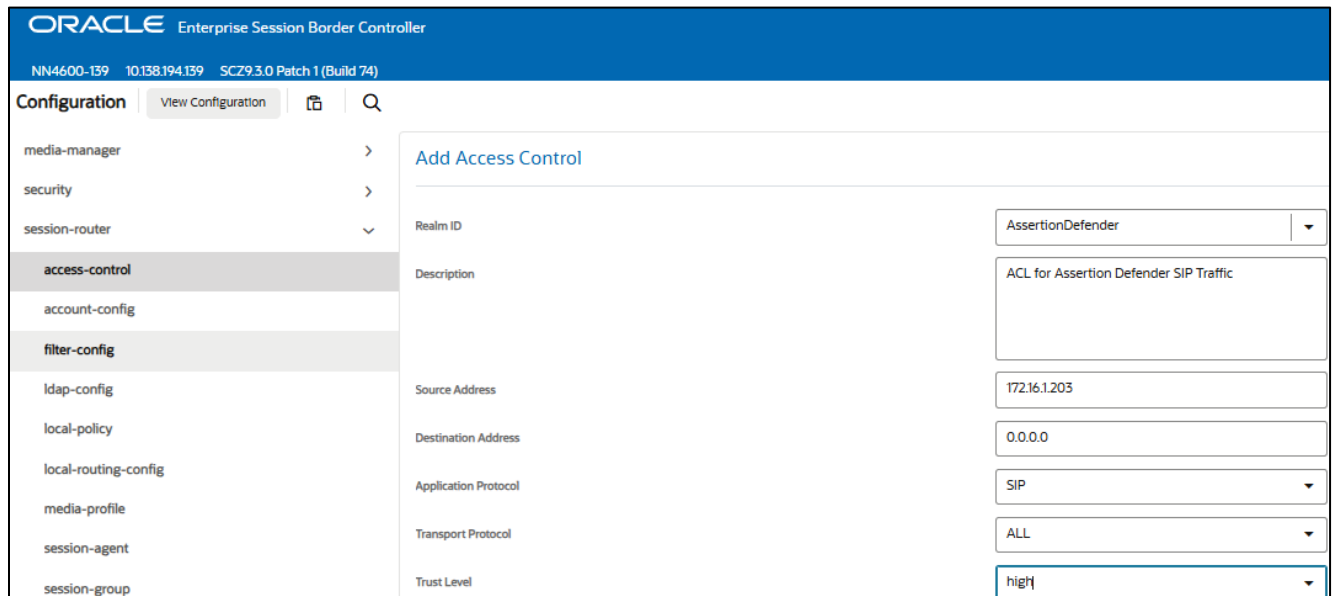
1. On all public facing interfaces, create Access-Controls to only allow sip traffic from trusted IP's with a trust level of high
2. Set the access control trust level on public facing [realms](#) to HIGH

In this configuration example, Assertion SecureVoice has one IP address that must be allowed to send traffic to the SBC, 172.16.1.203. This must be configured as an access control on the Oracle SBC and associated with the realm facing Assertion.

GUI Path: session-router/access-control

ACL Path: config t→session-router→access-control

Click Add and use this example to create ACL's for all of your public facing interface, ie...SIPTrunk, etc..



The screenshot shows the Oracle Enterprise Session Border Controller configuration interface. The top navigation bar includes the Oracle logo and the text 'Enterprise Session Border Controller'. Below this, system information is displayed: 'NN4600-139 10.138.194.139 SCZ9.3.0 Patch 1 (Build 74)'. The main configuration area is titled 'Configuration' and features a sidebar with various configuration categories: media-manager, security, session-router, access-control (highlighted), account-config, filter-config, ldap-config, local-policy, local-routing-config, media-profile, session-agent, and session-group. The 'Add Access Control' form is open, showing the following fields: Realm ID (AssertionDefender), Description (ACL for Assertion Defender SIP Traffic), Source Address (172.16.1.203), Destination Address (0.0.0.0), Application Protocol (SIP), Transport Protocol (ALL), and Trust Level (high).

- Click OK at the bottom.

Now we'll move on to configuring the SBC for Radius Accounting and CDR push to the Assertion Scanner.

## 7.11 Accounting Configuration

Assertion SecureVoice uses two on-prem components; Assertion Scanner to collect the CDR from Oracle SBC and Assertion Defender to provide real-time session enforcement.

In this section, we'll configure the SBC's account config and account servers to push CDR from the Oracle SBC to the Assertion Scanner.

