



SRE 4.1

Alarming Guide

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1 Introduction

The Alarm Guide describes the available alarms in version 4.1 of SRE, along with their description, monitored operations, SNMP configuration and MIBS description.

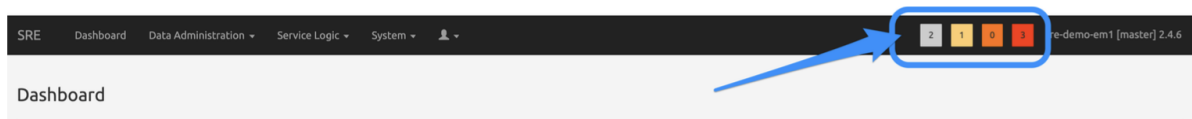
2 Alarming Dashboard

Alarms are presented to SRE administrators in two places: notifications in the main SRE banner and the *Alarms* page accessible through *System > Alarms*.

The SRE raises alarms when thresholds are reached for the operations listed in this document. As soon as the situation is back to normal, the system automatically clears the corresponding alarm (see *Clearance* below). Manual clearance is possible, but **it does not fix the situation that has caused the alarm**: if a node or a SIP Agent is down or if a process is stopped, **manually clearing the alarm will not** restore connections or restart processes.

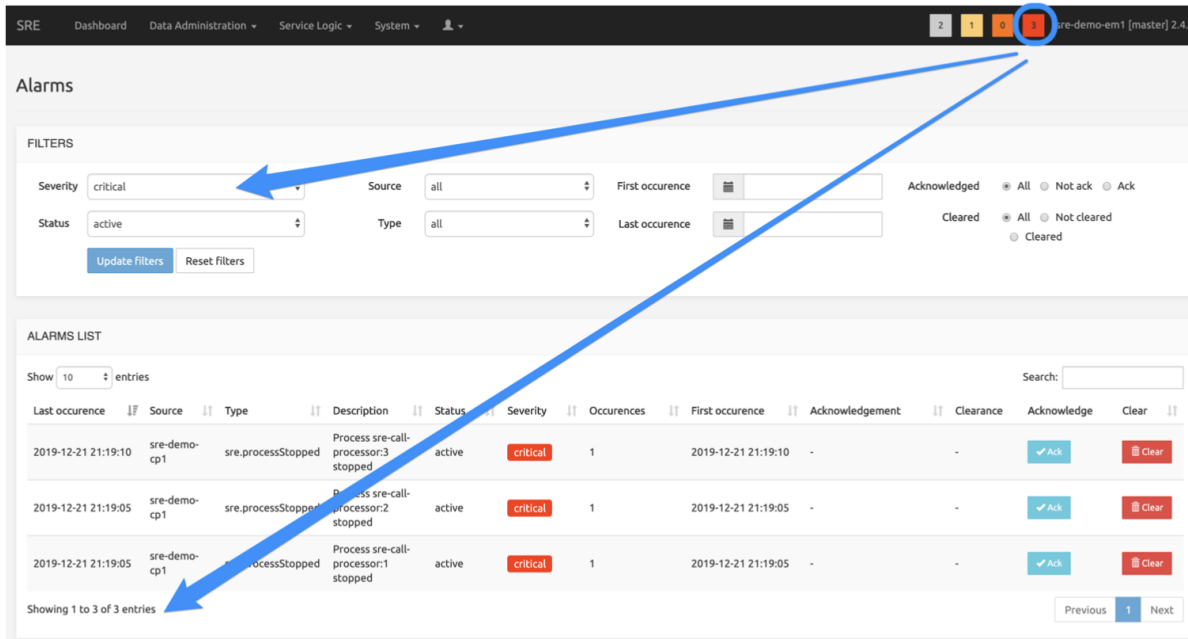
3 Alarm notification

Alarm notifications appear in the four squares on the right in the main SRE banner, one square for each severity from info to critical.



Only **active** alarms are counted in the number displayed. Clicking on any square opens the *Alarms* page with the appropriate filters: alarm status is « Active », alarm severity is any of the four severities depending on the square clicked.

