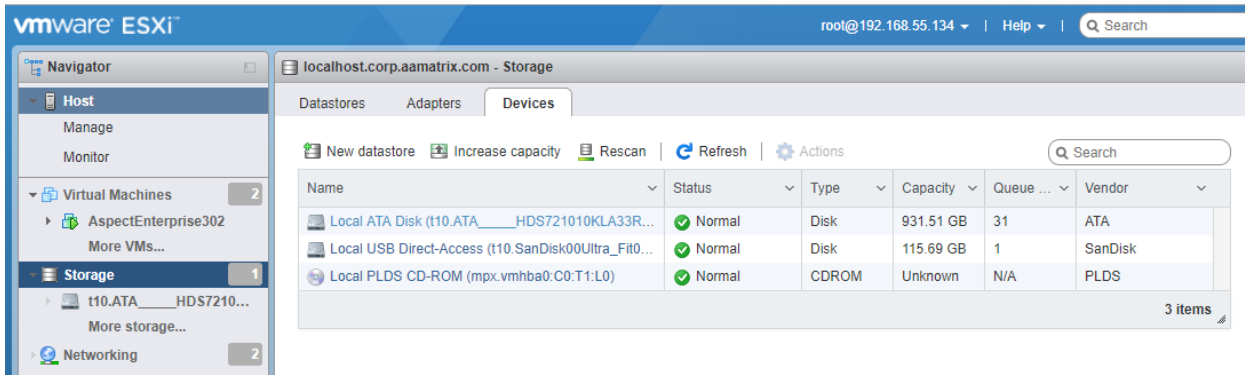


Deployment of VMware OVA

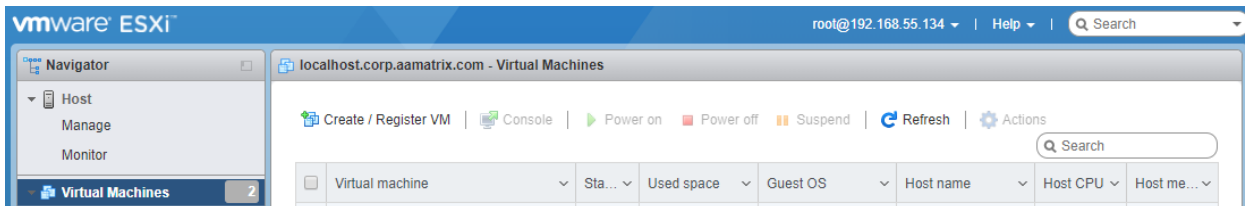
1. Log in to VMWare management console



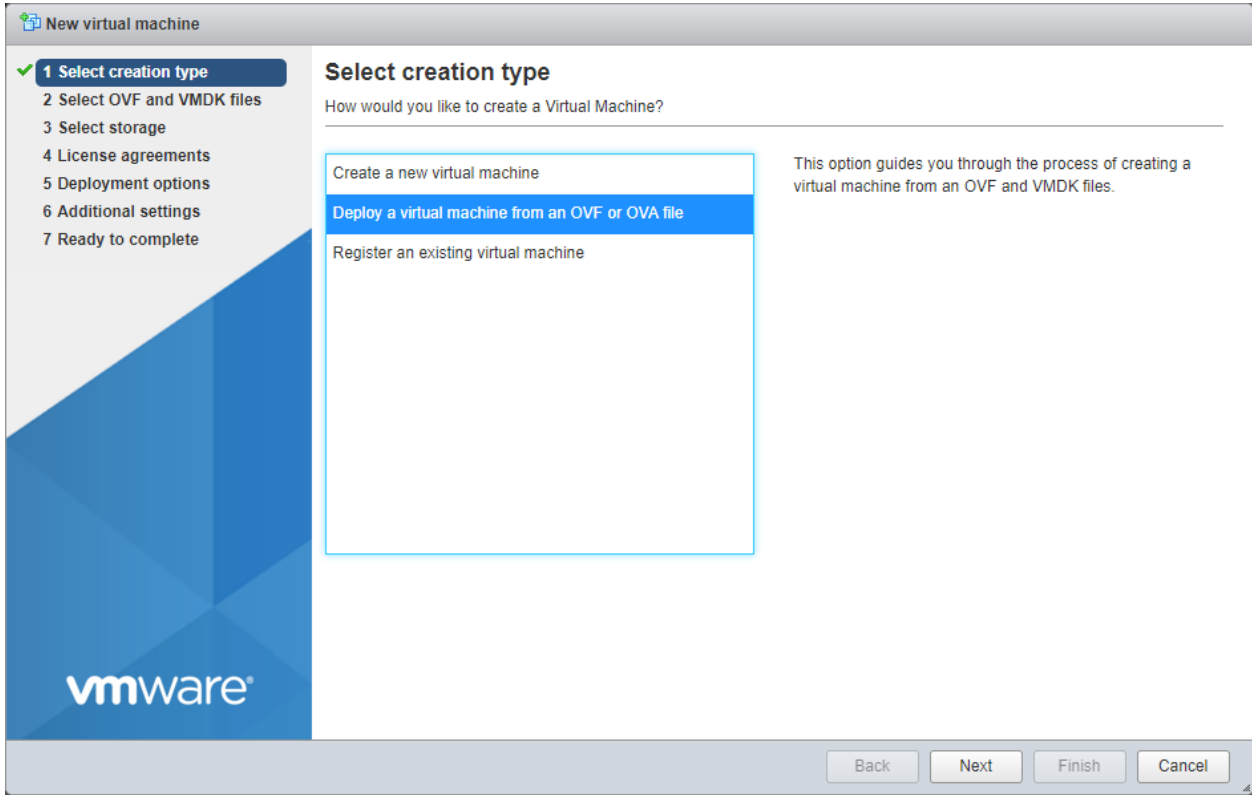
2. Check the Storage section to see where the new VM image will be deployed. This will typically be a SATA or SAS disk or array. Ensure that at least 128GB are free on the storage volume.



