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This document provides an overview of HP Operations Manager (HPOM) version 9.10. It contains important information not included in the manuals or in online help.

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Media Kit Contents

The HPOM media kit contains a number of CDs and DVDs required to install the HPOM foundation product, HP Operations Agent 11.00, HP Performance Manager 9.00, SiteScope 11.1x, HP Reporter 3.9x, NNMi 8.1x/9.xx, MSES and TIBCO SPI, and Infrastructure SPIs 2.0. To use these products, you must also purchase a valid license. In addition, you receive AlarmPoint Express. AlarmPoint is an interactive alerting application, designed to capture and enrich events and route those events to the right person on any communication device, and give that person the ability to solve, escalate, or enlist others to resolve.

The AlarmPoint integration allows the appropriate technician to be notified directly using voice, email, pager, BlackBerry or other devices. Information about the failure is presented to the event resolver and decisions about how to handle the event can be made in real-time.

NOTE HP only distributes the AlarmPoint Express media, and does not provide support. AlarmPoint Express support and information may be obtained directly from AlarmPoint at:
<http://express.alarmpoint.com/hp>

Changes with Latest Patches

This section describes changes that are available with the latest HPOM patches.

HP Operations Management Server Patch

The following HP Operations management server patch is available for all supported operating system platforms:

Table 1 Management Server Patch 9.10.240

Patch Name	Management Server Platform		
	HP-UX on HP Integrity	Linux	Solaris
HPOM consolidated server 9.10.240	PHSS_43465	OML_00067	ITOSOL_00789

IMPORTANT Make sure that you install the latest management server patch before running the ovoconfigure script.

The following changes are available with this patch:

- The /opt/OV/bin/OpC/utills/opcmshg utility is available for allowing severity and message text modification.
- The opcragt command now supports the specification of a per-node timeout. It can be specified by using either the new -timeout option or the OPCRAGT_TIMEOUT configuration variable. Because cancelling threads may lead to side effects, opcragt does not cancel a timed-out thread. Instead, it ignores the timed-out thread and starts a new one.

It is also possible to set timeouts for the opcragt -start and opcragt -stop calls by using the OPCRAGT_START_TIMEOUT and OPCRAGT_STOP_TIMEOUT configuration variables.

The OPCRAGT_MAX_THREADS_TOTAL configuration variable is also available for limiting the total number of opcragt (including the timed-out) threads.

- A new option, copy_desc, is available for the opcpolicy command. When copy_desc is set to yes, the policy group description is copied, as follows:

```
-copy_group pol_group=<from> pol_group_to=<to> [ level= <level> ] \  
[ copy_desc=<yes|no> ]
```

level=1 : copy policy group tree (without assignments)

level=2 : copy policy assignments into existing tree (no tree creation)

level=3 : copy node+nodegrp assignments into existing tree (no tree creation)

level=4 : copy policy group tree (with assignments; default)

copy_desc=yes : copy policy group description

copy_desc=no : doesn't copy policy group description (default)

- The following HA Manager–related changes are now available:
 - When sending the local status to the remote HA Manager fails, the remote node is not marked as `FAULTED` after one failure, but after a specified number of failures (the default value is 3). To specify after how many failures the remote node should be marked as `FAULTED`, set the `MAX_COMM_PROBLEMS` variable in the HA Manager configuration file to a desired value.
 - Node alive timeout, which is the time when remote status needs to be updated, is now increased. The default value is 60 seconds. You can change the default value by setting the `NODE_ALIVE_TIMEOUT` variable in HA Manager configuration file.

