

# Expanding oVirt's horizons

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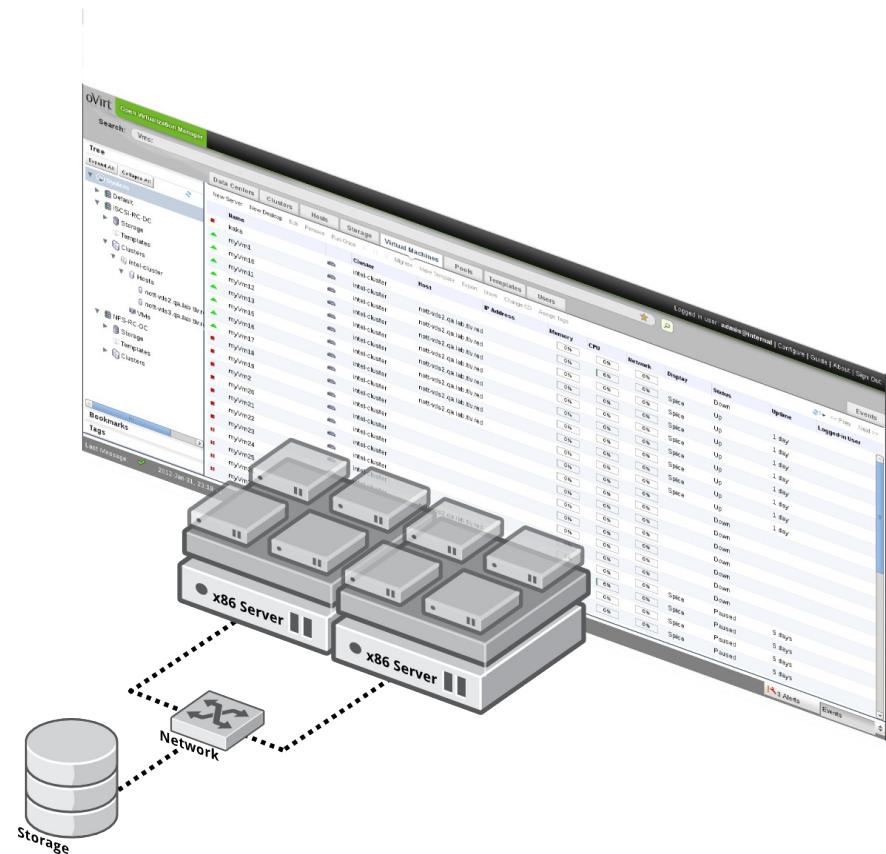
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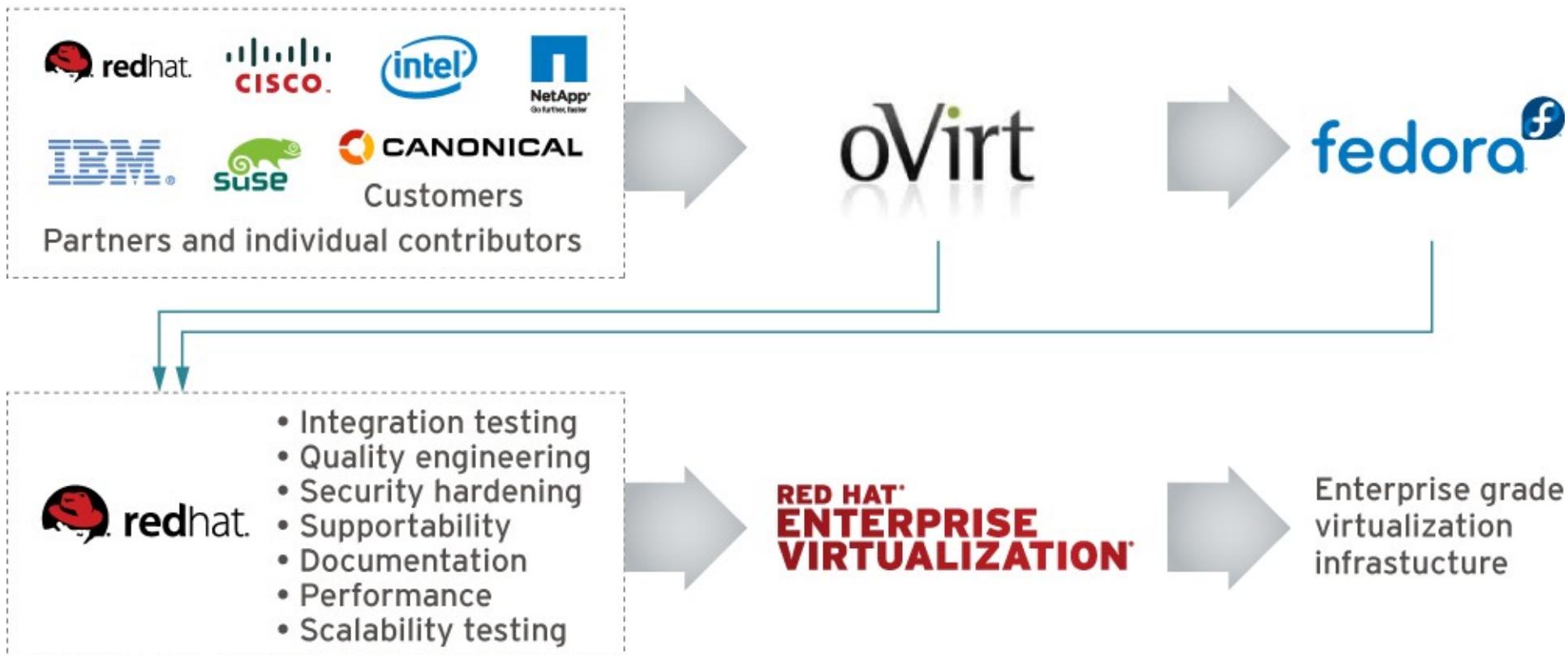
## What is oVirt?

- Large scale, centralized management for server and desktop virtualization
- Based on leading performance, scalability and security infrastructure technologies
- Focus on KVM for best integration/performance
- Provides an open source alternative to vCenter/vSphere



# Who is behind it

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# oVirt – Web admin

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## Part 1 Consuming oVirt

# What can I do via API?



- Access it via REST/SDK/Shell
- Infrastructure configuration
  - Host configuration and management
  - Network and storage configuration
- Virtual machine (VM) configuration and management
  - Networking for the Guest, Virtual disks, VM properties
- User management
- Advanced operations not available in the GUI
- And much more ...