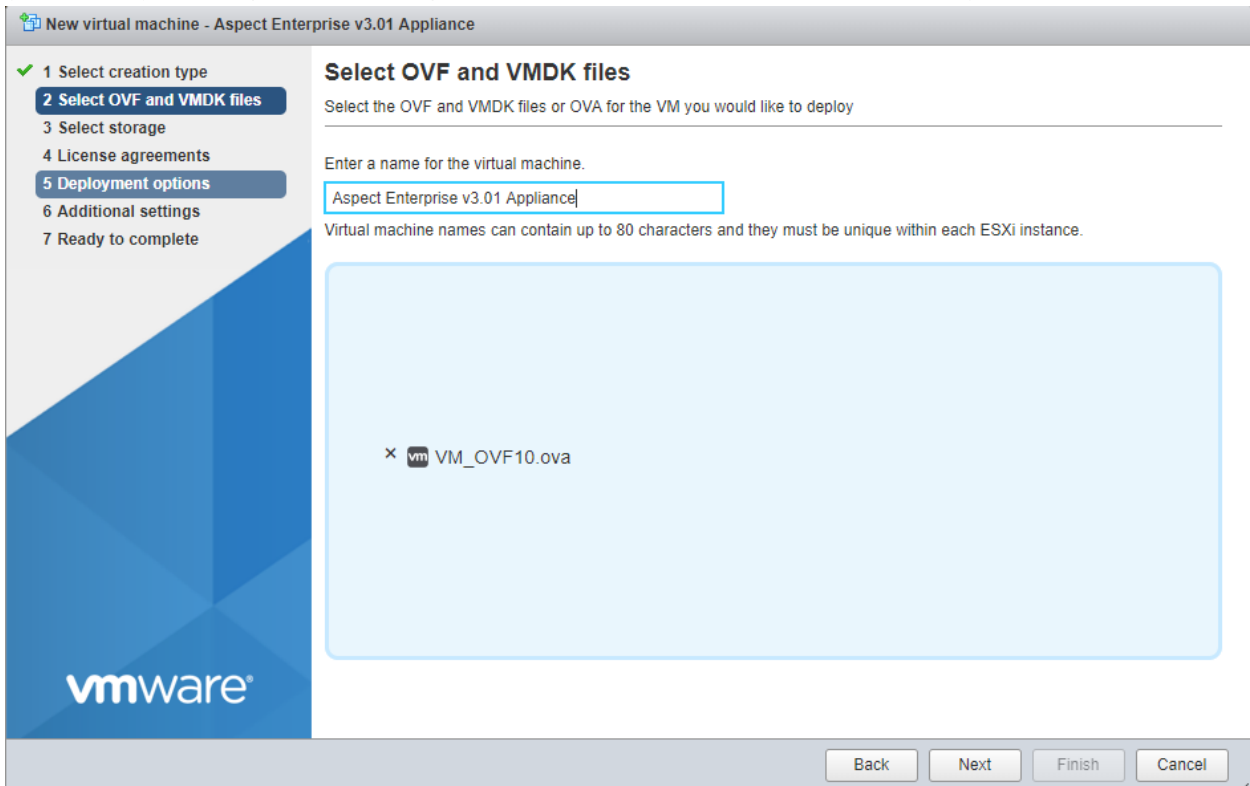
3. Select **Virtual Machines** and then click the **Create / Register VM** button on the right pane