The picture below shows the *Alarms* page when the « critical » square (3) has been clicked. The 3 active critical alarms are listed on this page.



4 Alarms page

From the *System* menu entry in the main menu bar, selecting *Alarms* displays the *Alarms* page with default filters, retrieving all alarms recorded in the DB.

The **FILTERS** section allows specifying the following criteria:

- **Severity:** all levels or any level from info to critical
- **Status:** all statuses or a status active, user-cleared, system-cleared
- **Source:** all nodes or any of the EM nodes and CP nodes present in the system
- **Type:** all alarm types or any of the types. Only the types actually present in DB for the Severity filter already selected are listed, i.e. alarm types for which no alarm has been raised do not show in the list – querying the DB on non-existing alarms is useless.
- **First and last occurrence:** starting and ending dates for the desired time window to query.
- **Acknowledged:** all alarms (acknowledgement ignored), or only the acknowledged ones, or only the not acknowledged ones
- **Cleared:** all alarms (clearance ignored), or only the cleared ones, or only the not cleared ones.

Note

Cleared alarms will be automatically deleted after a period of one year.

When all filters have been set as desired, click the *Update filters* button to refresh the list of alarms. Note that clicking *Reset filters* clears up all filters and queries the DB using default filters (all alarms, of all severities, statuses, sources and types).

The **ALARM LIST** section returns the alarms matching the criteria selected above. The usual *Search* field and navigation controls are available.

The **Description** field provides details about the situation that has raised an alarm.

The **Occurrences** field marks recurrent alarms. An alarm is considered recurrent (and the number of occurrences is incremented) when a threshold is again reached for an alarm already existing in DB, for the same source with the same type and severity, in the active state (not system- or user-cleared) and the new alarm occurs after the delay set in Settings / Alarms / Alarms recurrence window (default: 60 secs).

Should the new alarm occur within the 60 secs recurrence time window, it would just be ignored (to avoid a useless increase of alarm-related data). After the 60 secs delay, a new alarm (for the same source with the same type and severity) would be created only if the state of the existing alarm(s) is not active.

The two columns **Last occurrence** and **First occurrence** show the time and date of the last and first occurrences of the alarm. If the number of occurrences is 1, they are identical. If it is > 1, the comparison of the two values gives an indication of the time elapsed between the first and last occurrence (5 days in the example below, during which the alarm occurred 6 times).

ALARMS LIST

Show 50 entries Search:

Last occurrence	Source	Type	Description	Status	Severity	Occurrences	First occurrence	Acknowledgement	Clearance	Acknowledge	Clear
2020-01-20 15:42:23	sre-demo-em2	sre.dbReplicationLagMinor	DB replication lag reached the minor threshold (10,1668450832 secs)	active	minor	6	2020-01-15 13:07:25	-	-	<input checked="" type="button" value="Ack"/>	<input type="button" value="Clear"/>
2020-01-22 19:51:01	sre-demo-cp2	sre.cpuMinor	CPU usage (71.2 %) reached the minor threshold	active	minor	1	2020-01-22 19:51:01	-	-	<input checked="" type="button" value="Ack"/>	<input type="button" value="Clear"/>

5 Managing Alarms

SRE alarms record situations when a threshold is reached. User management of alarms is limited to two actions through the *Ack* and *Clear* buttons on each line of the list:

Acknowledgment: clicking the *Ack* button changes the status from not ack to ack and stores the action’s time, date and user ID. This shows other administrators that one operator has seen this alarm. This action cannot be reverted (no un-ack).

Clearance: the system automatically clears up most alarms as soon as the monitoring measurement shows that the threshold is not reached anymore. The status changes from active to system-cleared and the time and date of the clearance are stored.