# API methods

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## REST

`https://host:port  
/api/vms`

Returns:

- XML/JSON/...

```
<vm id="aee0dbce-1591-44d4-9052-  
c2209b3e45b8" href="/api/vms/aee0dbce-  
1591-44d4-9052-c2209b3e45b8">  
  <name>Austin</name><actions>  
    <link rel="shutdown"  
      href="/api/vms/aee0dbce-1591-44d4-  
      9052-c2209b3e45b8/shutdown"/>  
    <link rel="start"  
      href="/api/vms/aee0dbce-1591-44d4-  
      9052-c2209b3e45b8/start"/>  
  ....
```

## SDK (Python/Java)

`api.vms.list()`

Returns:

- list of VM objects

## Shell

`list vms`

Returns:

- Formatted text

```
id :  
18df94a7-048f-4306-9cfda74e8ea3b907  
name : Boston  
description : Main  
service for Boston  
cluster-id :  
99408929-82cf-4dc7-a532-  
9d998063fa95  
cpu-topology-cores : 2  
cpu-topology-sockets : 1
```

# API Concepts



- All APIs integrate through the oVirt engine
- All types of APIs are based on the web services interface
  - REST as the core
  - SDK on top of REST
  - Shell implemented on top the Python SDK
- Backward compatibility
- Secure access
  - Session-based access

# **oVirt REST API**

# HTTP methods in REST



- **GET**

Requests a representation of the specified resource. Requests using GET (and a few other HTTP methods) "SHOULD NOT have the significance of taking an action other than retrieval."

- **POST**

Submits data to be processed to the identified resource. The data is included in the body of the request.

- **PUT**

Uploads a representation of the specified resource

- **DELETE**

Deletes the specified resource

# Media types

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- XML

```
<vms>
  <vm id="xxx">
    <name>yyy</name>
  </vm>
</vms>
```

- JavaScript Object Notation (JSON)

```
{
  "vms" : [
    "vm" : {
      "id" : "xxx",
      "name" : "yyy" } ]
}
```

# oVirt-API Example – Collection



- To list all VM resources, use GET

```
GET http(s)://server:port/api/vms
```

- To create a VM resource, use POST

```
POST http(s)://server:port/api/vms  
<vm>...</vm>
```

# oVirt-API Example – Resource



- To retrieve a specific VM resource, use GET

```
GET http(s)://server:port/api/vms/{ID}
```

- To update the VM resource, use PUT

```
PUT http(s)://server:port/api/vms/{ID}  
<vm><name>new_name</name></vm>
```

- To remove the VM resource, use DELETE

```
DELETE http(s)://server:port/api/vms/{ID}
```

# RSDL - RESTful Services Description Language



- `http://server:port/api?rsdl`
- Describes parameter constraints
- Easy way to understand
  - How to create the resource
  - What actions are available on a collection
  - What parameters to pass
    - Mandatory/optional/read-only
    - Type
    - Overloads

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# **oVirt SDK**

- Mainly used for integration or advanced automation
- Object oriented
- Current bindings
  - Java - <http://www.ovirt.org/Java-sdk>
  - Python - <http://www.ovirt.org/Python-sdk>
  - libgovirt (GObject wrapper for the oVirt REST API) - <https://github.com/GNOME/libgovirt>
  - rbovirt – ruby binding for the oVirt REST API - <https://github.com/abenari/rbovirt>

# oVirt SDK - Concepts



- Complete protocol abstraction
- Full compliance with the oVirt API architecture
- Self descriptive, intuitive and easy to use
- Auto-generated
- Auto-completion\*

\* On supported environments

# oVirt SDK – Example: Basics



```
from ovirtsdk.api import API

api = API(url='http://localhost:8080',
           username='user@domain',
           password='password')
```

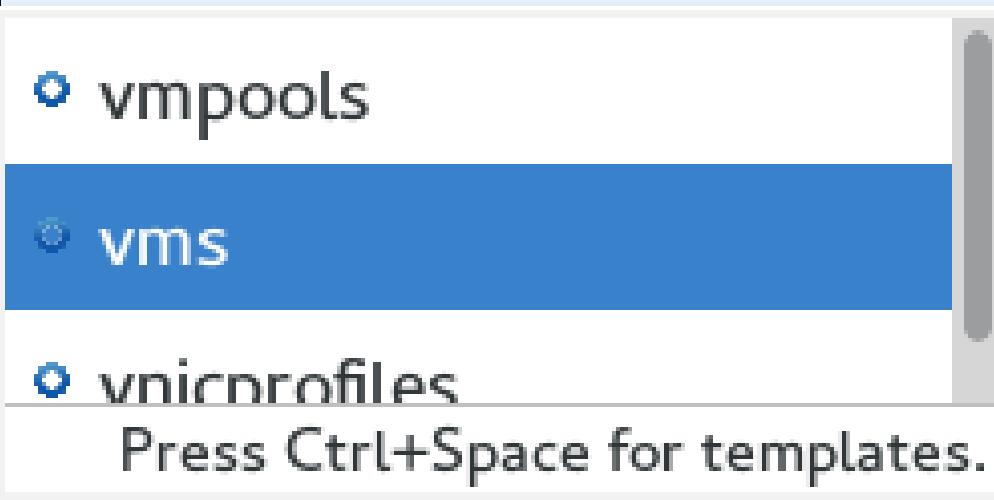
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api.v



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```

```
api.vms.
```

- Ⓜ add(vm, correlation\_id, expect)
- Ⓜ context()
- Ⓜ get(name, id)
- Ⓜ list(query, case\_sensitive, max)

Press Ctrl+Space for templates.

# oVirt SDK – Example: Adding a VM

```
from ovirtsdk.api import API
from ovirtsdk.xml import params

api = API(url='http://localhost:8080',
           username='user@domain',
           password='password')

cluster = api.clusters.get(name='Default')
template = api.templates.get(name='RHEL7_0')
param = params.VM(name='RHEL_VM1',
                   cluster=cluster,
                   template=template,
                   memory=4*1024**3)

vm1 = api.vms.add(param)
```