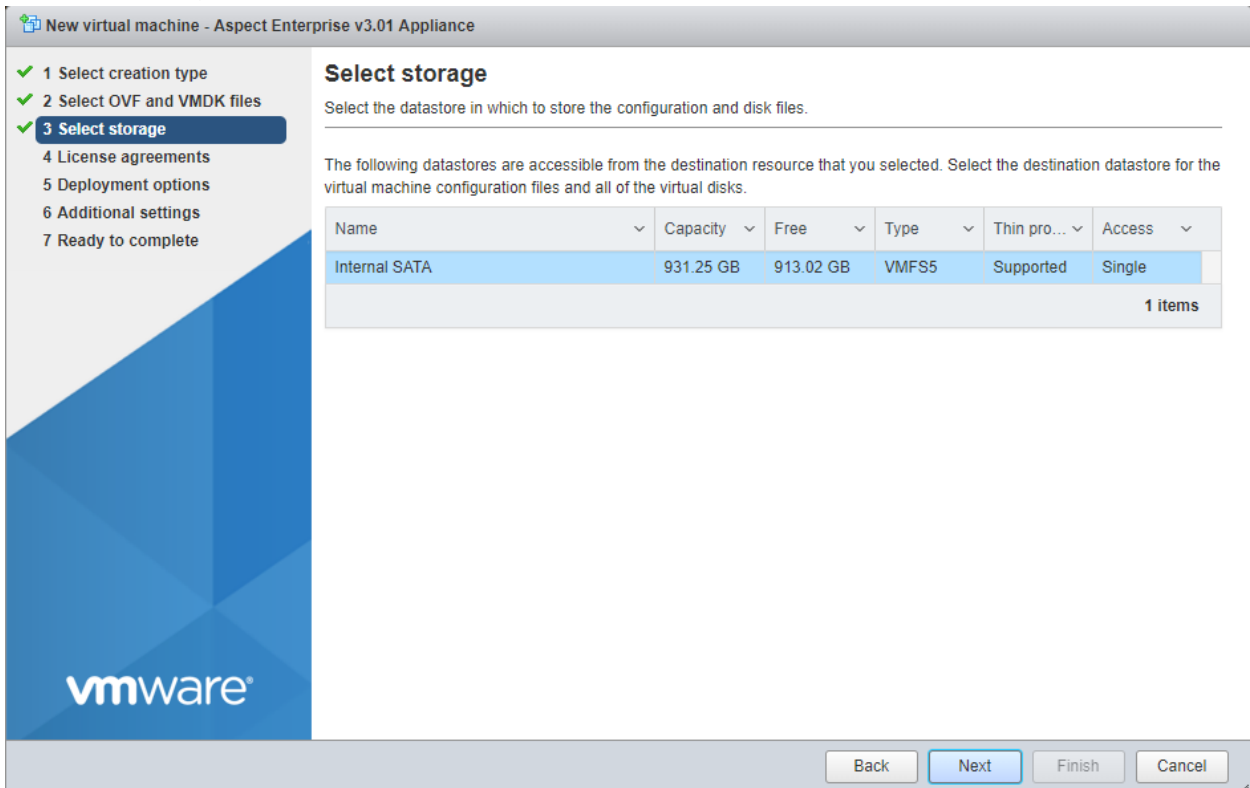
4. Select **Deploy a virtual machine from an OVF or OVA file**



5. Assign the Virtual Machine a descriptive name, and then drag the VM_OVF10.OVA from the storage media (USB drive?) to the light blue rectangle at the bottom of the wizard. Click **Next** to proceed