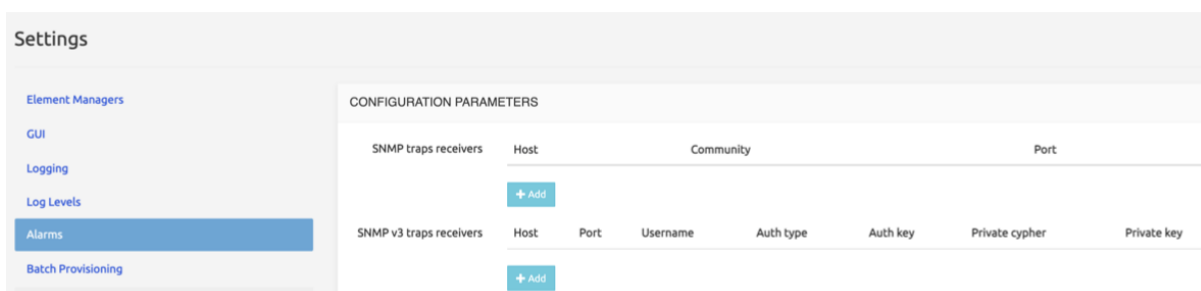
Active alarms can also be cleared manually by clicking the *Clear* button: the status changes from active to user-cleared. The time, date and user ID are stored. This action, be it system- or user-applied, cannot be reverted (no unclear). It is not possible to delete an alarm record from the table.

6 SNMP Configuration

SNMP allows the network administrators of SRE to monitor the system through SNMP traps, that is, to be alerted in case an issue occurs which results in a trap notification being sent to the target OSS system.

SNMP Configuration is done in the GUI page System > Settings. SRE supports SNMP v1/2 and SNMP v3.

The **Alarms** tab allows adding SNMP trap receivers and setting the thresholds for various types of events. **SNMPv3 trap receivers** can be specified on top of standard SNMP ones. “SNMP trap receivers” are used for SNMP v1/v2, while “SNMP v3 traps receivers” are used for SNMP v3.



The common fields for the two types of receivers/targets are:

- Host

- Community (default: public)
- Port (default: 162)

On SNMP v3 traps receivers the Admin also needs to specify:

- Username
- Auth type: MD5, SHA, SHA224, SHA256, SHA384, SHA512
- Auth key
- Private cipher: AES128, AES192, AES256
- Private key

7 Email Configuration

On top of standard SNMP events, it's possible to receive emails in case an issue occurs in SRE.

7.1 SMTP server configuration

SMTP Configuration is done in the GUI page System > Settings. The **SMTP** tab supports the following settings: - SMTP Server: address or hostname of relaying smtp server

- SMTP Port: port of relaying smtp server
- SSL/TLS: enable secure communication
- START-TLS: enable encrypted communication after unencrypted handshake
- Username: used for authentication with SMTP server
- Password: used for authentication with SMTP server
- From name
- From email

CONFIGURATION PARAMETERS

SMTP server

SMTP port
Common ports are 25, 587, 465, 2525

SSL/TLS

STARTTLS

User name

Password

From name

From email

7.2 Recipients configuration

Email Configuration is done in the GUI page System > Settings. The **Alarms** tab allows adding email addresses and setting the threshold based on alarm severity.

Emails	Email address	Minimum severity
	<input type="text"/>	critical <input type="button" value="✖"/>
<input type="button" value="+ Add"/>		

8 Alarm thresholds

For various categories, it is possible to modify the default thresholds in SRE to trigger alarms and SNMP traps. Most thresholds are defined per category and severity (minor, major, critical).

The available categories are those for which the 3 thresholds can be set:

- CPU Usage
- Memory usage
- Disk usage (per partition)
- INVITE processing performance

- REGISTER processing performance
- OPTIONS processing performance
- ENUM NAPTR processing performance
- DB replication lag

Furthermore, the following settings are available:

- Alarms recurrence window (secs): alarms of the same type which fall within the defined time window are grouped together
- Check interval for cdrs (mins): the time window within which it is expected that at least a cdr file is created. The default value of 0 means that this check is skipped
- Kamailio shared memory usage alarm threshold
- Number of days to alert before the certificate expires
- Interval for checking record count increase/decrease (secs): the record count of tables will be checked every period defined by this setting
- Percentage threshold for record count

9 Alarms description

The SRE permanently (every 4 seconds) monitors the conditions for the operations presented in the table below, and raises alarms when corresponding thresholds are reached.