GUI Path: session-router/account-config

ACL Path: config t→session-router→account-config

- Click add, and use the following example to configure the account config:

The screenshot shows the 'Modify Account Config' interface. The left sidebar lists configuration categories, with 'account-config' selected. The main area contains the following fields:

- Strategy: Hunt
- Protocol: RADIUS
- State:  enable
- DNS Realm: [Empty]
- Generate Start: Invite
- Generate Interim: Unsuccessful-Attempt x, Egress-Invite x, Reinvite x, Redirect x
- Generate Event: [Empty]
- File Output:  enable
- File Path: /usr/scr/

Buttons for 'OK' and 'Delete' are at the bottom.

The screenshot shows the 'Modify Account Config' interface with advanced options. The left sidebar is the same. The main area contains the following fields:

- Prevent Duplicate Attrs:  enable
- Vsa Id Range: 3, 4, 41, 42, 57-64, 69, 71, 74-77, 134
- Cdr Output Inclusive:  enable
- Diam Attr Id Range: [Empty]
- Msg Queue Size: 5000 (Range: 5000..150000)
- Diam Send Throttle: 20 (Range: 2..20)
- Diam Svc Ctx Rel: [Empty]
- Diam Svc Ctx Mnc Mcc: [Empty]
- Diam Svc Ctx Ext: [Empty]
- Diam Acme Attr Id Range: [Empty]

Buttons for 'OK' and 'Delete' are at the bottom.

### 7.11.1 Account Server Configuration

For the CDR Collection using RADIUS, we need to enable and configure an account server, which is a subset of the account-config outlined above.

GUI Path: session-router/account-config/account servers

ACLI Path: config t→session-router→account-config→account-servers

The following need to be configured for the SBC to properly communicate with the Radius Server:

- Hostname: Enter the hostname/IP address of the Radius server
- Secret: Type the secret to use with Radius server
- Click Add, and use the following example to configure your account server:

The screenshot shows the 'Add Account config / account servers' configuration page in the Oracle Enterprise Session Border Controller GUI. The 'session-router' menu is expanded, and the 'account-config' sub-menu is selected. The configuration fields are as follows:

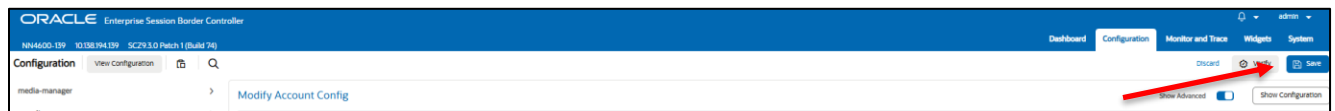
Field	Value	Range
Hostname	10.12.1.8	
Fqdn Pool Type	primary	
Min Round Trip	250	( Range: 10..5000 )
Max Inactivity	60	( Range: 1..300 )
Restart Delay	30	( Range: 1..300 )
Bundle Vsa	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> enable	
Secret	testing123	
NAS ID		
Domain Name Suffix		

Buttons at the bottom: OK, Back.

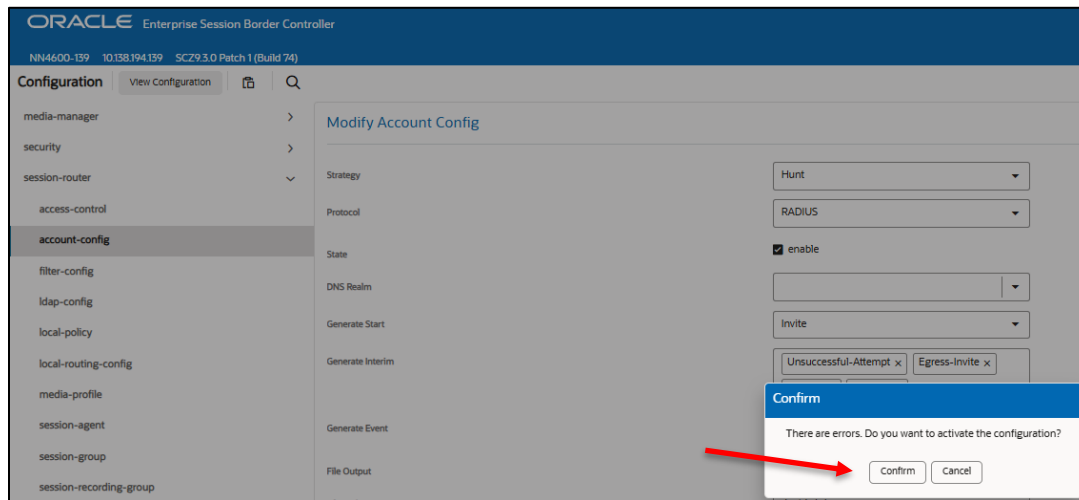
- Click OK at the bottom when complete.