The node alive timeout (that is, time during which the remote node status must be updated) can be set by using the `NODE_ALIVE_TIMEOUT` variable in the HA Manager configuration file (the default value is 60 seconds). If the node status is not updated in the specified time, the node becomes `FAULTED`.
 - The node sends its local status every 15 seconds (the default value). You can set another value by using the `MAX_SEND_LOCAL_STATUS_TIME` variable in the HA Manager configuration file.
 - The HARG that is `FAULTED` on a local node can be automatically cleared only if it is `ONLINE` on some other node. This behavior is disabled by default. To enable it, set the `HARG_AUTOCLEAN_FAULTED_TIME` variable in the HA Manager configuration file to a number that is greater than zero. This number represents the number of seconds that elapses from the moment the HARG becomes `FAULTED` until the moment the autoclean is performed.
 - The HA Manager configuration is automatically reloaded when it is modified.
- QCCR1A153519The `opcuiwww.sh` utility is modified so that when PAM or LDAP is enabled or configured on the HP Operations management server, `opcuiwww.sh` starts `opcuiwww.ldap` instead of the regular `opcuiwww` process. There is no need to replace the original `opcuiwww` binary with `opcuiwww.ldap` any more.
- A new option, `-upgrade`, is available for the `opchistupl` command. This option is used for uploading data of a particular locale. For example:

```
/opt/OV/bin/OpC/opchistupl -upgrade ja_JP.SJIS /tmp/hist
```
- Two new options are available for the `startInitialSync.sh` utility:
 - The `-dumpOnly` option dumps the topology (for troubleshooting purposes).
 - The `-syncOnly` option synchronizes previously dumped topology from the current directory (if not specified otherwise).
- `OPCUIWWW_DISABLE_ONLINE_CONFIG_SYNC`: The behavior of the `DISABLE_NOTIF_ONLY` option is modified. If you set the `OPCUIWWW_DISABLE_ONLINE_CONFIG_SYNC` configuration variable to `DISABLE_NOTIF_ONLY`, a configuration update notification message does not appear in the Java GUI if basic changes (for example, a responsibility matrix change, a node change, a message group change, a tool change, and so on) are done. In this case, synchronization of configuration data is done without the operator being informed about it. However, if advanced changes (for example, a profile change) are done, a configuration update notification message appears informing the operator to reload the configuration so that the changes can take place.
- The following configuration variables are introduced:
 - `OPC_FILTERS_BY_LAYOUT_GRP_LABEL`: If you set this configuration variable to `TRUE`, node filters do not filter messages only by the layout group name, but also by the layout group label.

- `DISABLE_SITESCOPE_NODE_MODIFICATION`: If you set this configuration variable to `FALSE` (the default value), node deletion requests are not checked and therefore all requested deletions are performed. To load a new value, you must restart the Service Discovery server. If you set this configuration variable to `TRUE`, all node deletion requests that are received by the Service Discovery server are checked. When Site Scope sends a node deletion request, node attributes are checked and only nodes with attributes “Machine type = other other” and “Control type = message_allowed” are deleted. If deletion requests come from any other source than SiteScope, all requested nodes are deleted.
- `OPC_SERIALIZE_SERVICE_MODEL`: Used for preventing a core dump under a heavy load. Keep in mind that the performance in case of multiple parallel read requests might be decreased when using this variable. To use it, run the following command:


```
/opt/OV/bin/ovconfchg -ovrg server -ns opc -set OPC_SERIALIZE_SERVICE_MODEL TRUE
```
- `OPC_CSA_LINUX_X64_PLATFORM`: Allows you to set to which agent platform the certificate requests from Linux x64 nodes should be mapped (the default is Intel/AMD x64(HTTPS) -> Linux (MACH_BBC_LX26RPM_X64)).
- The following licensing-related changes are available:
 - The All Nodes and the Selected Node reports now query for the HPOM 9.10 licensing related tables. In addition, the Selected Node report shows the particular licenses required by this node.
 - You can exclude agentless nodes from the Target Connector license check and report if they are already licensed through another HP BTO Software product. For example, you can exclude SNMP devices that are monitored by HPOM through HP Network Node Manager i (NNMi) and are already licensed through NNMi. To configure licensing for agentless nodes, see “Configuring Licensing for Agentless Nodes” on page 13.
 - A new option, `-show`, is available for the `opcrcmsyschk` command. It checks the messages that arrived within the last 24 hours, determines which message nodes have no agent installed, and shows the nodes that potentially require a Target Connector license.