Four severity levels are used:

Info: a simple information message, not linked to any threshold

Minor: raised when the minor threshold is reached. When Minor is detected, it clears Major and Critical alarms of the same type

Major: raised when the major threshold is reached. When Major is detected, it clears a Critical alarm of the same type

Critical: raised when the critical threshold is reached

The following alarms are exceptions namely by the fact that they do not get automatically cleared but require a manual action from the SRE Admin or User:

- mongoDBMemberStateChanged
- licensingPlatformLimitReached

- licensingCallProcessorLimitReached
- licensingEnumProcessorLimitReached
- licensingHttpProcessorLimitReached
- expiredCert
- recordCount
- kamailioLowMemory
- missingCDR
- Service Logic Error
- Service Logic Jump

10 MIBS - Traps

All traps OID have the following OID prefix: *1.3.6.1.4.1.38433.5.3.0*

10.1 System

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
CPU usage	minor	'cpuMinor'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when CPU usage reached the minor threshold (%)	.1.11
CPU usage	major	'cpuMajor'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when CPU usage reached the major threshold (%)	.1.12

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
CPU usage	critical	'cpuCritical'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when CPU usage reached the critical threshold (%)	.1.13
CPU usage	info	'cpuNormal'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when CPU usage is back to normal (< minor)	.1.13
Memory usage	minor	'memoryMinor'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when memory reached the minor threshold (%)	.1.7
Memory usage	major	'memoryMajor'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when memory reached the major threshold (%)	.1.8

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
Memory usage	critical	'memoryCritical'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when memory reached the critical threshold (%)	.1.9
Memory usage	info	'memoryNormal'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when memory is back to normal (< minor)	.1.10
Disks usage	minor	'diskMinor'	{node, description, severity, mount-Point}	Generated when disk usage (on the specific mount point/partition) reached the minor threshold	.1.15

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
Disks usage	major	'diskMajor'	{node, description, severity, mount-Point}	Generated when disk usage (on the specific mount point/partition) reached the major threshold	.1.16
Disks usage	critical	'diskCritical'	{node, description, severity, mount-Point}	Generated when disk usage (on the specific mount point/partition) reached the critical threshold	.1.17
Disks usage	info	'diskNormal'	{node, description, severity, mount-Point}	Generated when disk usage (on the specific mount point/partition) is back to normal (< minor)	.1.18

10.2 Service Logic: SIP messages processing duration (performance)

Monitored					
operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
INVITE Performance	minor	'invitePerformanceMinor'	{node, descrip- tion, severity}	Generated when INVITE perfor- mance reached the minor threshold (msec)	.1.19
INVITE Performance	major	'invitePerformanceMajor'	{node, descrip- tion, severity}	Generated when INVITE perfor- mance reached the major threshold (msec)	.1.20
INVITE Performance	critical	'invitePerformanceCritical'	{node, descrip- tion, severity}	Generated when INVITE perfor- mance reached the critical threshold (msec)	.1.21

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
INVITE Performance	info	'invitePerformanceNormal'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when INVITE performance is back to normal	.1.22
REGISTER Performance	minor	'registerPerformanceMinor'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when REGISTER performance reached the minor threshold (msec)	.1.23
REGISTER Performance	major	'registerPerformanceMajor'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when REGISTER performance reached the major threshold (msec)	.1.24

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
REGISTER Performance	critical	'registerPerformanceCritical'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when REGISTER performance reached the critical threshold (msec)	.1.25
REGISTER Performance	info	'registerPerformanceNormal'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when REGISTER performance is back to normal	.1.26
OPTIONS Performance	minor	'optionsPerformanceMinor'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when OPTIONS performance reached the minor threshold (msec)	.1.27

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
OPTIONS Performance	major	'optionsPerformanceMajor'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when OPTIONS performance reached the major threshold (msec)	.1.28
OPTIONS Performance	critical	'optionsPerformanceCritical'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when OPTIONS performance reached the critical threshold (msec)	.1.29
OPTIONS Performance	info	'optionsPerformanceNormal'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when OPTIONS performance is back to normal	.1.30

