

## Caprica Server Operating System Upgrade - DHCP

Upgrading the operating system of your Caprica Server to run Caprica version 8.x involves the following procedures:

- Backup Your Current Caprica Server
  - Stop the Current Caprica VM
  - Create the New Caprica VM
  - Set the Caprica Account Password
  - Set Caprica Server Network Settings
  - Restore Caprica Server Configuration
- ★ Caprica Users should only upgrade the operating system of a Caprica Server under the supervision of Ross Video personnel.

### Backup Your Current Caprica Server

Backing the configuration of your current Caprica Server compresses the Installation, Custom Control, Shotbox, and Memory configuration components into a single diskset file.

### To backup your current Caprica Server configuration

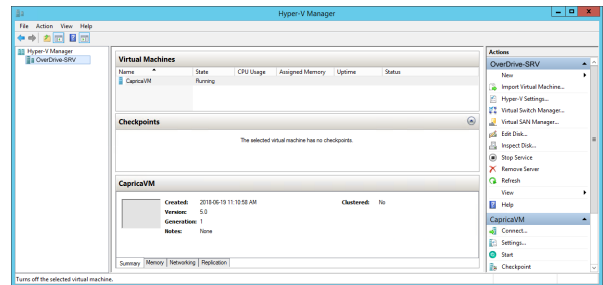
1. Log in to a computer connected to the same network as the Caprica Server computer.
2. Use a web browser to open the Caprica web page URL. The Caprica Login web page opens.
3. Log in to the Caprica web page as the caprica user. The Caprica web page opens.
4. In the tree view, click Diskset. The Diskset web page opens.
5. In the title bar of the Current Configuration section, click Save All As. The Save All As dialog box opens.
6. In the Name box, enter OS8upgrade as the name for your new diskset.
7. Click Save. Caprica creates a new diskset file named OS8upgrade.tzg in the /caprica/archive directory on the Caprica Server computer.
8. Copy the /caprica/archive/OS8upgrade.tzg file to a network location or a USB flash drive.
9. Record the IP address of your Caprica Server and cluster information.
10. Record your Caprica Server License.

### Stop the Current Caprica VM

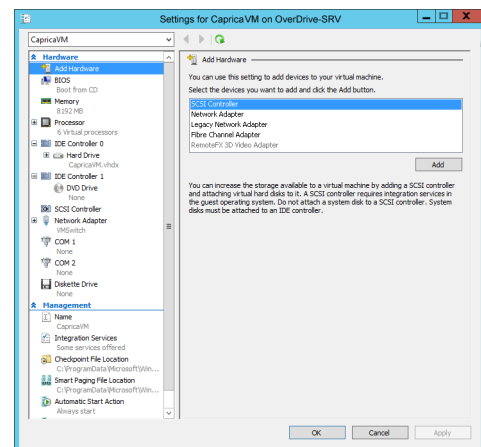
Since your new Caprica virtual machine will use the same IP address as your current Caprica virtual machine you must stop the current Caprica virtual machine in Hyper-V and configure it to not start automatically.

### To stop the current Caprica virtual machine

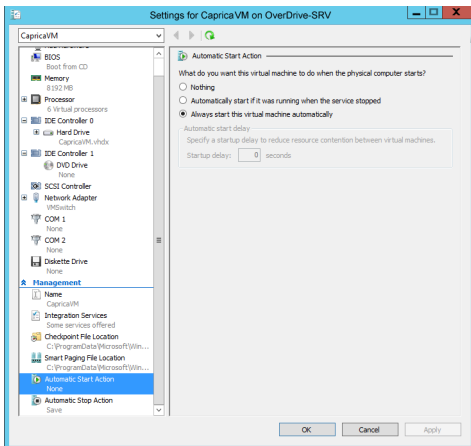
1. Log in to the OverDrive Server computer that hosts your Caprica Server in Hyper-V as the overdrive user.
2. Use the Start menu to select Hyper-V Manager. The Hyper-V Manager window opens.



