

# Introduction to Active IQ Unified Manager

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## Introduction to Active IQ Unified Manager

Active IQ Unified Manager (formerly OnCommand Unified Manager) enables you to monitor and manage the health and performance of your ONTAP storage systems from a single interface. You can deploy Unified Manager on a Linux server, on a Windows server, or as a virtual appliance on a VMware host.

After you have completed the installation and have added the clusters that you want to manage, Unified Manager provides a graphical interface that displays the capacity, availability, protection, and performance status of the monitored storage systems.

#### **Related information**

NetApp Interoperability Matrix Tool

### What the Unified Manager server does

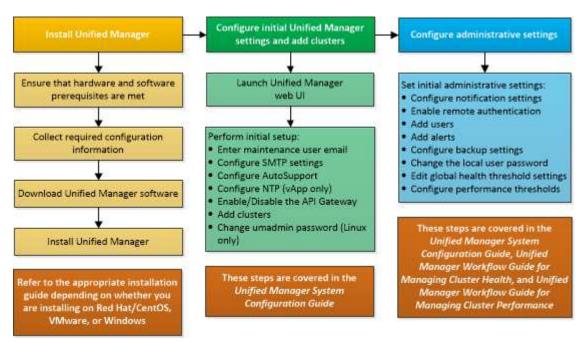
The Unified Manager server infrastructure consists of a data collection unit, a database, and an application server. It provides infrastructure services such as discovery, monitoring, role-based access control (RBAC), auditing, and logging.

Unified Manager collects cluster information, stores the data in the database, and analyzes the data to see if there are any cluster issues.

### Overview of the installation sequence

The installation workflow describes the tasks that you must perform before you can use Unified Manager.

The chapters of this installation guide describe each of the items shown in the workflow below.



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