## 7.12 Save and Activate

### 7.12.1 Save Config



## 7.12.2 Activate Config



This concludes the minimum required configuration to successfully integrate Assertion SecureVoice platform with your Oracle Session Border Controller.

## 8 Existing SBC configuration

If your environment has an Oracle SBC deployed with a fully functional configuration, the following configuration elements are required to integrate Assertion SecureVoice into your existing config.

- [New realm-config](#)
- [New sip-interface](#)
- [New session-agent](#)
- [New steering-pools](#)
- [New local-policy](#)
- [New sip-manipulation](#)
- [New account-config](#)

## 9 Appendix A

### 9.1 CDR vsa-id Mapping

CSV Position	VSA Attribute	VSA Vendor	VSA ID	Accounting Status	Required
1	Accounting Status	40	##	START	Yes
2	NAS IP Address	4			Yes
3	NAS Port	5			Yes
4	Accounting Session ID	44			Yes
5	Ingress Session ID	ACME	3		Yes
6	Egress Session ID	ACME	4		Yes
7	Calling Station ID	31			Yes
8	Called Station ID	30			Yes
9	Cisco Setup Time	CISCO	25		Yes
10	Cisco Connect Time	CISCO	28		Yes
11	Flow Identifier	ACME	1		Yes
12	Flow Type	ACME	2		Yes
13	Flow Input Realm	ACME	10		Yes
14	Flow Input Src Addr	ACME	11		Yes
15	Flow Input Src Port	ACME	12		Yes
16	Flow Input Dest Address	ACME	13		Yes
17	Flow Input Dest Port	ACME	14		Yes
18	Flow Output Realm	ACME	20		Yes
19	Flow Output Src Address	ACME	21		Yes
20	Flow Output Src Port	ACME	22		Yes
21	Flow Output Dest Addr	ACME	23		Yes
22	Flow Output Dest Port	ACME	24		Yes
23	Firmware Version	ACME	56		Yes
24	Local timezone	ACME	57		Yes
25	Post Dial Delay (msec)	ACME	58		Yes
26	Primary routing Number	ACME	64		Yes
27	Originating Trunk Group	ACME	65		Yes
28	Terminating Trunk Group	ACME	66		Yes
29	Originating Trunk Context	ACME	67		Yes
30	Terminating Trunk Context	ACME	68		Yes
31	P Asserted ID	ACME	69		Yes
32	Ingress Local Address	ACME	74		Yes
33	Ingress Remote Address	ACME	75		Yes
34	Egress Local Address	ACME	76		Yes
35	Egress Remote Address	ACME	77		Yes
36	SIP DIVERSION	ACME	70		Yes

37	Calling-Media-Stop-Time	ACME	231		Yes	
38	Called-Media-Stop-Time	ACME	232		Yes	
39	Calling-Media-Stop-Time	ACME	233		Yes	
40	Called-Media-Stop-Time	ACME	234		Yes	
41	CDR Sequence Number	ACME	59		Yes	
1	Accounting Status		40	##	STOP	Yes
2	NAS IP Address		4			Yes
3	NAS Port		5			Yes
4	Accounting Session ID		44			Yes
5	Ingress Session ID	ACME		3		Yes
6	Egress Session ID	ACME		4		Yes
7	Calling Station ID		31			Yes
8	Called Station ID		30			Yes
9	Accounting Termination Cause		49			Yes
10	Accounting Session Time		46			Yes
11	Cisco Setup Time	CISCO		25		Yes
12	Cisco Connect Time	CISCO		28		Yes
13	Cisco Disconnect Time	CISCO		29		Yes
14	Cisco Disconnect Cause	CISCO		30		Yes
15	Flow Identifier	ACME		1		Yes
16	Flow Type	ACME		2		Yes
17	Flow Input Realm	ACME		10		Yes
18	Flow Input Src Addr	ACME		11		Yes
19	Flow Input Src Port	ACME		12		Yes
20	Flow Input Dest Address	ACME		13		Yes
21	Flow Input Dest Port	ACME		14		Yes
22	Flow Output Realm	ACME		20		Yes
23	Flow Output Src Address	ACME		21		Yes
24	Flow Output Src Port	ACME		22		Yes
25	Flow Output Dest Addr	ACME		23		Yes
26	Flow Output Dest Port	ACME		24		Yes
27	Calling MOS	ACME		152		Yes
28	Called MOS	ACME		154		Yes
29	Firmware Version	ACME		56		Yes
30	Local timezone	ACME		57		Yes
31	Post Dial Delay (msec)	ACME		58		Yes
32	Primary routing Number	ACME		64		Yes
33	Originating Trunk Group	ACME		65		Yes
34	Terminating Trunk Group	ACME		66		Yes