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## **Part 2**

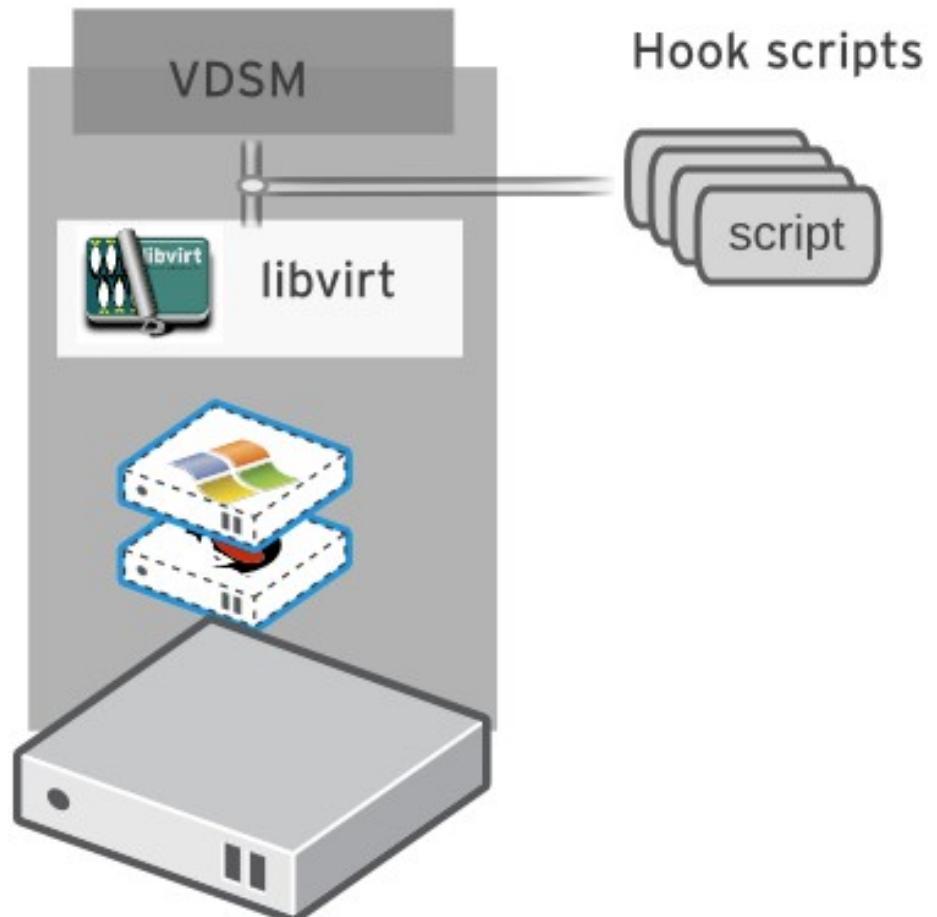
# **Extending oVirt**

# VDSM Hooks

# Hooks

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- VDSM manages a hypervisor
- “Hook” mechanism for customization
  - Allows administrator to define scripts to modify VM/VDSM operation
    - Extend or modify VM configuration
    - Run different system scripts



# Hooks



- Hook scripts are called at specific events
- Hooks can modify a virtual machines XML definition
- Hooks can run system commands – eg. Apply firewall rule to VM
- More info:
  - [http://www.ovirt.org/Vdsm\\_Hooks](http://www.ovirt.org/Vdsm_Hooks)
  - [http://www.ovirt.org/VDSM-Hooks\\_Catalogue](http://www.ovirt.org/VDSM-Hooks_Catalogue)

# Hook Points



- Lifecycle events where you can apply hooks
  - VDSM (management agent) start
  - VDSM stop
  - VM start
  - VM stop
  - VM migration in/out
  - VM Pause
  - VM Continue
  - VM Hibernate
  - VM resume from hibernate
  - VM set ticket
  - NIC hotplug / hotunplug
  - On host networking configuration change

# Hook Example – VM level

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```
import os
import hooking

def removeMacSpoofingFilter(interface):
    for filterElement in interface.getElementsByTagName('filterref'):
        if isMacSpoofingFilter(filterElement):
            interface.removeChild(filterElement)

def isMacSpoofingFilter(filterElement):
    """
    Accept a filter DOM element
    and checks if it's a mac spoofing filter
    """
    filterValue = filterElement.getAttribute('filter')
    return filterValue == 'vdsm-no-mac-spoofing'

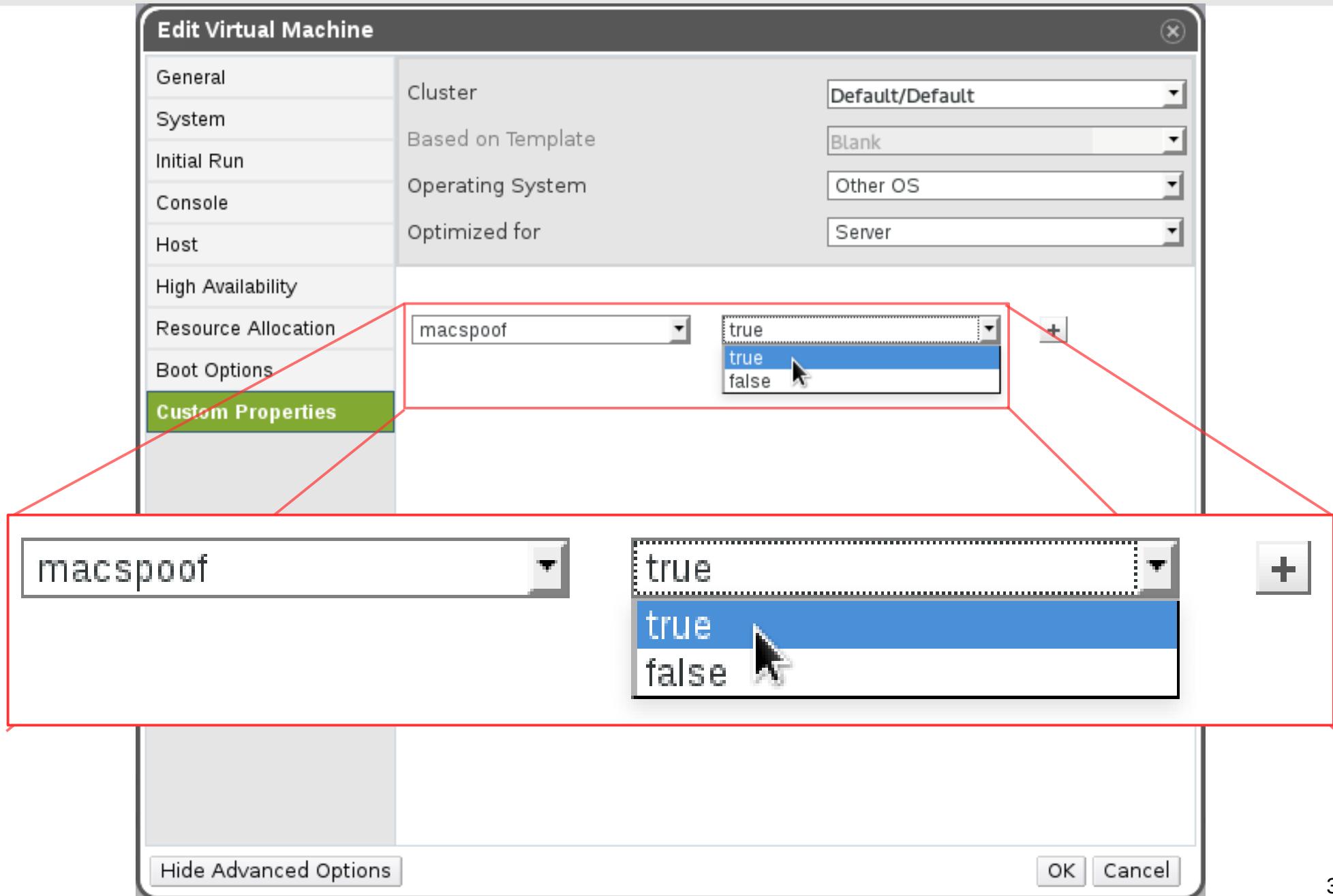
if __name__ == '__main__':
    if hooking.tobool(os.environ.get('macspoof')):
        domxml = hooking.read_domxml()

        for interface in domxml.getElementsByTagName('interface'):
            removeMacSpoofingFilter(interface)