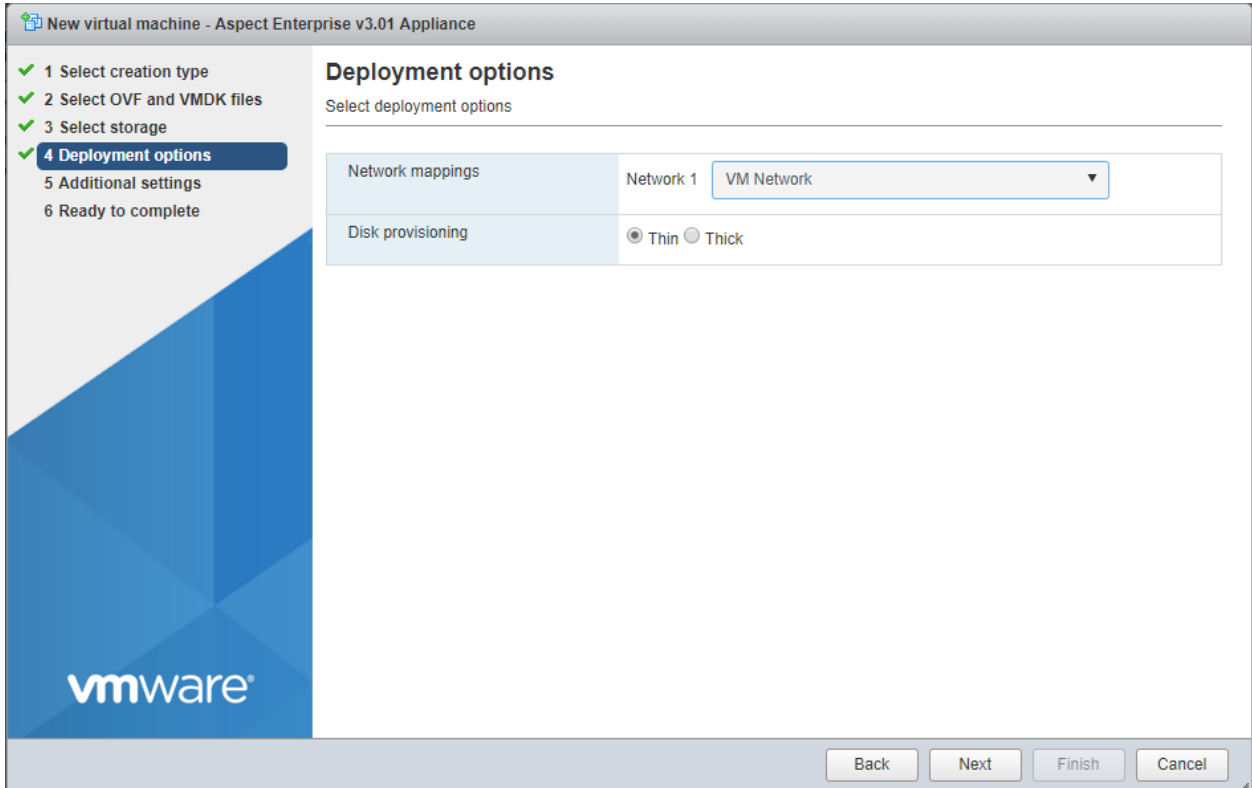
6. Select the datastore in which the virtual machine will be created. This should match the datastore you confirmed in step #2. Click **Next**



