

VMware Cloud Director Availability On-premises Guides

Guide #18

Decommissioning

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Stop all incoming and outgoing replications

1. In the vSphere Client plug-in, click **Outgoing Replications** and select all replications by selecting the checkbox on the top of the table.

Note: Repeat selecting the replications under **Incoming Replications**.

	vApp / VM	SLA profile	RPO	Recovery state	Replication type	Overall health	Last changed
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	vm-001	Gold	30min	Not started	Protection	Green	Synchronize 46%
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	vm-002	Gold	30min	Not started	Protection	Yellow	11/25/2021, 9:23:40 A...

2. From the **All Actions** menu, select **Delete replications** and in the **Delete** window confirm the deletion by clicking **Delete**.

Delete | 2 vApps

Are you sure you want to delete the selected replications?

This will **permanently stop replication traffic and remove all retained instances** at the destination.

3. If required, enter the organization administrator credentials and click Login.

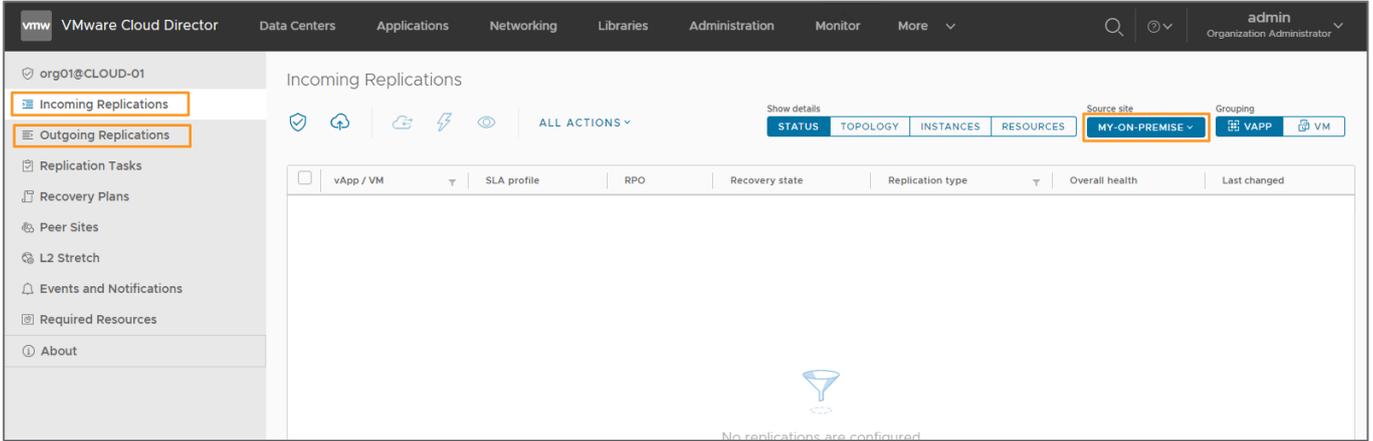
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Provide credentials to manage replications on org01@CLOUD-01.

Username

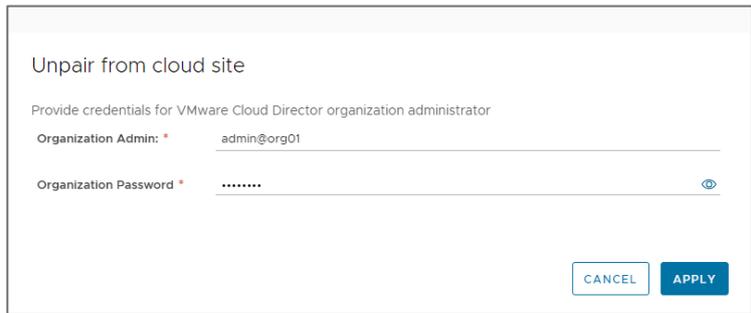
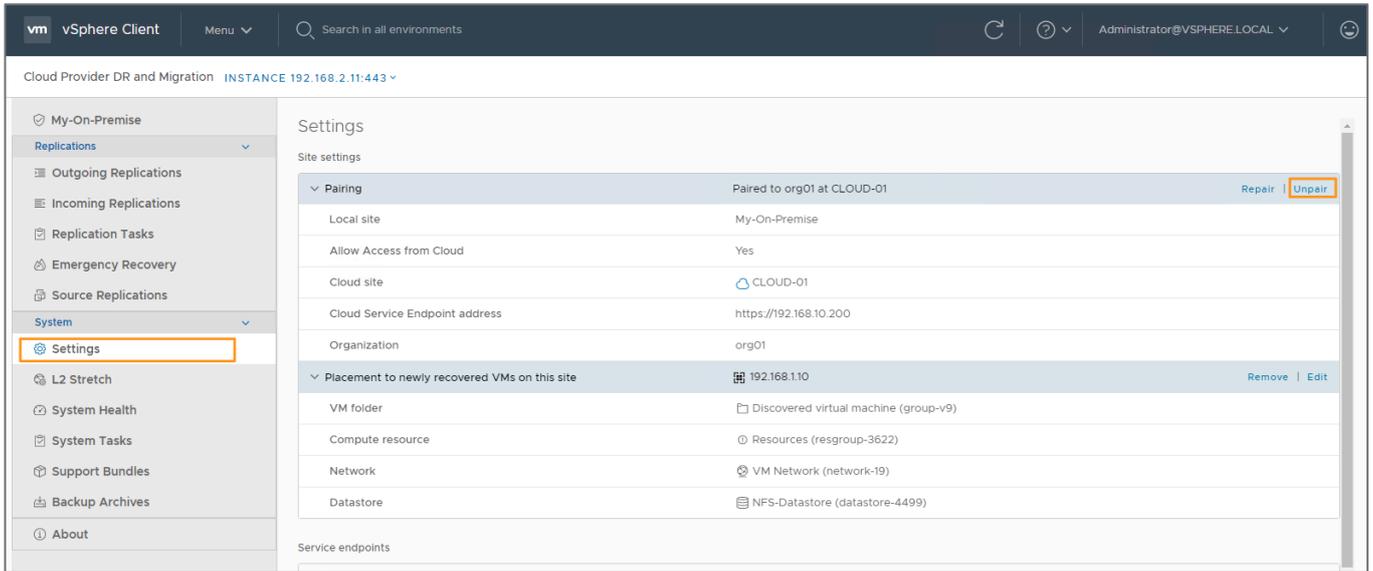
Password