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
ENUM NAPTR Performance	minor	'naptrPerformanceMinor'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when NAPTR performance reached the minor threshold (msec)	.1.71
ENUM NAPTR Performance	major	'naptrPerformanceMajor'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when NAPTR performance reached the major threshold (msec)	.1.72
ENUM NAPTR Performance	critical	'naptrPerformanceCritical'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when NAPTR performance reached the critical threshold (msec)	.1.73

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
ENUM NAPTR Performance	info	'naptrPerformanceNormal'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when NAPTR performance is back to normal	.1.74

10.3 Service Logic: Error during node execution (no SNMP trap)

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
Service Logic Error	info	N/A (no trap)	N/A	Error in executing the service logic	N/A
Service Logic Jump	info	N/A (no trap)	N/A	Jump to next node failed	N/A

10.4 Node status

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
node is unavailable	critical	'nodeUnavailable'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when node is unavailable	.1.65
node is available	info	'nodeAvailable'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when node is available	.1.66

10.5 Supervisor: process responsible for automatic launch and relaunch of processes

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
process is stopped	critical	'processStopped'	{node, description, severity, process-Name}	Generated when a process has stopped	.1.1
process restarted less than 5 seconds ago	info	'processStarting'	{node, description, severity, process-Name, processPID}	Generated when a process is starting	.1.2
process start	info	'processStarted'	{node, description, severity, process-Name, processPID}	Generated when a process is started	.1.3

10.6 Pacemaker: daemon for clustering of call processors

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
pacemaker node is down	critical	'pacemakerNodeDown'	{node, description, severity, pacemakerHost}	Generated when pacemaker node is down	.1.54

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
pacemaker node is up	info	'pacemakerNodeUp'	{node, description, severity, pacemakerHost}	Generated when pacemaker node is up	.1.55
pacemaker node is locked	info	'pacemakerNodeLocked'	{node, description, severity, pacemakerHost}	Generated when pacemaker node is locked	.1.56
pacemaker quorum is lost	critical	'pacemakerQuorumLost'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when pacemaker quorum is lost	.1.57
pacemaker quorum reached	info	'pacemakerQuorumReached'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when pacemaker quorum is reached	.1.58
pacemaker resource is down	critical	'pacemakerResourceDown'	{node, description, severity, pacemakerResource}	Generated when pacemaker resource is down	.1.59
pacemaker resource is up	info	'pacemakerResourceUp'	{node, description, severity, pacemakerResource}	Generated when pacemaker resource is up	.1.60

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
pacemaker resource is locked	info	'pacemakerResourceLocked'	{node, description, severity, pacemakerResource}	Generated when pacemaker resource is locked	.1.61

10.7 CDR Collector availability

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
cdr collector is unreachable	major	'cdrCollectorDown'	{node, description, severity, collectorHost}	Generated when CDR is down	.1.50
cdr collector is reachable	major	'cdrCollectorUp'	{node, description, severity, collectorHost}	Generated when CDR is up	.1.51

10.8 SIP Agents

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
agentDown	info	'sipAgentDown'	{node, description, severity, agentName, agentAddress, agentPort, agentTransport}	Generated when a SIP agent is unreachable	.1.4
agentTrying	info	'sipAgentTrying'	{node, description, severity, agentName, agentAddress, agentPort, agentTransport}	Generated when a SIP agent status is still unknown	.1.5
agentUp	info	'sipAgentUp'	{node, description, severity, agentName, agentAddress, agentPort, agentTransport}	Generated when a SIP agent is reachable	.1.6

10.9 Postgres DB Replication

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
disconnected	critical	'replicationNodeDBDisconnected'	{node, description, severity, standbyNode}	Generated when a node DB disconnected from replication	.1.31
connected	info	'replicationNodeDBConnected'	{node, description, severity, standbyNode}	Generated when a node DB connected for replication	.1.32
Lag (between write on master and write on slave)	minor	'replicationLagMinor'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when replication lag reached the minor threshold (sec.)	.1.33
Lag (between write on master and write on slave)	major	'replicationLagMajor'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when replication lag reached the major threshold (sec.)	.1.34