        hooking.write_domxml(domxml)
```

# Hook Example – VM level

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# Hook Example – Device level

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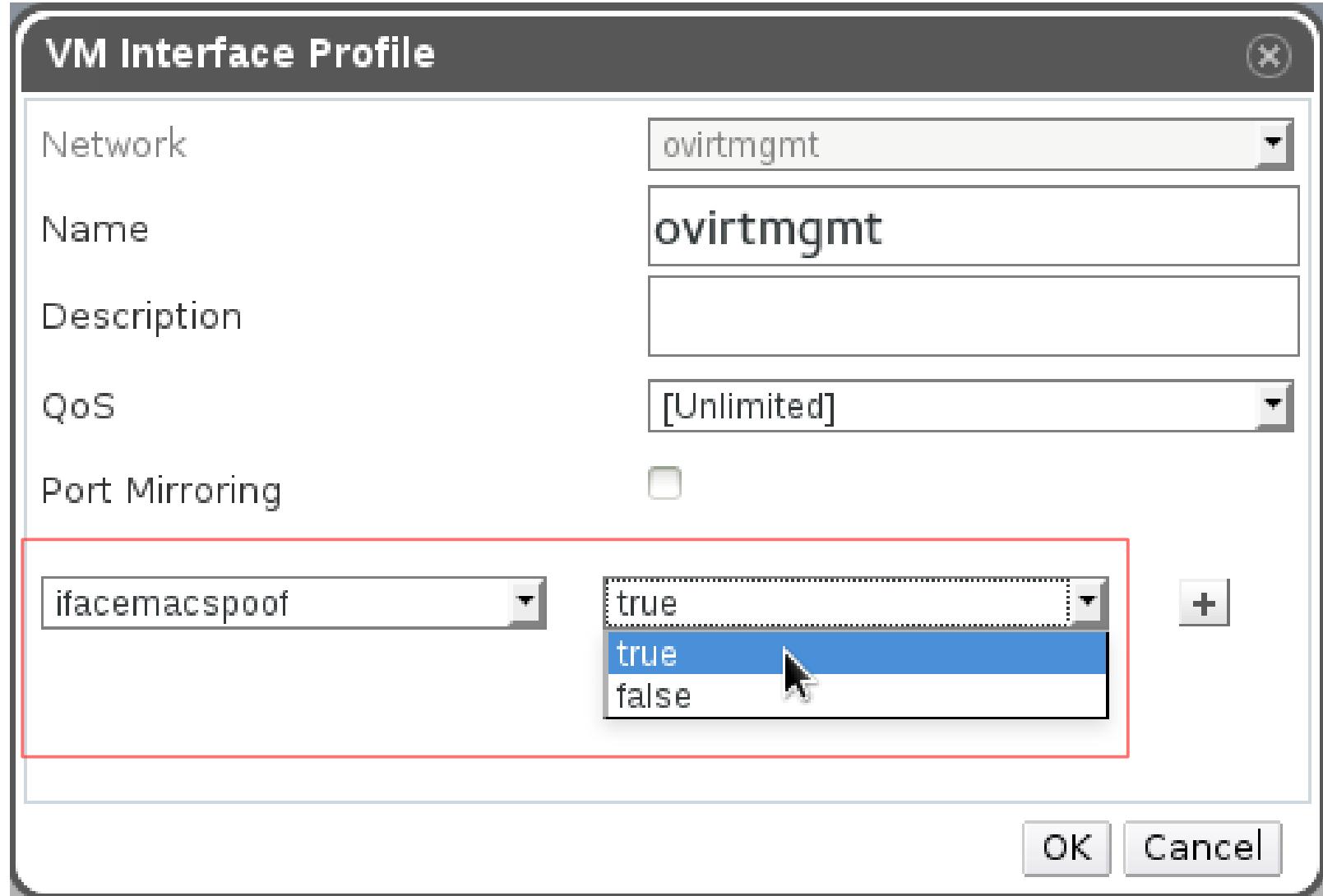
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# Hook Example – Device level

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# Writing a hook



- To write a hook you need:
  - Hook script(s)
  - README
    - What the hook does
    - How to configure the system for the hook
    - How to use the hook
  - Sudoers file\*
  - Makefile to install hook
    - Hooks usually installed in /usr/libexec/vdsm/hooks

\* In case your hook needs sudo

# Scheduling API

# Introduction



- The need - **construct user-defined scheduling policy**

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....

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# Old Scheduling Mechanism

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- Executes the selected distribution algorithm on the Cluster (by CPU only)
  - Evenly Distributed
  - Power Saving
- Scheduling
  - Selects a host to run/migrate VM
- Load balancing
  - Selects a VM to migrate and Host to migrate to
- No way to extend by users

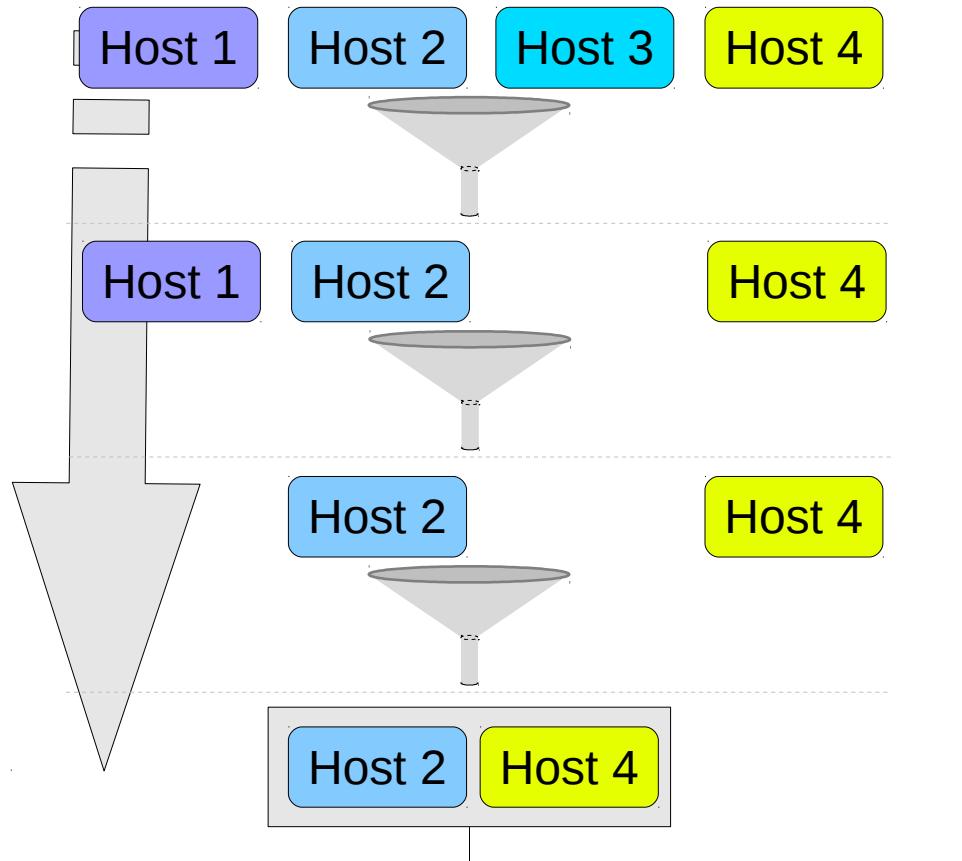
