

Description of the plugins

Plugin: check_TCP_eway

Purpose:

Check if TCP eWay is connected, by using the „netstat -n“ command.

Options:

```
check_TCP_eway [ Options ] <Name of eWay>
```

Options:

```
--help      Show this page and exit.  
--version   Show version number and exit.  
--config    Get configuration of the eWays and exit. (Start as user eg_admin !)
```

Limitations and customizing

This plugin is merely a template, changes may be necessary, because it gets the information of port number and hostname out the environment.

configuration:

The plugin (unix shell script) check_TCP_eway expects a configuration file of the eWays at a special location. While option

```
check_TCP_eway --config
```

will get this in our environment SRE 5.0.5 but it uses a utility from our Support Partner, so this is work for you!

But the task is quite simple:

The only thing needed is a table of the eWays with host name and port number from the eWay configuration. You may manually create and actualise one, or take it directly out of the configuration files.

If you take it directly out of the configuration files, this should be done as egate user...

token for the „is online“ state shown in netstat:

Dependent on the Language, netstat signals the state of the connection with a special token.

Lets say we have the host 192.9.200.9 connected at port 99000 to a different host. If the Operation System language is English, the connection is shown in netstat as

```
tcp      0      0 192.19.1.91:9009      192.9.200.9:99000    ESTABLISHED
```

so the token (the important word) is the term

```
TOKEN_PORTS_CONNECTED=ESTABLISHED
```

This may be different in your environment. Feel free to follow the comments and fit this plugin to your environment!

get host by name:

Since it is more stable to compare by using IP address and port than to compare by hostname and port (especially long hostnames may be abbreviated in the output of netstat), the plugin has to get the IP address from a hostname. For this it simply uses the ping command, so a ping has to be allowed from the firewall rules on your eGate!

Plugin: check_egate_architecture

Purpose:

Check if necessary processes are running; check if the controlbrokers of the schemas are running.

Options:

```
check_egate_architecture [ options ]
```

```
options:  
  --help  
  --version
```

There is no option needed to run this plugin, the configuration you will find inside of its coding lines.

Limitations and customizing:

The plugin was tested against SRE 5.0.5, it needs the utility `stccmd` to check the controlbrokers. This utility needs password and username of the egate user and is provided together with the installation.

The necessary processes are defined here:

```
# Check out list of necessary processes  
# not currently checked out: stcinstd.exe \  
# (instance daemon is only necessary for implementing a new eWay or changing  
# an old one)  
EG_PROCS=" \  
stcregd.exe \  
stccb.exe \  
"
```

The process `stcinstd.exe` is the Instance daemon, needed if you like to implement new eWays or change old ones...

The controlbrokers and schemas are defined a little bit above:

```
# List of schemas and corresponding controlbroker separated by ":"  
# You are not a fool, don't believe that SCHEMA_0815 is a real schema name and  
# 0815_cb is a real controlbroker name  
SCHEMA_AND_CB=" \  
SCHEMA_0815:0815_cb \  
"
```

Remind that the „\
“ connects these three lines into one single line:

```
SCHEMA_AND_CB=" \  
SCHEMA_0815:0815_cb \  
"
```

which is the same as:

```
SCHEMA_AND_CB=" SCHEMA_0815:0815_cb "
```

The script: `utils.sh`

From your installation of nagios, this script should already be installed in your environment. It is used for state definition in the function `print_revision` (option `--version`). To be complete you will find it in this archive.