35	Originating Trunk Context	ACME	67	Yes
36	Terminating Trunk Context	ACME	68	Yes
37	P Asserted ID	ACME	69	Yes
38	Ingress Local Address	ACME	74	Yes
39	Ingress Remote Address	ACME	75	Yes
40	Egress Local Address	ACME	76	Yes
41	Egress Remote Address	ACME	77	Yes
42	SIP DIVERSION	ACME	70	Yes
43	Session Disposition	ACME	60	Yes
44	Disconnect Initiator	ACME	61	Yes
45	Disconnect Cause	ACME	62	Yes
46	Sip Status Code	ACME	71	Yes
47	Calling-Media-Stop-Time	ACME	231	Yes
48	Called-Media-Stop-Time	ACME	232	Yes
49	Calling-Media-Stop-Time	ACME	233	Yes
50	Called-Media-Stop-Time	ACME	234	Yes
51	CDR Sequence Number	ACME	59	Yes

## 10 Appendix B

### 10.1 SBC ALCI Running Config

```

access-control
  realm-id          AssertionDefender
  description       ACL for Assertion Defender SIP Traffic
  source-address    172.16.1.203
  application-protocol SIP
  trust-level       high
account-config
  generate-start    Invite
  generate-interim  Unsuccessful-Attempt
                   Egress-Invite
                   Reinvite
                   Redirect
  account-servers
    hostname        10.12.1.8
    secret          testing123
  vsa-id-range     3, 4,41,42,57-64,69,71,74-77,134
filter-config
  name             all
  user             *
http-server
  name             webServerInstance
  http-interface-list GUI
local-policy
  from-address     *
  to-address       *
  source-realm     IPPBX
  policy-attribute
    next-hop       InboundDefender
    realm          AssertionDefender
  policy-attribute

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                next-hop                68.68.117.67
                realm                    SIPTrunk
                cost                      5
local-policy
  from-address      *
  to-address        *
  source-realm      SIPTrunk
  policy-attribute
    next-hop        InboundDefender
    realm           AssertionDefender
    action          replace-uri
  policy-attribute
    next-hop        10.232.50.75
    realm           IPPBX
    action          replace-uri
    cost            5
media-manager
network-interface
  name              s0p0
  ip-address        141.146.36.105
  netmask           255.255.255.192
  gateway           141.146.36.65
  dns-ip-primary    8.8.8.8
  dns-ip-backup1    8.8.4.4
  dns-domain
network-interface
  name              s0p1
  ip-address        10.232.50.79
  netmask           255.255.255.0
  gateway           10.232.50.1
network-interface
  name              s1p0
  ip-address        138.3.226.45
  netmask           255.255.255.224
  gateway           138.3.226.33
ntp-config
  server            198.55.111.50
                  206.108.0.131
phy-interface
  name              s0p0
  operation-type    Media
phy-interface
  name              s0p1
  operation-type    Media
  port              1
phy-interface
  name              s1p0
  operation-type    Media
  port              3
realm-config
  identifier        AssertionDefender
  network-interfaces s1p0:0.4
  mm-in-realm       enabled
  qos-enable        enabled
  media-sec-policy  RTP
  access-control-trust-level high
realm-config
  identifier        IPPBX
  network-interfaces s0p1:0.4
  mm-in-realm       enabled
  media-sec-policy  RTP
  access-control-trust-level high
realm-config
  identifier        SIPTrunk