# New Scheduling Mechanism



- Scheduling policy consists of
  - Filter modules
  - Weight modules
  - Load balancing module
- External modules developed in Python
- Existing (legacy) logic translated to modules
- Set the desired policy for a cluster
- More info:
  - <http://goo.gl/senjQA> - Existing policy units catalog
  - [http://www.ovirt.org/External\\_Scheduler\\_Samples](http://www.ovirt.org/External_Scheduler_Samples)

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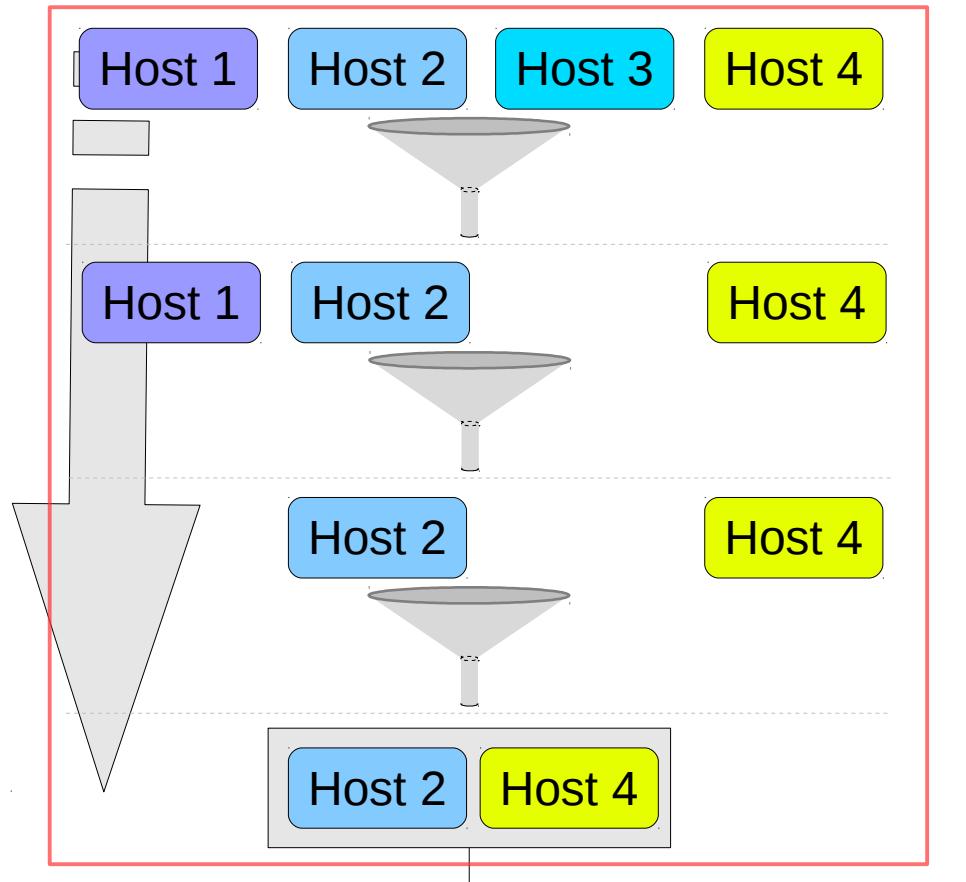


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# Filter Module

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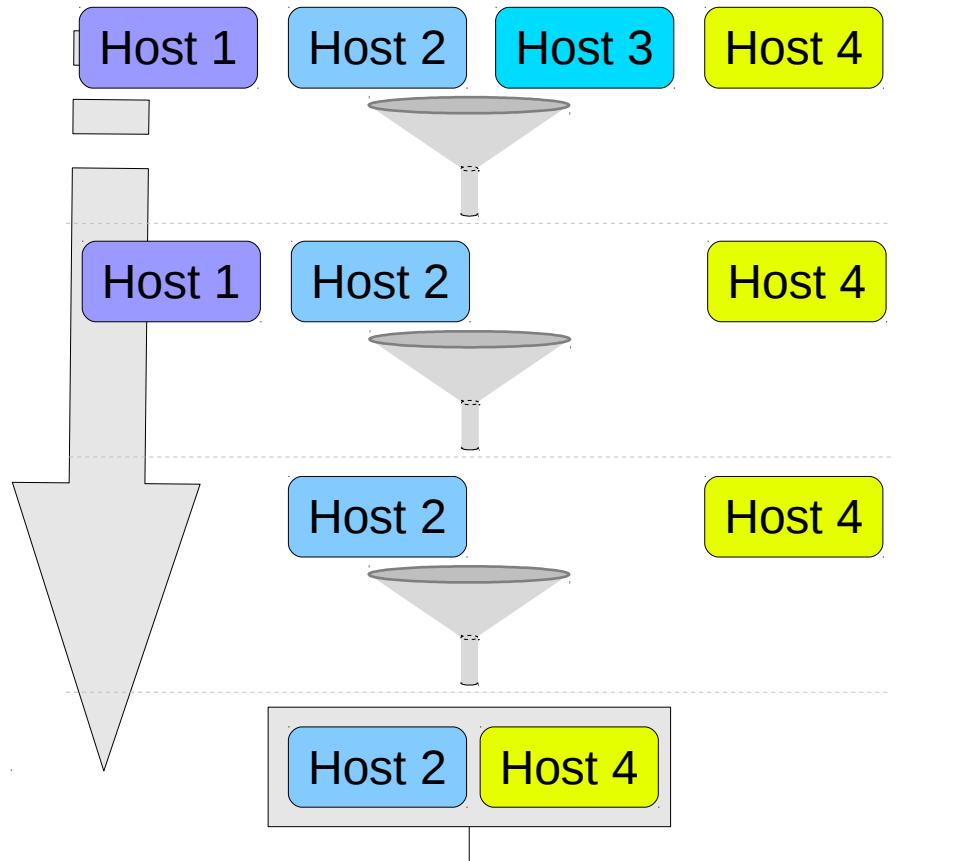


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# Weight Module

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- Logical unit which filters out hosts
  - Clear cut logic
  - Easy to write and maintain
  - Chained up-dependently to allow complete filtering
  - Allows custom parameters
- Existing logic (pin-to-host, memory limitations, etc.) is translated into filters
- External filters written in python can be loaded into engine

# Let's go back to the example



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Filter: filters out hosts with number running of vms > 3

# Filter Example