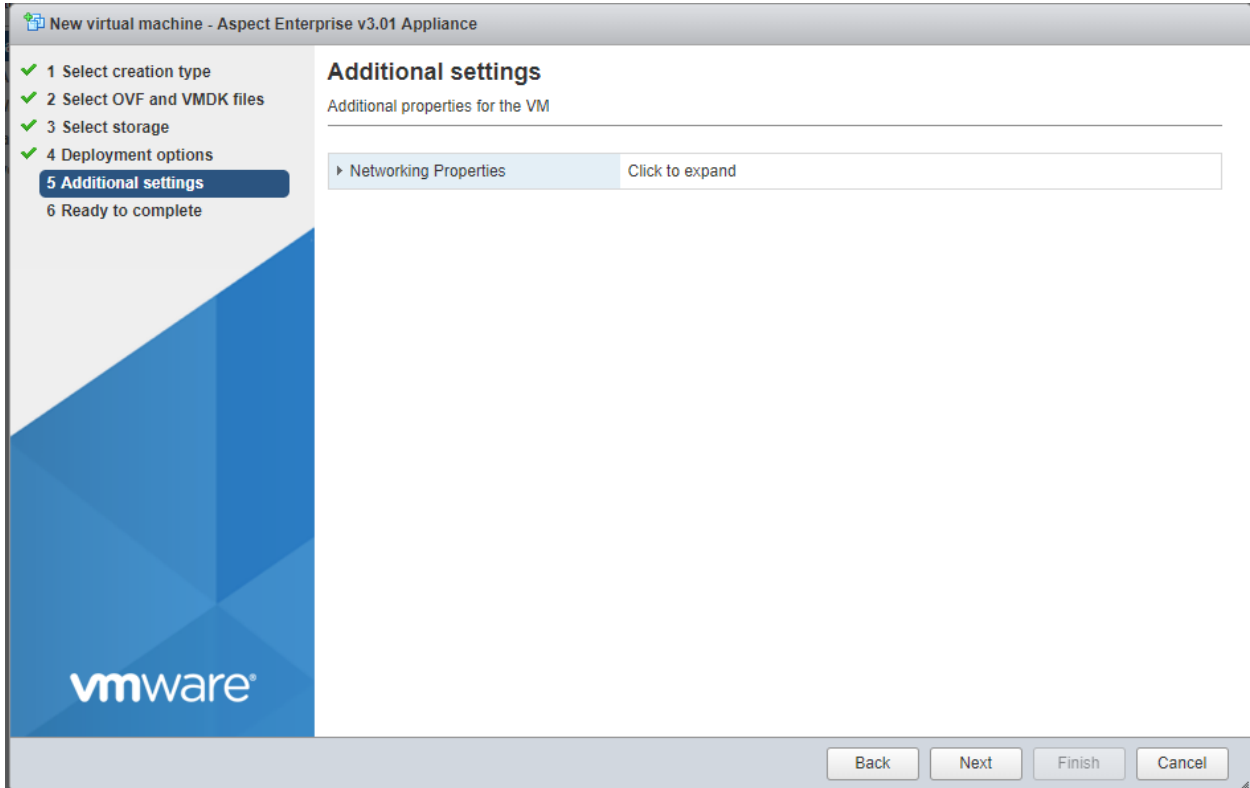
7. Select the network mapping to assign and the disk provisioning method. The default options are usually fine. If more than one network is configured on the ESXi server, ensure that the correct network is selected.

Thin disk provisioning will only consume space in the datastore as the guest machine requests it, so it is more space efficient. Thick provisioning will offer slightly higher performance by pre-allocating all requested disk

space to the guest OS.



8. Do not change Networking Properties on this screen. Click **Next**.



- Confirm all settings are correct and click **Finish** to deploy the OVA file. Do not close or refresh the browser while the deployment is in progress.


New virtual machine - Aspect Enterprise v3.01 Appliance

- ✓ 1 Select creation type
- ✓ 2 Select OVF and VMDK files
- ✓ 3 Select storage
- ✓ 4 Deployment options
- ✓ 5 Additional settings
- ✓ 6 Ready to complete

Ready to complete

Review your settings selection before finishing the wizard

Product	Enterprise30101
VM Name	Aspect Enterprise v3.01 Appliance
Disks	system.vmdk
Datastore	Internal SATA
Provisioning type	Thin
Network mappings	Network 1: VM Network
Guest OS Name	CentOS 6.0 64bit

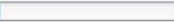

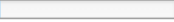

 Do not refresh your browser while this VM is being deployed.

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Back Next Finish Cancel

- Monitor the progress of the OVA deployment from the *Recent Tasks* display on the dashboard.