For detailed information about configuration variables, see the *HPOM Server Configuration Variables* document.

Java GUI Patch

The following Java GUI patch is available:

Table 2 **Java GUI Patch 09.10.240**

Patch Name	Management Server Platform		
	HP-UX on HP Integrity	Linux	Solaris
Java GUI 9.10.240	PHSS_43515	OML_00068	ITOSOL_00790

The following changes are available with this patch:

- The Java GUI installation now creates a new `lib` directory in the installation tree. This directory contains the `OvEmbWebBrowser21.dll` and `OvEmbWebBrowser27.dll` libraries. When the Java GUI is started as an application, the `.dll` libraries are loaded from the `lib` directory.

When starting the Java GUI as an applet or by using WebStart, a newly introduced parameter, `dll_path`, enables you to specify where the `.dll` libraries will be extracted and loaded from. For example:

- If the Java GUI is started as an applet:

Standard connection:

```
http://<server>:8081/OvCgi/ito_op_applet_cgi.ovpl?trace=\
true&dll_path=<drive>:\<directory>
```

Secure connection:

```
https://<server>:8444/OvCgi/ito_op_applet_cgi.ovpl?trace=\
true&dll_path=<drive>:\<directory>
```

- If the Java GUI is started by using WebStart:

Standard connection:

```
http://<server>:8081/OvCgi/ito_op_applet_cgi.ovpl?trace=\
true&webstart=true&dll_path=<drive>:\<directory>
```

Secure connection:

```
https://<server>:8444/OvCgi/ito_op_applet_cgi.ovpl?\
webstart=true&trace=true&dll_path=<drive>:\<directory>
```

NOTE If the `dll_path` parameter is not set or if the path is write protected or invalid, the `dll` libraries are extracted to the default location and loaded from it. This default location is as follows:

```
%OSDRIVE%\USERS\\AppData\Local\Temp
```

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- The Export button that you can use for exporting or writing messages to a file without using a printer is now available in the Message Properties window (right-click popup menu from the message browser) and also from the main menu (click **Actions->Messages->Export**). This button has the similar options to a printer. The following is exported by using the Export button:
 - selected message
 - all messages in the browser
 - details about selected messages
 - details about all messages in the browser

IMPORTANT If you have JRE 1.7 installed, use the Export button instead of a printer because printing to FILE: with Generic / Text Only printer produces an empty document.

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- Service Actions are now executed on user selected nodes only if there are no predefined nodes in service .xml file for these actions.
 - Changing labels for Message Browser columns in the Customize Message Browser Columns window now results in changing the corresponding message attributes in the Message Properties window.
 - The `noapp` parameter from the `itoopec` resource file is enhanced.
By using this parameter you can disable both Start and Start Customized... actions. Settings made by using this option override settings made by using the Tailored set of Tools option (which is accessible from Edit->Preferences...->General menu), and they also apply regardless of the number of applications that are assigned to a user.

The `noapp` value is loaded only at the Java GUI startup. The possible values are `true` and `false` (the default is `false`).

When the `noapp` parameter is disabled from the `itooopc` file, the value of Tailored set of Tools is loaded from the `itooopc` file.

HPOM Core Server Patch

The following core server patch is available:

Table 3 HPOM Core Server 09.10.230

Patch Name	Management Server Platform		
	HP-UX on HP Integrity	Linux	Solaris
HPOM Core Server 9.10.230	PHSS_43032	OML_00055	ITOSOL_00777

This patch contains the following packages:

- `HPOvOprE1` (HP Operations Embedded Licensing) 02.12.103
- `HPOvSecCS` (HP Software Certificate Management Server) 11.03.031 and 11.10.035
- `HPOvJxpl` (HP Software Cross Platform Component Java) 11.03.030 and 11.10.035
- `HPOvJsec` (HP Software Security Core Java) 11.03.030 and 11.10.035
- `HPOvJbbc` (HP Software HTTP Communication Java) 11.03.030 and 11.10.035

IMPORTANT This patch only places the packages onto your HPOM server system. Therefore, make sure that you carefully follow the instructions for installing the packages that you can find in the patch text.