```
class max_vms():
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    #what are the values this module will accept, used to present
    #the user with options
    properties_validation = 'maximum_vm_count=[0-9]*'

    def do_filter(self, hosts_ids, vm_id, args_map):
        #open a connection to the rest api
        try:
            connection = API(url='http://host:port',
                              username='user@domain', password='')
        except BaseException as ex:
            #letting the external proxy know there was an error
            print >> sys.stderr, ex
        return

        #get our parameters from the map
        maximum_vm_count = int(args_map.get('maximum_vm_count', 100))

        #get all the hosts with the given ids
        engine_hosts = \
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        #iterate over them and decide which to accept
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# External Policy Units



- External process is scanning directory /usr/share/ovirt-scheduler-proxy/plugins for python source files
- Analyze for filter / weight / balance functions
- Cache results
- Expose source files as external policy units

# Cluster Policy Management

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**Configure**

**Roles**

New Edit Copy Remove

**System Permissions**

**Cluster Policies**

- Evenly\_Distributed
- None
- Power\_Saving
- Copy\_of\_None
- max\_vms**

**Attached Clusters**

**Edit Cluster Policy**

Name max\_vms Description

**Filter Modules** Drag or use context menu to make changes

Enabled Filters

- CPU
- Network
- (EXT) max\_vms

Disabled Filters

- (EXT) dummy
- (EXT) example

**Weights Modules** Drag or use context menu to make changes

Enabled Weights & Factors

- 1 + (EXT) even\_vm\_distribution

Disabled Weights

- None
- (EXT) dummy
- PowerSaving
- EvenDistribution

**Load Balancer**

vm\_balance (EXT)

**Properties**

maximum\_vm\_count 3 + -

OK Reset Cancel

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Disabled Filters: (EXT)dummy, (EXT)example

**Weights Modules** Drag or use context menu to make changes

Enabled Weights & Factors: (EXT)even\_vm\_distribution

Disabled Weights: None, (EXT)dummy, PowerSaving, EvenDistribution

maximum\_vm\_count: 3

OK Reset Cancel

The screenshot shows the 'Edit Cluster Policy' dialog in the oVirt interface. The policy is named 'max\_vms'. In the 'Filter Modules' section, there are three enabled filters: 'CPU', 'Network', and '(EXT)max\_vms'. There are two disabled filters: '(EXT)dummy' and '(EXT)example'. In the 'Weights Modules' section, there is one enabled weight/factor: '(EXT)even\_vm\_distribution'. There are four disabled weights: 'None', '(EXT)dummy', 'PowerSaving', and 'EvenDistribution'. At the bottom, there is a setting for 'maximum\_vm\_count' set to '3'. The entire 'Weights Modules' section is highlighted with a red border.

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Enabled Weights & Factors

Disabled Weights

**Load Balancer**

vm\_balance (EXT)

Attached Clusters

**Load Balancer**

vm\_balance (EXT)

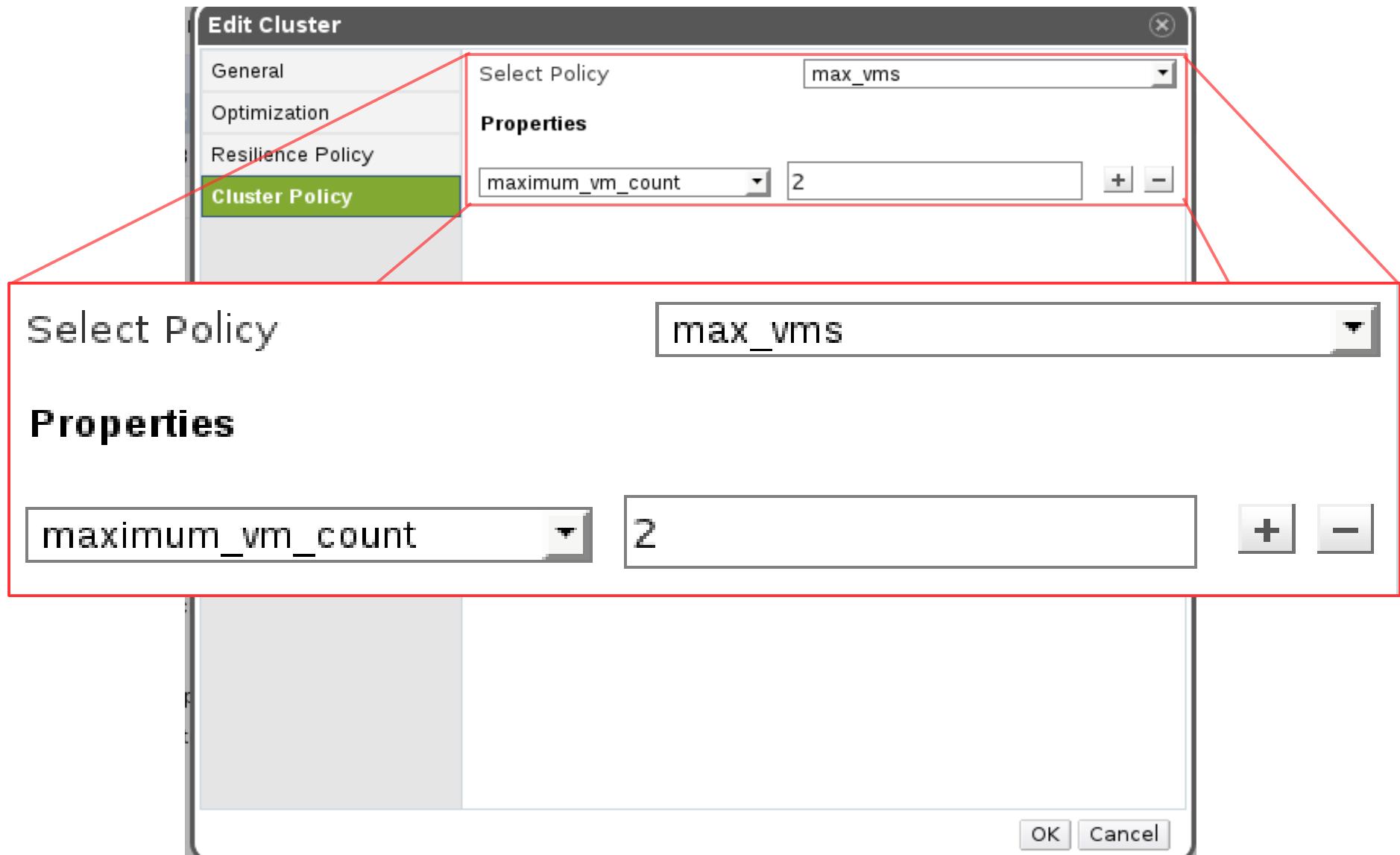
**Properties**

maximum\_vm\_count: 3 + -

OK Reset Cancel

# Apply Cluster Policy

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# UI Plugins

- Extend oVirt Web Admin user interface
- Included in oVirt 3.2 release
- <http://www.ovirt.org/Features/UIPlugins>
- [http://www.ovirt.org/Tutorial/UIPlugins/Crash Course](http://www.ovirt.org/Tutorial/UIPlugins/CrashCourse)
- [http://www.ovirt.org/Features/UIPlugins#Real-world\\_UI\\_plugins](http://www.ovirt.org/Features/UIPlugins#Real-world_UI_plugins)