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
Lag (between write on master and write on slave)	critical	'replicationLagCritical'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when replication lag reached the critical threshold (sec.)	.1.35
Lag (between write on master and write on slave)	critical	'replicationLagNormal'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when replication lag is back to normal (< minor)	.1.36

10.10 MongoDB

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
MongoDB down	critical	'localMongoDBDown'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when connection to MongoDB on localhost fails	.1.38

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
MongoDB up	info	'localMongoDBUp'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when connection to MongoDB on localhost is successful	.1.37
No primary	critical	'mongoDBNoPrimary'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when no primary is active in the MongoDB replicaset	.1.39
Primary is present	info	'mongoDBPrimary'	{node, description, severity, mongoDB-Member}	Generated when a primary is active in the MongoDB replicaset	.1.40
Node state change	major	'mongoDBMemberStateChanged'	{node, description, severity, mongoDB-Member}	Generated when the state of a MongoDB replicaset member changes	.1.41

10.11 InfluxDb

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
InfluxDb instance is down	minor	'influxDBUnavailable'	{node, description, severity, influxdb-Host-name}	Generated when influxdb is unavailable	.1.62
InfluxDb instance is up	info	'influxDBAvailable'	{node, description, severity, influxdb-Host-name}	Generated when influxdb is available	.1.63

10.12 Licensing

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
System-wide SIP License Limit Reached	major	'licensingPlatformLimitReached'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when the limit of system-wide CAPS (SIP interface) is reached as an average in at least a burst window (10 sec.)	.1.42

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
SIP Call Processor Limit	major	'licensingCallProcessorLimitReached'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when calls count reached the call processor hard limit during the last burst window	.1.43
HTTP Processor Limit	major	'licensingHttpProcessorLimitReached'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when request count reached the HTTP processor hard limit during the last burst window	.1.45
ENUM Processor Limit	major	'licensingEnumProcessorLimitReached'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when ENUM request count reached the ENUM processor hard limit during the last burst window	.1.46

10.13 Custom Alarms

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
customAlarm	configurable by node	'customAlarm'	{node, description, severity, customAlarmType, customAlarmDescription}	Custom alarm generated by service logic node	.1.44
customAlarmClear	info	'customAlarmClear'	{node, description, severity, customAlarmType}	Custom alarm cleared by service logic node. For an alarm to be cleared, the customAlarmType of the clearing must match that of the customAlarm	.1.47

10.14 CDR

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
Missing CDR	critical	'missingCDR'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when no CDR is produced during an interval specified in <i>System Settings</i>	.1.48

10.15 Kamailio

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
Kamailio Low Memory	major	'kamailioLowMemory'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when kamailio memory usage reaches the threshold	.1.49

10.16 Certificate

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
Certificate expiration	major	'expiredCert'	{node, description, severity, certificate}	Generated when a certificate is about to expire	.1.52

10.17 DB changes

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
DB record count	major	'recordCount'	{node, description, severity, data-model, table, oldCount, new-Count}	Generated when record count increases or decreases above threshold	.1.53

10.18 DB Cluster

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
repmgr daemon is down	major	'repmgrUnavailable'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when repmgr is unavailable	.1.67

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP		Description	Trap OID suffix
		messages	Objects		
repmgr daemon is up	info	'repmgrAvailable'	{node, description, severity}	Generated when repmgr is available	.1.68
database switchover	critical	'dbSwitchover'	{node, description, severity, newMaster}	Generated when database switchover happens	.1.69

10.19 Remote registrations

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP		Description	Trap OID suffix
		messages	Objects		
remote registration failed	major	'registrationFailed'	{node, description, severity, registrationId}	Generated when remote registration fails	.1.75
remote registration ok	info	'registrationOk'	{node, description, severity, registrationId}	Generated when remote registration is successful	.1.76