Note: Alternatively, removing the existing replications can be performed by using the cloud portal or by using the VMware Cloud Director plug-in, by visiting the **Incoming Replication** and **Outgoing Replications** sections, make sure the proper **Source** or **Destination** site is select in case you have more than one on-prem site or you have Cloud to Cloud Replications . Then the selecting and deleting steps are similar to those listed above in the vSphere Client plug-in.



Unpair the cloud site

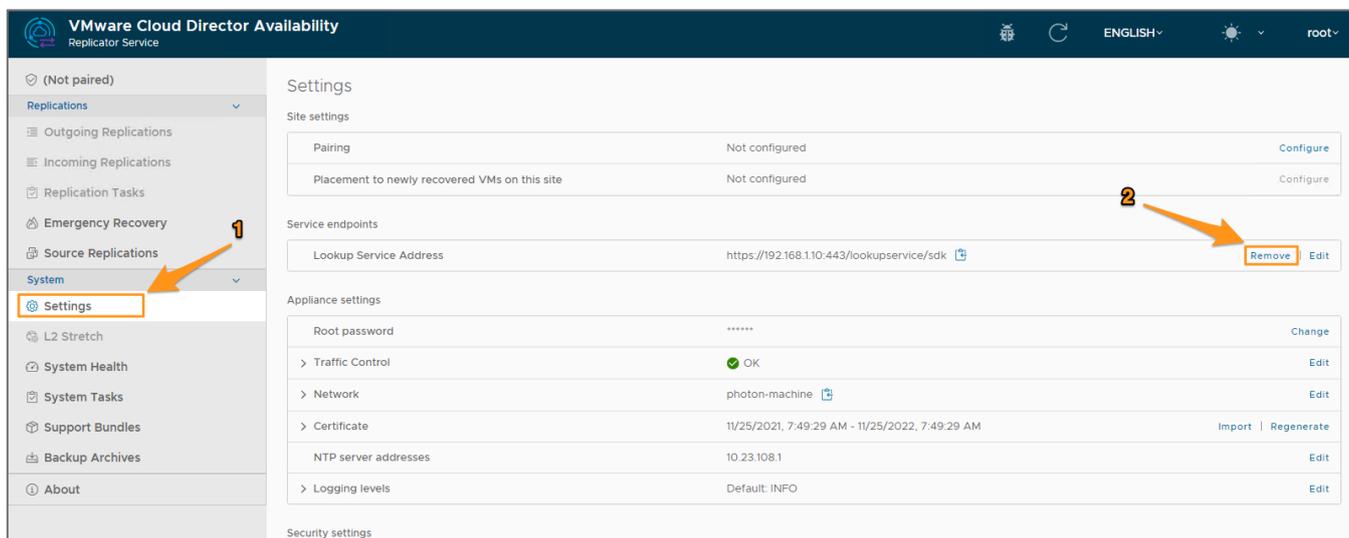
1. After deleting all existing replications, click **Settings** in vSphere plugin or in the admin UI.
2. b. Under **Site settings**, in the **Pairing** section, click the **Unpair** link and enter the organization administrator credentials.



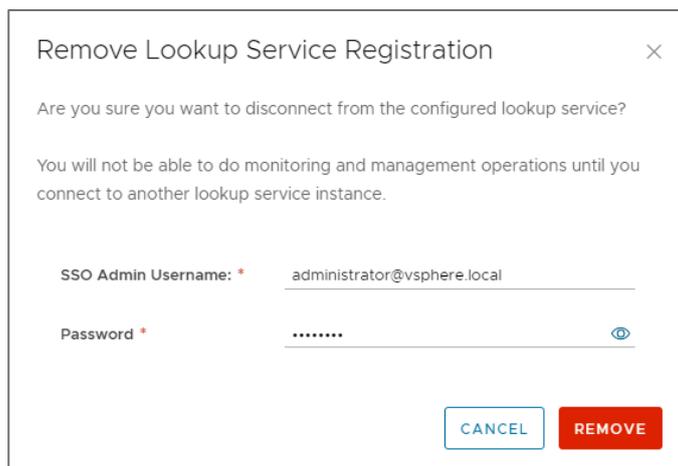
Remove Lookup Service Address

After the replicator appliance is unpaired from the cloud site, remove it from the vSphere Client.

1. In the **Admin UI** of the replicator appliance go to **Settings** and under Service endpoints click **Remove** button next to Lookup Service Address



2. Provide SSO Admin credentials and click **Remove**



Remove the replicator appliance VM

The unregistered replicator appliance can be kept indefinitely. If keeping the appliance is no longer necessary, in the vSphere inventory, power off the appliance VM and delete it.