# Web Admin user interface

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Open Virtualization Manager

Logged in user: admin@internal | Configure | Guide | About | Sign Out

Search: Host:

Data Centers Clusters **Hosts** Networks Storage Disks Virtual Machines Pools Templates Volumes Users Events

New Edit Remove Activate Maintenance Configure Local Storage Power Management Assign Tags

Tree

Expand All Collapse All

Name	Hostname/IP	Cluster	Data Center	Status	Running VMs	Memory	CPU	Network	SPM
dev01aaa	10.34.63.161	MyCluster	MyDC	Up	0	16%	0%	0%	Normal
test	10.34.60.88	Default	Default	Maintenance	0	0%	0%	0%	Normal

System  
Default  
MyDC  
Storage  
Networks  
Templates  
Clusters  
MyCluster  
Hosts  
dev01aaa  
VMs

Bookmarks

Tags

Last Message: 2013-Jan-09, 17:01 User admin@internal logged in.

Alerts (5) Events Tasks (0)

The screenshot shows the oVirt Web Admin user interface. The top navigation bar includes links for Open Virtualization Manager, Logged in user (admin@internal), and various system links like Configure, Guide, About, and Sign Out. Below the navigation is a search bar for 'Host' and a toolbar with tabs for Data Centers, Clusters, Hosts (which is selected), Networks, Storage, Disks, Virtual Machines, Pools, Templates, Volumes, and Users. The main content area features a tree view on the left with categories like System, MyDC, Clusters, and VMs, and a detailed table on the right listing hosts by name, IP, cluster, data center, status, and resource usage. At the bottom, there are sections for Bookmarks and Tags, and a footer with system status and navigation links for Alerts, Events, and Tasks.

- Plugin host page
  - Hosts actual plugin code (JavaScript)  
`/usr/share/ovirt-engine/ui-plugins/<resourcePath>/<hostPage>.html`
- Plugin descriptor
  - Meta-data + default configuration  
`/usr/share/ovirt-engine/ui-plugins/<descriptorName>.json`
- Plugin user configuration
  - Override default configuration, tweak runtime behavior  
`/etc/ovirt-engine/ui-plugins/<descriptorName>-config.json`

# Writing plugins

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```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
    <!-- Fetch additional resources if necessary -->
    <script type="text/javascript" src="jquery-min.js"></script>

    <!-- Actual plugin code -->
    <script>
        // Access plugin API from iframe context
        var api = parent.pluginApi('myPlugin');

        // Register plugin event handler functions
        api.register({
            UiInit: function() {
                api.addMainTab('Foo Tab', 'foo-tab', 'http://foo.com/');
            }
        });

        // Tell plugin infrastructure that we are ready
        api.ready();
    </script>

</head>
<body> <!-- HTML body is intentionally empty --> </body>
</html>
```

# Supported API functions

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- addMainTab(label, historyToken, contentUrl)
- addSubTab(entityTypeName, label, historyToken, contentUrl)
- setTabContentUrl(historyToken, contentUrl)
- setTabAccessible(historyToken, tabAccessible)

The screenshot shows the oVirt web interface with two custom tabs highlighted by red boxes:

- Custom Main Tab**: Located in the top navigation bar, next to the standard tabs like Machines, Pools, Templates, Volumes, and Users.
- Custom Sub Tab**: Located in the sub-navigation bar of a hardware information page, next to the standard tabs like Hardware Information.

**Custom Main Tab View:**

Status	Running VMs	Memory	CPU	Network	SPM
Up	0	0%	0%	0%	Normal
Maintenance	0	0%	0%	0%	Normal

**Custom Sub Tab View:**

	Physical Memory:	Total: 7861 MB used: 1258 MB
Processor	Swap Size:	0 MB total: 1023 MB used: 0 MB
Processor	Shared Memory:	0%
Processor	Max free Memory for scheduling new VMs:	7605 MB
Processor	Memory Page Sharing:	Inactive
Processor	Automatic Large Pages:	Always

String  
Boolean  
Number  
Object

# Supported API functions



- `addMainTabActionButton(entityTypeName, label, buttonInterface, options)`
  - Can add the button at the toolbar, context menu, or both
- `addSubTabActionButton(mainTabEntityName, subTabEntityName, label, buttonInterface, options)`
- `showDialog(title, dialogToken, contentUrl, width, height)`
- `SetDialogContentUrl(dialogToken, contentUrl)`
- `closeDialog(dialogToken)`
- `loginUserName()`
- `loginUserId()`

String  
Boolean  
Number  
Object



# Supported API events



- `UiInit`
- `{entity}SelectionChange(selectedItems[])`
- `UserLogin(userNameWithDomain, userId)`
- `UserLogout()`
- `RestApiSessionAcquired(sessionId)`
- `MessageReceived (data, sourceWindow)`
  - allows Plugin HTML to interact with the UI plugin by sending messages via HTML5 postMessage API
  - Requires allowedMessageOrigins set in Plugin Descriptor file

`String`

`Boolean`

`Number`

`Object`

# Plugin descriptor

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- Meta-data + default configuration

/usr/share/ovirt-engine/ui-plugins/<descriptorName>.json

```
{
```

```
// A name that uniquely identifies the plugin (required)
"name": "foo",

// URL of plugin host page that invokes the plugin code (required)
"url": "/webadmin/webadmin/plugin/foo/start.html",

// Default configuration object associated with the plugin (optional)
"config": { "band": "ZZ Top", "classic": true, "score": 10 },

// Path to plugin static resources (optional)
// Used when serving plugin files through PluginResourceServlet
// This path is relative to /usr/share/ovirt-engine/ui-plugins
"resourcePath": "foo-files"
```