```

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network-interfaces          s0p0:0.4
mm-in-realm                 enabled
qos-enable                  enabled
media-sec-policy           RTP
access-control-trust-level high
session-agent
hostname                    10.232.50.75
ip-address                  10.232.50.75
realm-id                    IPPBX
ping-method                 OPTIONS
ping-interval               30
out-manipulationid         DefenderSupport
session-agent
hostname                    68.68.117.67
ip-address                  68.68.117.67
realm-id                    SIPTrunk
ping-method                 OPTIONS
ping-interval               30
ping-response               enabled
in-manipulationid         AddHeaderOrigSourceIP
session-agent
hostname                    InboundDefender
ip-address                  172.16.1.203
transport-method           StaticTCP
realm-id                    AssertionDefender
ping-method                 OPTIONS
ping-interval               30
ping-response               enabled
out-manipulationid         AddHeaderNextHopInfo
session-agent
hostname                    OutboundDefender
ip-address                  172.16.1.203
port                        5080
transport-method           StaticTCP
realm-id                    AssertionDefender
ping-method                 OPTIONS
ping-interval               30
ping-response               enabled
sip-config
home-realm-id              IPPBX
registrar-domain           *
registrar-host             *
registrar-port             5060
options
inmanip-before-validate
max-udp-length=0
sip-interface
realm-id                    AssertionDefender
sip-port
address                     138.3.226.45
transport-protocol          TCP
allow-anonymous             agents-only
initial-inv-trans-expire    2
sip-interface
realm-id                    IPPBX
sip-port
address                     10.232.50.79
allow-anonymous             agents-only
sip-port
address                     10.232.50.79
transport-protocol          TCP
allow-anonymous             agents-only

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sip-interface
  realm-id                               SIPTrunk
  sip-port
    address                               141.146.36.105
    allow-anonymous                       agents-only
  sip-port
    address                               141.146.36.105
    transport-protocol                   TCP
    allow-anonymous                       agents-only
sip-manipulation
  name                                    AddHeaderNextHopInfo
  header-rule
    name                                  InboundNextHopInfo
    header-name                           NextHopInfo
    action                                 add
    msg-type                               request
    methods                                INVITE
    new-value                              "<Session_Agent_IP>:<Port>"
sip-manipulation
  name                                    AddHeaderOrigSourceIP
  header-rule
    name                                  AddTrunkIp
    header-name                           OrigSourceIP
    action                                 add
    comparison-type                       case-insensitive
    msg-type                               request
    methods                                INVITE
    new-value                              $REMOTE_IP
sip-manipulation
  name                                    DefenderSupport
  header-rule
    name                                  storedisplay
    header-name                           request-uri
    action                                 store
    comparison-type                       pattern-rule
    msg-type                               request
    match-value                           .*displayupdate.*
    element-rule
      name                                  storedisplayfromuri
      parameter-name                       displayupdate
      type                                  uri-param
      action                                 store
    element-rule
      name                                  deletefromruri
      parameter-name                       displayupdate
      type                                  uri-param
      action                                 delete-element
  header-rule
    name                                  updatefromdisplay
    header-name                           From
    action                                 manipulate
    comparison-type                       boolean
    match-value                           $storedisplay.$storedisplayfromuri
    element-rule
      name                                  updatedisplay
      type                                  uri-display
      action                                 replace
      new-value                             $storedisplay.$storedisplayfromuri.$0
  header-rule
    name                                  storetoupdate
    header-name                           request-uri
    action                                 store
    comparison-type                       pattern-rule
    msg-type                               request

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        match-value                .*toupdate.*
        element-rule
            name                    storetoupdatefromuri
            parameter-name          touupdate
            type                    uri-param
            action                  store
        element-rule
            name                    deletetoupdatefromruri
            parameter-name          touupdate
            type                    uri-param
            action                  delete-element
    header-rule
        name                       updatetouser
        header-name                To
        action                     manipulate
        comparison-type            boolean
        msg-type                   request
        match-value                $storetoupdate.$storetoupdatefromuri
        element-rule
            name                    updateuser
            type                    uri-user
            action                  replace
            new-value               $storetoupdate.$storetoupdatefromuri.$0
    header-rule
        name                       RemoveSourceIP
        header-name                OrigSourceIP
        action                     delete
    header-rule
        name                       deletemaddr
        header-name                request-uri
        action                     store
        comparison-type            pattern-rule
        msg-type                   request
        match-value                .*maddr.*
        element-rule
            name                    deletemaddr
            parameter-name          maddr
            type                    uri-param
            action                  delete-element
sip-monitoring
    match-any-filter              enabled
    monitoring-filters            *
steering-pool
    ip-address                    10.232.50.79
    start-port                    25000
    end-port                      29999
    realm-id                      IPPBX
steering-pool
    ip-address                    138.3.226.45
    start-port                    10000
    end-port                      19999
    realm-id                      AssertionDefender
steering-pool
    ip-address                    141.146.36.105
    start-port                    10000
    end-port                      19999
    realm-id                      SIPTrunk
system-config
    system-log-level              NOTICE
    default-gateway               0.0.0.0
    source-routing                disabled
    snmp-agent-mode               v1v2

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