10.20 Media

Monitored operation	Severity	SNMP messages	Objects	Description	Trap OID suffix
media server restarted	major	'mediaServerRestarted	{node, description, severity, contact}	Generated when media server has restarted	.1.87
media server started	info	'mediaServerStarted	{node, description, severity, contact}	Generated when media server has started	.1.78
Media Processor Limit	major	'licensingMediaProcessorLimitReached	{node, description, severity}	Generated when media calls count reached the media processor licensing limit during the last burst window	.1.89
Media Platform Limit	major	'licensingMediaPlatformLimitReached	{node, description, severity}	Generated when media calls count reached the global platform licensing limit	.1.90

11 MIBS - Objects

Object Name	Syntax	OID .1.3.6.1.4.1.38433.5 +
node	DisplayString	.2.1
description	DisplayString	.2.2
severity	INTEGER { info (0), warning (10), minor (20), major (30), critical (40) }	.2.3
processName	DisplayString	.2.4
processPID	Integer32	.2.5
agentName	DisplayString	.2.6
agentAddress	IpAddress	.2.7
agentPort	Integer32	.2.8
agentTransport	INTEGER { udp (0), tcp (1) }	.2.9
standbyNode	DisplayString	.2.10
mountPoint	DisplayString	.2.11
mongoDBMember	DisplayString	.2.12
customAlarmType	DisplayString	.2.13
customAlarmDescription	DisplayString	.2.14
startInterval	DisplayString	.2.15
endInterval	DisplayString	.2.16
collectorHost	DisplayString	.2.17
certificate	DisplayString	.2.18
datamodel	DisplayString	.2.19
table	DisplayString	.2.20
oldCount	DisplayString	.2.21
newCount	DisplayString	.2.22
pacemakerHost	DisplayString	.2.23
pacemakerResource	DisplayString	.2.24

Object Name	Syntax	OID .1.3.6.1.4.1.38433.5 +
influxdbHostname	DisplayString	.2.25
newMaster	DisplayString	.2.26
registrationId	DisplayString	.2.27
contact	DisplayString	.2.28

12 High-level actions upon alarm generation

The following table lists possible actions to execute, upon receiving one or more application alarms described in this document. It is understood that the described operations will require technical knowledge of the SRE system, as well as further documentation such as the Operations&Monitor document.

Alarm	Description	Troubleshooting action	OaM guide
CPU Usage	The CPU on a virtual machine is on high consumption	Verify with the command “top” what is the process, or list of processes, that are most consuming the CPU resources. If in abnormal consumption, you can restart the process and check it does not end up in the same situation.	Section 3.3 for monitoring the CPU usage. Section 1/2 for restarting the SRE processes/services
Memory Usage	The available memory on a virtual machine is on high consumption	Verify with the commands “top” and “free” what is the memory situation and the process, or list of processes, that are most consuming memory. If in abnormal consumption, you can restart the process and check it does not end up in the same situation.	Section 3.3 for monitoring the memory usage. Section 1/2 for restarting the SRE processes

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Disks Usage	A partition in the file system is occupied over the thresholds	In most cases, /var/log gets filled up due to high traffic and log-levels producing too many log lines for the automatic log rotation. In such a case, you can safely remove the logs which occupy the most, making sure you don't delete the currently open log file (e.g. sre.log) but only those of past days (e.g. sre.log.2023-05-02). For different partitions, you'll need to verify with standard linux commands which directory within the partition is taking more disk space and take action accordingly. Particular attention must be given to database directories (/var/lib/pgsql and /data /sre/location), since they cannot get freed without risks by a manual deletion of files.	Section 3.1 and 3.2