3. In the Virtual Machines section select the CapricaVM virtual machine.
4. In the CapricaVM section of the Actions panel, click Turn Off. An **Alert** opens.
5. Click **Turn Off** to turn CapricaVM off.
6. In the CapricaVM section of the Actions panel, select Settings. The Settings dialog box opens.



- In the Management section of the tree view, click Automatic Start Action.
- The Automatic Start Action panel opens.



- Select the **Nothing** option to keep CapricaVM turned off.
- Click **OK** to save the selected Hyper-V automatic start option and close the Settings dialog box.

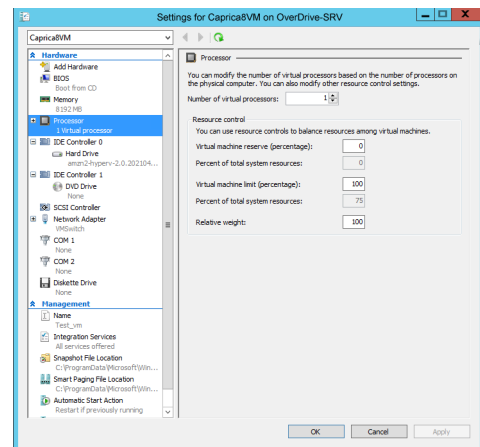
## Create the New Caprica VM

A new Caprica8VM virtual machine in Hyper-V will run the Amazon Linux 2 operating system for Caprica Server version 8.x or greater.

### To create a new Caprica8VM in Hyper-V

- Download the Caprica8VM file from Ross Video Technical Support.
- Extract the downloaded Caprica8VM file.
- In the Hyper-V Manager window, use the Action menu to select New > Virtual Machine. The Before You Begin page of the New Virtual Machine wizard opens.
- Click Next. The Specify Name and Location page opens.
- In the Name box enter Caprica8VM.
- Click Next. The Specify Generation page opens.
- Select the Generation 1 option.
- Click Next. The Assign Memory page opens.
- In the Startup memory box enter 8192.
- Click Next. The Configure Networking page opens.

- Use the Connection list to select VMSwitch.
- Click Next. The Connect Virtual Hard Disk page opens.
- Select the Use an existing virtual hard disk option.
- Click Browse to locate and select the Caprica8VM file you downloaded from Ross Video Technical Support and expanded in step 2.
- Click Next. The Completing the New Virtual Machine Wizard page opens.
- Click Finish. Hyper-V Manager creates a new Caprica8VM virtual machine for Caprica Server version 8.0.
- In the Virtual Machines section select the Caprica8VM virtual machine.
- In the Caprica8VM section of the Actions panel, select Settings. The Settings dialog box opens.
- In the Hardware section of the tree view, click Processor. The Processor panel opens.



- In the Number of virtual processors box enter 6.
- Click **OK** to save the selected Hyper-V number of virtual processors setting and close the Settings dialog box.
- In the Caprica8VM section of the Actions panel, select Start. With your Caprica8VM virtual machine up and running you can configure your Caprica Server.

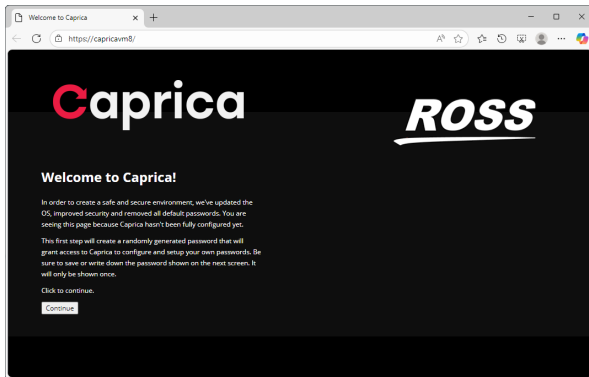
## Set the Caprica Account Password

The first time you log in to your new Caprica Server you must set the password for the default caprica account. The caprica account is a super user that can edit all settings and control all processes on a Caprica Server.

