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Chapter 5: Monitoring Methods; Introduction; Monitoring PING for any host; Monitoring SSH for any host; Checking an alternative SSH port; Monitoring mail services; Monitoring web services; Checking that a website returns a given string; Monitoring database services; Monitoring the output of an SNMP query; Monitoring a RAID or other hardware device; Creating an SNMP OID to monitor  
Chapter 6: Enabling Remote Execution Introduction; Monitoring local services on a remote machine with NRPE; Setting the listening address for NRPE; Setting allowed client hosts for NRPE; Creating new NRPE command definitions securely; Giving limited sudo privileges to NRPE; Using check\_by\_ssh with key authentication instead of NRPE; Chapter 7: Using the Web Interface; Introduction; Using the Tactical Overview; Viewing and interpreting availability reports; Viewing and interpreting trends; Viewing and interpreting notification history; Adding comments on hosts or services in the web interface  
Viewing configuration in the web interface Scheduling checks from the web interface; Acknowledging a problem via the web interface; Chapter 8: Managing Network Layout; Introduction; Creating a network host hierarchy; Using the network map; Choosing icons for hosts; Establishing a host dependency; Establishing a service dependency; Monitoring individual nodes in a cluster; Using the network map as an overlay; Chapter 9: Managing Configuration; Introduction; Grouping configuration files in directories; Keeping configuration under version control; Configuring host roles using groups  
Building groups using regular expressions

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## Sommario/riassunto

This book is written in Cookbook style, beginning with recipes based on basic structure which gradually progresses towards using Nagios Core as a monitoring framework. This book is for System Administrators who are looking for recipes to help them deal with advanced network monitoring issues with Nagios Core.

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