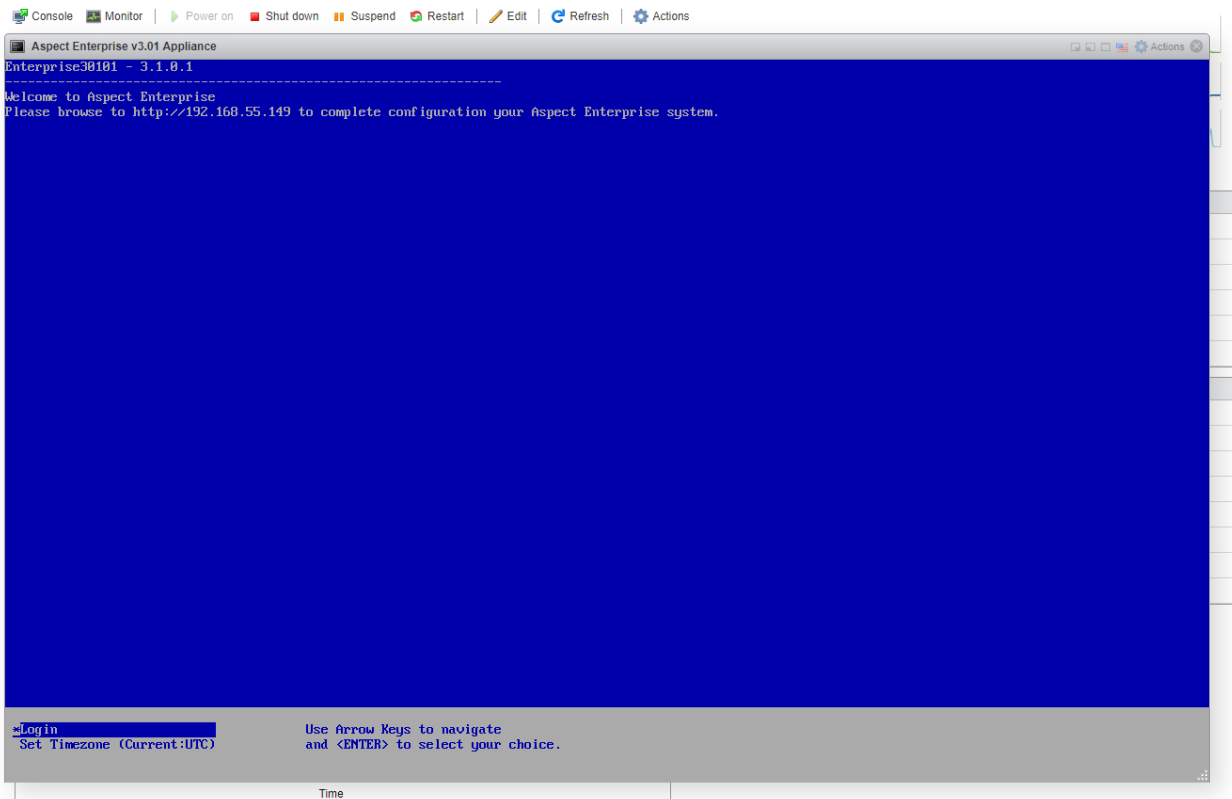
Recent tasks

Task	Target	Initiator	Queued	Started	Result	Completed
Upload disk - system.vmdk (1 of...	Aspect Enterprise ...	root	01/11/2018 09:2...	01/11/2018 09:2...	  Running... 2 %	
Import VApp	Resources	root	01/11/2018 03:2...	01/11/2018 03:2...	  Running... 2 %	

11. When the deployment is complete, the VM should automatically power on.

Task	Target	Initiator	Queued	Started	Result	Completed
Upload disk - system.vmdk (1 of...	Aspect Enterprise ...	root	01/11/2018 09:2...	01/11/2018 09:2...	Completed successfully	01/11/2018 09:2...
Reconfig VM	Aspect Enterprise ...	root	01/11/2018 03:3...	01/11/2018 03:3...	Completed successfully	01/11/2018 03:3...
Power On VM	Aspect Enterprise ...	root	01/11/2018 03:3...	01/11/2018 03:3...	Completed successfully	01/11/2018 03:3...
Import VApp	Resources	root	01/11/2018 03:2...	01/11/2018 03:2...	Completed successfully	01/11/2018 03:3...

12. Select the virtual machine and view the console. The DHCP allocated IP address should be visible. Connect to this address with a web browser and complete the Aspect Enterprise configuration.



Tuning

Configuration of the Aspect virtual hardware must take place with the virtual machine shut down.



Click the Edit button once the VM is stopped to edit the virtual hardware settings



CPU

2 CPUs are configured by default. If Aspect is the only virtual machine running on the server, allocate all physical CPUs to Aspect.

Memory

If Aspect Enterprise is the only virtual machine on the ESXi server, it is recommended to use allocate all physical RAM minus 1 GB to the Aspect virtual machine.

Hard Disk

It is not advisable to alter the hard disk settings. Allocation of additional HDD space will not extend the partitions inside the Aspect virtual appliance.