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INVITE Performance	The performance of processing INVITE as an average over the observation period (5 minutes) is beyond the acceptable thresholds	<p>An analysis of the service logic execution must be carried out from debug logs (tracing.summary) in order to understand if this behavior is caused by a subset of calls, if it only happens on a specific CP node, or if it's instead generalized over all calls.</p> <p>Statistics in “stats counter” tab can also be checked. Especially the section displaying the stats performance per SL node in order to pinpoint if a specific node takes a long time. CPU usage can be also checked.</p>	<p>Section 3.2 for monitoring the CPU usage.</p> <p>Section 1/2 for restarting the SRE processes</p>
Process Stopped	A process which was previously started has stopped	<p>In the first place it must be checked whether the process is relevant for the type of node (EM vs CP) and for the specific SRE deployment.</p> <p>If the process should be effectively running, you need to check the SRE logs related to the process to understand the root cause, and restart the process through supervisorctl commands</p>	<p>Section 3.4.1 to know the relevant processes for the type of node.</p> <p>Section 4.2 for checking the logs.</p> <p>Section 1 for process restart</p>
Agent down	A SIP Agent (sip peer of SRE) is replying with a rejection to SIP OPTIONS sent by an SRE CP	<p>An analysis on the target sip peer must be carried out.</p> <p>Use sngrep tool on the SRE to confirm that no answer is received for the SIP OPTIONS.</p>	Section 11 related to sngrep tool

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Agent trying	An SRE CP is not receiving anymore a response to SIP OPTIONS sent to a specific SIP Agent	Verify with the help of sngrep, tcpdump or a monitoring tool that effectively no answers are received at the CP level upon SIP OPTIONS. The possible cause might reside in the underlying network (routing, firewalls, ...)	Section 10 related to sngrep tool
Postgres DB Disconnected	A node (EM master or EM standby / CP) has the local instance of Postgres DB unavailable	Verify the service “postgresql-14” (running / inactive), the Postgres logs, and the disk space on the partitions / and /data. If the problem is disk space the service will not be able to restart, so it must be freed upfront.	Section 3.1 for file system monitoring Section 3.5 for postgres monitoring.
Postgres DB Replication Lag	The replication of the database on a standby node has taken longer than the thresholds	If it only happens a few times and it doesn't occur again, it's a temporary condition due to the underlying network, therefore no action is required. If instead it's a permanent issue that keeps occurring, it must be investigated in terms of round trip delay between the standby node and the master node (ping from the standby to the master), as well as the availability of all Postgres WAL files (/data/sre/wals) on the standby node as in the master	

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MongoDB down	A specific node (e.g. CP) has its local instance of MongoDB stopped, whereas it should be running. This doesn't affect Call Admission Control as long as a PRIMARY is available.	Check the mongo logs (/var/log/mongo) to understand the condition that led to a stop. It is possible that disk space is causing the issue. Try to restart the service mongod and check the startup process through systemctl and journalctl if it doesn't start again. Also, verify on other nodes that mongo is running and that a PRIMARY node is available.	Mongo status: section 3.7.1 Mongo restart: . section 2.4
MongoDB No Primary Node	There is no elected PRIMARY node of MongoDB. This happens when at least half of the Mongo instances are stopped.	Verify MongoDB status on the unavailable nodes. Try to restart the service mongod or check systemctl and journalctl in case it doesn't start again. In order to have a PRIMARY node back, you'll need to restore at least half + 1 mongoDB nodes.	Mongo Replica set status: section 3.7.2 Mongo restart:section 2.4
MongoDB Node State Changed	A node that used to be PRIMARY has changed its state to SECONDARY	Typically there is no urgent action related to this. Check mongoDB logs and verify that the cluster has elected a new PRIMARY.	Mongo status: section 3.7.1
Missing CDR	The accounting master did not produce CDR files in the time frame configured in the Settings	Verify that the process sr e-cdr-collector is running. If so, check that sre-cdr-sender is running on CP nodes. Verify the sre-cdr-sender logs on master EM, then verify that CP nodes are producing events	Process status: section 1 Logs: section 3.2

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CDR collector is down	cdr-sender process on CP could not connect to cdr-collector process running on EM.	Verify that the process sre-cdr-collector is running. If so, check that sre-cdr-sender is running on CP nodes. Verify connectivity between CP and EM on port 10002 with tcpdump.	Process status: section 1 Logs: section 3.2
