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Auto Populating Data

If you are accessing the system from a computer that will be used for online testing, you can use the auto populate function to detect your system hardware and software configuration.

Note:

- The auto populate option is available only if your selected task is New Devices
- Java 1.5 or greater is required for in-depth auto detection of a device

If you have multiple computers with the same hardware and software configuration, you can use auto populate and identify the number of machines to which those characteristics apply by changing the number in the Count Field. You can manually assign a name and location for that group of computers by overwriting the machine name and IP address in the first two auto populated fields.

When creating a new device, click the Auto Populate button on the New Devices screen to start the process

Managing Device Data through Batch File Import and Export

If you would prefer to manage data for multiple devices outside the tool (rather than enter data for each device directly through user interface), you can use a file import process for uploading your data. You will need to create this file in the specified layout and your upload file format will need to be .csv (comma separated value).

The template provided defines the order of the fields to be completed and can be used as a model for your file layout. To create a file of device data:

1. On the Home page, under Resources > File Layouts & Templates, click on the Device File Template link.
2. Enter your data.
3. Save your file as .csv (keep the file open while uploading)

Data definitions and valid values may be accessed by selecting the link to Device File Layout, also on the Home page under File Layouts and Template.