```
}
```

# Main steps in plugin development

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- (1) Write plugin descriptor
- (2) Write plugin host page
- (3) See plugin in action



# Example: Monitoring UI-Plugin

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Project Page: <https://github.com/monitoring-ui-plugin>

# Monitoring UI-Plugin – VM Status

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ovirt Open Virtualization Manager Feedback

Logged in user: admin@internal | Configure | Guide | About | Sign Out

Search: Vms:status = up

Data Centers Clusters Hosts Networks Storage Disks Virtual Machines Pools Templates Volumes Users Events

New VM Edit Remove Run Once Migrate Cancel Migration Make Template Export Create Snapshot Change CD Assign Tags Guide Me

System

Expand All Collapse All

System Data Centers Default Storage Networks Templates Clusters oido-local Storage Networks Templates Clusters External Providers Bookmarks Tags

Events 1-3

Name	Host	IP Address	Cluster	Data Center	Memory	CPU	Network	Display	Status	Uptime	Comment
sol11-test	centos-hyp01.lab.ovido.at		ovidolocal	ovidolocal	0%	0%	0%	SPICE	Up		
test-rhel7	centos-hyp01.lab.ovido.at		ovidolocal	ovidolocal	0%	0%	0%	SPICE	Up		
tpl-debian	centos-hyp01.lab.ovido.at		ovidolocal	ovidolocal	0%	1%	0%	SPICE	Up	2 min	

General Network Interfaces Disks Snapshots Applications Permissions Sessions Monitoring Details Events

Acknowledge Comment Downtime Notifications Schedule

Service	Output
Apachestatus Check	OK 0.479704 seconds response time. Idle 7, busy 1, open slots 248
CPU Check	CPU STATISTICS OK : user=0.00% system=0.99% iowait=0.00% idle=99.01% nice=0.00% ste
Cron daemon	PROCS OK: 1 process with command name 'crond'
Date Check	Date OK: time diff=0s
Disk Check	DISK OK - free space: / 4029 MB (74% inode=91%): /boot 164 MB (71% inode=99%): /var 434
HTTP Check	HTTP OK: HTTP/1.1 200 OK - 282 bytes in 0.012 second response time
Load Check	OK - load average: 0.00, 0.00, 0.00
Memory Check	MEMORY OK - 22% Used / 230.4 M free 208.0 M

Details Graphs

Name	Value
Acknowledged	no
Comments	
Is flapping	no
Last check	1390989756
Last notification	no
Last state change	1386373129
Latency	0.1822078228
Long plugin output	

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# Monitoring UI-Plugin – VM Graphs oVirt

ovirt Open Virtualization Manager    Logged in user: admin@internal | Configure | Guide | About | Sign Out    Feedback

Search: Vms:status = up

Data Centers Clusters Hosts Networks Storage Disks Virtual Machines Pools Templates Volumes Users Events

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test-rhel7	centos-hyp01.lab.ovido.at		ovid-local	ovid-local	0%	0%	0%	SPICE	Up		
tpl-debian	centos-hyp01.lab.ovido.at		ovid-local	ovid-local	0%	1%	0%	SPICE	Up	2 min	

General Network Interfaces Disks Snapshots Applications Permissions Sessions Monitoring Details

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Service Output

- HTTP Check HTTP OK: HTTP/1.1 200 OK - 282 bytes in 0.011 second response
- Load Check OK - load average: 0.00, 0.00, 0.00
- Memory Check MEMORY OK - 33% Used (330 M von 996 M)
- MySQL Threads connected OK - 1 client connection threads
- MySQL connection time OK - 0.03 seconds to connect as monitoring
- MySQL long running procs OK - 0 long running processes
- MySQL open files OK - 12.30% of the open files limit reached (126 of max. 1024)
- MySQL slow queries OK - 0 slow queries in 300 seconds (0.00/sec)
- NRPE Alive NRPE v2.14
- PING OK - 10.0.200.19: rta 2.524ms, lost 0%

PNP Performance Graphs One Year

Ping times

RTA

Round Trip Times  
Warning 1000.000ms  
Critical 5000.000ms

Last Message: 2014-Jan-29, 10:59 User admin@internal logged in.

Alerts (0) Events Tasks (0)

# Monitoring UI-Plugin – Details



- UI Plugin infrastructure
- Perl with various Modules
- Template Toolkit
- jQuery
- jQuery UI
- jQuery.loadTemplate
- GNU Autotools, Spec, SELinux-Policy

# Monitoring UI-Plugin – monitoring-ui.json

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- Plugin descriptor

```
{  
    "name": "monitoring",  
    // URL of plugin host page that invokes the plugin code (required)  
    "url": "/webadmin/webadmin/plugin/monitoring/start.html",  
  
    // Default configuration object associated with the plugin  
    "config": {  
        "url": "/monitoring-ui/cgi/monitoring-ui.cgi",  
        "monitoringDetailsLabel": "Monitoring Details",  
        "monitoringDashboardLabel": "Monitoring Dashboard"  
    },  
  
    // Path to plugin static resources (optional)  
    // This path is relative to /usr/share/ovirt-engine/ui-plugins  
    "resourcePath": "monitoring-files"  
}
```

# Monitoring UI-Plugin – start.html

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- Register section - register the following event handlers
  - UiInit – add the main/sub tabs

```
// Register an event handler, for the UI Plugin init
api.register({
    UiInit: function() {
        // Dashboard Main Tab
        // api.addMainTab(conf.icingaDashboardLabel, 'ovirt-monitoring', 'https://www.icinga.org');

        // Sub Tabs
        api.addSubTab('DataCenter', conf.monitoringDetailsLabel, 'datacenters-monitoring', conf.url + '?results=datacenters');
        api.addSubTab('Cluster', conf.monitoringDetailsLabel, 'clusters-monitoring', conf.url + '?results=clusters');
        api.addSubTab('Host', conf.monitoringDetailsLabel, 'hosts-monitoring', conf.url + '?results=hosts');
        api.addSubTab('Storage', conf.monitoringDetailsLabel, 'storage-monitoring', conf.url + '?results=storage');
        api.addSubTab('VirtualMachine', conf.monitoringDetailsLabel, 'vms-monitoring', conf.url + '?results=vms');
        api.addSubTab('Pools', conf.monitoringDetailsLabel, 'pools-monitoring', conf.url + '?results=pools');
    }
},
```

# Monitoring UI-Plugin – start.html

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- \*SelectionChange – set sub-tabs URL

```
// Get name for changed selections
DataCenterSelectionChange: function() {
    if (arguments.length == 1) {
        var dataCenterName = arguments[0].name;
        api.setTabContentUrl('datacenters-monitoring', conf.url + '?results=datacenters&host=' + encodeURIComponent(dataCenterName));
    }
},
ClusterSelectionChange: function() {
    if (arguments.length == 1) {
        var clusterName = arguments[0].name;
        api.setTabContentUrl('clusters-monitoring', conf.url + '?results=clusters&host=' + encodeURIComponent(clusterName));
    }
},
HostSelectionChange: function() {
    if (arguments.length == 1) {
        var hostName = arguments[0].name;
        api.setTabContentUrl('hosts-monitoring', conf.url + '?results=hosts&host=' + encodeURIComponent(hostName));
    }
},
StorageSelectionChange: function() {
    if (arguments.length == 1) {
        var storageName = arguments[0].name;
        api.setTabContentUrl('storage-monitoring', conf.url + '?results=storage&host=' + encodeURIComponent(storageName));
    }
},
```

# Monitoring - check\_rhev3



- Icinga/Nagios plugin to check:

- Datacenters
- Clusters
- Hosts
- Storage domains
- Virtual Machines
- Virtual Machine Pools

```
$ ./check_rhev3.pl -H ovirt-engine \
-a admin@internal:password -D "*" -I status
RHEV CRITICAL: Datacenters critical - 1/2
Datacenters with state UP |up=1;2;2;0;
contend=0;;;;0; problematic=0;;;;0;
not_operational=0;;;;0; uninitialized=1;;;;0;
maintenance=0;;;;0;
```

Plugin: **check\_rhev3**

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Project Page: [https://github.com/ovido/check\\_rhev3](https://github.com/ovido/check_rhev3)

# More info



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