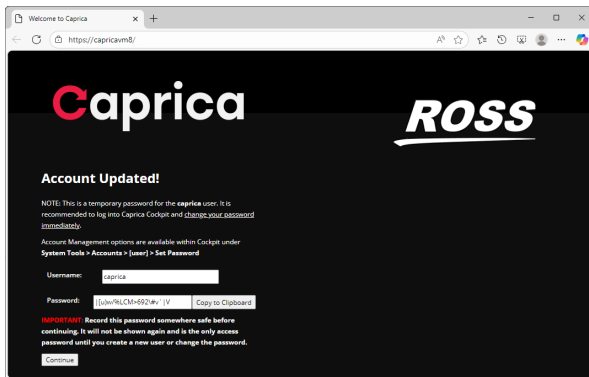
★ DHCP and DNS must be available on you corporate network to set caprica user password on the first log in.

### To set the caprica user password on the first log in:

1. Log in to a computer connected to the same network as the Caprica Server computer.
2. Use a web browser to open the Caprica web page URL:  
`http://capricavm8`  
If the web browser identifies your connection as not secure, add an exception for the Caprica web page. The Welcome to Caprica! web page opens.



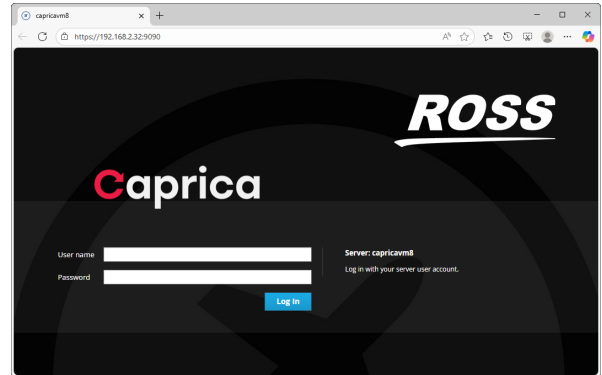
3. Click Continue.  
The Account Updated! web page opens.



4. Click Copy to Clipboard.  
Caprica copies the password displayed in the Password box to the clipboard so that you can use the password to log in to Caprica on the next web page.

★ Record the displayed password before continuing. The password for the caprica user will not be shown again and is the only access password until you change the it for the caprica user or create a new user.

5. Click Continue.  
The Caprica Login web page opens.



6. In the User name box, enter `caprica`.
7. In the Password box, paste the password from the clipboard.
8. Click Log In.  
The Caprica web page opens.
9. To change the caprica user password, refer to the Change the Caprica User Password section in the Installation Notes chapter of the *Caprica User Guide*.

## Set Caprica Server Network Settings

You can set the hostname and IP address of your Caprica8VM virtual machine to the IP address that was used by your previous CapricaVM virtual machine.

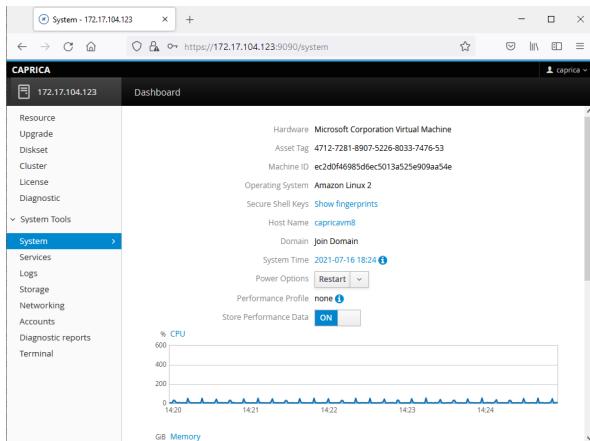
### Hostname

Change the hostname of your new Caprica8VM virtual machine to that of the old CapricaVM virtual machine.

### To set the hostname for your Caprica8VM

1. In the tree view of the Caprica web page, expand the System Tools node.
2. In the System Tools node, click System.

The System web page opens.



- In the Host Name field, click the current host name. The Change Host Name dialog box opens.



- In the Real Host Name box, enter the hostname of your previous Caprica Server.
- Click Change. The Change Host Name dialog box closes and the System web page Host Name field displays the updated hostname for your Caprica Server.

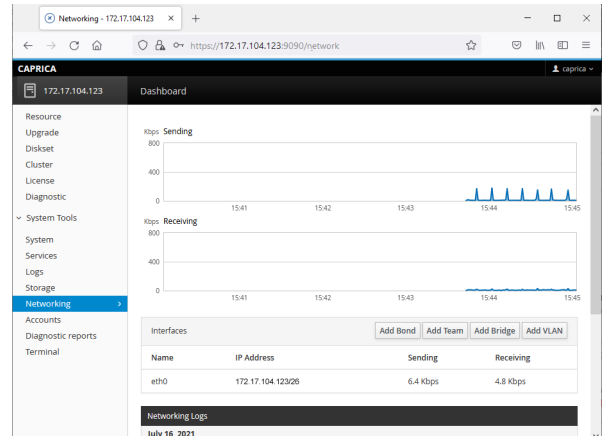
## IP Address

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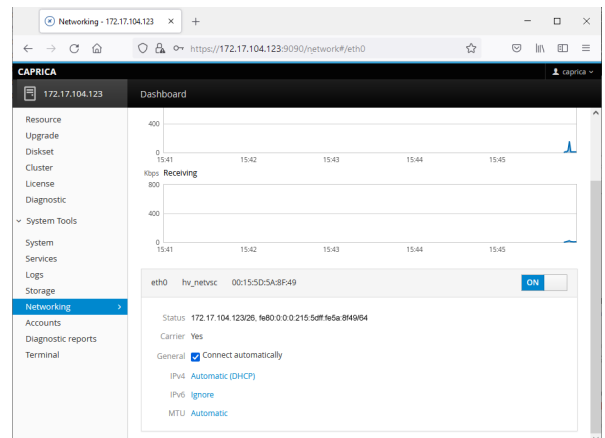
To set the IP address for your Caprica8VM

- In the tree view of the Caprica web page, click Networking.

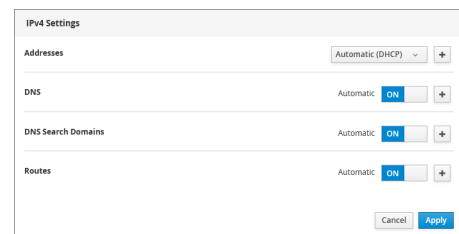
The Networking web page opens.



- In the Interfaces section, click eth0 in the list of available network interfaces. A panel opens for the eth0 network interface.



- In the IPv4 field, click the current setting. The IPv4 Settings dialog box opens.



4. Use the Addresses list to select Manual.
5. In the Address box, enter a static IP address for the eth0 network interface.
6. In the Prefix length or Netmask box, enter the eth0 network interface.
7. In the Gateway box, enter the gateway for the eth0 network interface.
8. Click Apply.  
The IPv4 field displays the set IP address for the eth0 network interface.

## Restore Caprica Server Configuration

After creating and configuring a new Caprica8VM virtual machine for your Caprica Server to run Caprica version 8.x, refer to the following sections in the *Caprica User Guide* to restore the configuration of your Caprica Server:

- Setting the Caprica Hyper-V Automatic Start and Stop Options — configure your Caprica8VM virtual machine to automatically start and stop with the OverDrive Server computer.
- Software Installation — install the latest version of the Caprica Server software.
- Recalling Configurations from a Diskset — restore to the configuration from the OS8upgrade diskset you created from your previous Caprica Server.
- Caprica Server Software License — activate your Caprica Server with your product key.
- Redundant Caprica System — configure your Caprica Redundant system cluster settings.

## Compatibility

Automation	Version
Caprica Server	8.0

## Contacting Technical Support

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