CAUTION Although during the patch installation you are asked to install the packages by following the instructions in the `/opt/OV/contrib/OpC/CORE/Readme` file, make sure that you do not follow those instructions, but the ones that you can find in the patch text.

When installing the packages, keep in mind that it is also important which HP Operations agent version you have installed on the management server. Namely, the following packages are installed only if the version of the HP Operations agent is as required:

- The `HPOvSecCS 11.10` and `HPOvJxxx 11.10` packages are installed if the HP Operations agent version installed on the management server is 11.10 or higher.
- The `HPOvSecCS 11.03` and `HPOvJxxx 11.03` packages are installed if the HP Operations agent version installed on the management server is 11.04 or higher, but below 11.10.

Because the version of HPOvSecCS, which is installed by manually running the `install_core_packages.sh` script after the patch is installed, depends on the version of the agent, the installation order is important:

- *Step 1:* Install the HP Operations agent 11.10 (or 11.04, if you still use the 11.0x agent version) locally on the management server.
- *Step 2:* Install the HPOM core server patch, and then run the `install_core_packages.sh` script.

If the HP Operations agent is installed after the patch, the `install_core_packages.sh` script must be rerun after the agent software is deployed to the local node on the management server.

NOTE The HPOvSecCS 11.03 and HP Operations agent 11.04 combination is required if you want to keep the HP Operations agent version 11.0x and autogranting is used.

NOTE With HPOvSecCS 11.10.035, there is an increase in the default RSA key length (from 1024 to 2048 bits). Therefore, a new CA certificate is created with a new key length on the server. However, the existing CA certificates on the server do not get modified. As part of the upgrade, a new CA certificate with the alias `CA_<ovcoreid>_<ASYMMETRIC_KEY_LENGTH>` is added.

It is recommended that you back up your certificates before installing the packages. In a cluster environment, back up the certificates only on the active node.

For example:

```
/opt/OV/bin/OpC/opcsvcertbackup -backup -passwd <password> \  
-file /backup/cert_backup
```

Recreating Certificate Requests on Passive Cluster Nodes

When the updated HP Software core packages are installed, you must recreate certificate requests on passive cluster nodes. To do this, follow these steps:

1. On the active cluster node, start all the processes that are controlled by the OV Control (`ovcd`):

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovc -start
```

2. On the passive cluster node, stop all the processes that are controlled by the OV Control (`ovcd`):

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovc -kill
```

3. Check the value of the `CERT_INSTALLED` variable:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovconfget sec.cm.certificates CERT_INSTALLED
```

4. If the `CERT_INSTALLED` variable is set to `TRUE`, set it to `FALSE`:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovconfchg -ns sec.cm.certificates -set CERT_INSTALLED FALSE
```

5. Start the CORE components:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovc -start CORE
```

6. On the active cluster node/certificate server, check if there is a certificate request from the passive cluster node:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovcm -listpending -l
```

If there is no certificate request, initiate a new certificate request on the passive cluster node:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovcert -certreq
```

7. On the active cluster node/certificate server, grant the selected certificate request:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovcm -grant <RequestID>
```

8. On the passive cluster node, start the COREXT and AGENT components:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovc -start COREXT AGENT
```

HPOM Server Accessories Patch

The following server accessories patch is available:

Table 4 HPOM Server Accessories 09.10.230

Patch Name	Management Server Platform		
	HP-UX on HP Integrity	Linux	Solaris
HPOM Server Accessories 9.10.230	PHSS_43292	OML_00064	ITOSOL_00786

This patch contains the following shared component packages:

- HPOvJREB (HP Software JRE) 01.07.007

NOTE With this patch, a newer JRE version is provided for all platforms except Microsoft Windows platforms, 1.7.0_07. For detailed information, see Table 5 on page 43.

- HPOvTomcatB (HP OpenView TomcatB Servlet Container) 06.00.035
- HPOmWs (HP Operations Manager Web Service) 09.10.059
- HPOprWsInc (HP Operations Manager Incident Web Service) 09.10.060

IMPORTANT This patch only places the packages onto your HPOM server system. Therefore, make sure that you carefully follow the instructions for installing the packages that can be found in the following file:

```
/opt/OV/contrib/OpC/ACCESSORIES/Readme
```

What's New in the HPOM 9.xx Releases

NOTE Changes that are introduced with the latest patches for the HP Operations management server and the Java GUI are not included in this section.

New Features

HPOM 9.xx contains the following new features:

Localization

HPOM 9.10 is localized to Japanese, Korean, Simplified Chinese, and Spanish. For details, see “Local Language Support” on page 71.

Web-based Administration for HPOM

HPOM provides a new web-based Administration UI which replaces the Motif UI. The key benefits of the new web-based Administration UI are:

- Web-based configuration of HPOM.
- Concurrent use by multiple administrators with different access rights.
- Improved navigation and editing of HPOM configuration items.
- Policy (template) versioning and comparison capabilities to quickly identify configuration changes and differences.

You can install the Administration UI on the HPOM system after the server installation is complete. HPOM Administration UI user documentation is available online at the Support web site.

The following enhancements are available:

- The AdminUI allows creation of conditions for the SNMP policy with `SpecificTrapID` in the range of `int32` or `uint32`. If the value is inside the range of `uint32`, it is converted to appropriate `int32`.
- If you specify a non-existing Into directory when editing the database maintenance settings, a message appears stating that the value must be reset together with a marker indicating the field.
- When deploying the service discovery policy with credentials from the HP Operations management server, the `xml` file is created in the `%ovagentdir%\tmp\agtrep` directory.
- The Instance filter mode is now handled correctly when loading policies. The Administration UI performs checks on the `OBJECT` field instead of the `INSTANCERULE` field.
- Message reports based on the `opcmsgsrpt` tool using the `-n` option work in Internet Explorer.
- The `OPC_CHECK_READFILE` variable value is considered during validation. The overall validation issues an error when the following happens:
 - Both the Logfile and Readfile fields are not filled.
 - The Readfile field is filled and the Execute field is not filled.
 - The Readfile field is not filled, while `OPC_CHECK_READFILE` is set to `TRUE` (the default value), and the Execute field is filled.

- Multi-line input in the message policy is supported.
- It is possible to select “On Server Log Only” and “Notification” in the End Actions tab (in “Measurement Threshold Policy”).

For Administration UI known problems and workarounds, see “Administration UI” on page 65.

New Policy Types

HPOM templates are now referred to as policies, and provide new monitoring capabilities:

- The **Windows Management Interface** (WMI) policy type monitors the properties of WMI classes and instances, and responds when a property matches a value you select, or when an instance you select is created.
- The **Nodeinfo** policy type allows you to configure some aspects of agent behavior, for example, buffer sizes, IP addresses, and port numbers for client-server communication.
- The **Service Process Monitoring** policy type monitors services and processes that are running on managed nodes and sends a message when the state of the service or the process changes.
- The **Measurement Threshold** policy type evaluates performance data and responds if the data does not remain within acceptable levels. This policy type is useful if you want to monitor parameters that are constantly changing, such as CPU load, disk space, number of running processes, and so on. You can also use VB Script or Perl to perform your own calculations and decide if the threshold has been crossed.
- The **ConfigFile** policy type is used by Smart Plug-Ins (SPIs) such as SAP or Microsoft Exchange to configure instrumentation after SPIs are deployed on nodes.
- The **Windows Event Log** policy type allows access to several event log sources.

Policy Versioning

HPOM 8.xx templates are automatically converted into *policies* when uploaded to HPOM 9.xx. Policies serve the same purpose as templates, but policies are versioned. You can assign specific versions of a policy to managed nodes, node groups, or policy groups. You can also rollback to a specific version of a policy, and assign policies by using the following modes: `FIX`, `LATEST`, and `MINOR_TO_LATEST`.

Category-Based Instrumentation Distribution

You can associate instrumentation with policies by using *categories*. This association ensures that the management server automatically deploys instrumentation required by a policy when it deploys that policy. Categories increase your control over which instrumentation is distributed, and to which managed nodes, thus reducing the amount of instrumentation that needs to be distributed.

Category-based instrumentation enhances and replaces the selective distribution concept, which is still available for backward compatibility. Plan your upgrade to category-based instrumentation, because selective distribution will be deprecated.

Policy and Instrumentation Compatibility

Policies, policy groups, and instrumentation developed for HPOM on UNIX and HPOM on Linux are compatible with HPOM on Windows, and vice versa.

Subagent Management

This version of HPOM introduces a new type of subagent registration based on policy management features. Subagent assignment is managed by assigning subagent policies. Different versions of subagents have different versions of the corresponding subagent policies. This allows you to see which subagent is assigned to a managed node.

The subagent policies are not meant to be edited and are provided by a subagent supplier. Assigning such a policy to a node and deploying it using new options of the `opcragt` command installs the corresponding subagent on the node. The actual subagent policy is not deployed to the managed node and is not visible in the `opctemplate/ovpolicy` output.

Custom Service Auto-Discovery and Topology Synchronization

You can now create new service auto-discovery policies to discover services in your environment and automatically populate your service hierarchy. The services that you discover can belong to any existing service type, including any new service types that you decide to configure. In an environment with multiple HP Operations management servers, you can also automatically exchange node and service configurations between management servers by configuring topology synchronization.

For detailed information, see the *Custom Service Auto-Discovery and Topology Synchronization Guide*, which is available for download from the following location:

<http://support.openview.hp.com/selfsolve/manuals>

Online Configuration Synchronization

This release of HPOM introduces automatic synchronization of configuration data between the HPOM management server and the Java GUI without forcing the operator to log on again to make the changes effective. Synchronization can involve changes to nodes, applications, policies, groups, user profiles, and so on. The configuration data uploaded by using `opccfgupld` does not require server restart.

It is also possible to completely disable the online Java GUI synchronization by setting the `OPCUIWWW_DISABLE_ONLINE_CONFIG_SYNC` configuration variable to `TRUE`:

```
ovconfchg -ovrg server -ns opc -set OPCUIWWW_DISABLE_ONLINE_CONFIG_SYNC TRUE
```

NOTE If this variable is set to `TRUE`, the operator does not receive notifications about configuration changes. Therefore, the administrator must inform operators about major configuration changes, so that operators use the `Reload Configuration` option to get the current configuration.

Disabling the online Java GUI synchronization has an effect only on configuration changes and does not affect the Service Load on Demand functionality.

High Availability (HA) Manager

HA Manager is a light-weight solution that allows the configuration of an automatic failover of the virtual IP address in a server pooling setup in a similar way as in a regular failover cluster.

The HA Manager feature enables you to do the following:

- Switch an IP address from one node to another node within a server pooling environment. In this case, no hardware cluster is needed and HP Operations agents and HPOM GUIs can communicate using that high availability virtual IP address.

For details, see the *HP Operations High Availability Through Server Pooling* document.

- Control other resources besides virtual IP addresses and make them high available.

For detailed information about the HA Manager feature, see the *High Availability Manager* white paper.

Auditing

Auditing is redesigned to provide centralized event logging, four audit levels, and individual event logging configuration. Note that the audit information is no longer stored in a database, so old audit entries are lost when upgrading to HPOM 9.xx. The individual audit area variables are managed by `opcsrvconfig(1m)` and `ovconfchg(1m)`.

Unicode (UTF-8) support

This version of HPOM 9.xx introduces Unicode support. Both the Oracle database and the management server work exclusively with the UTF-8 character set, which provides multilingual support.

Remote Database Platform Independence

The HPOM remote database is platform independent. For details, see the *HPOM Installation Guide for the Management Server*.

RAC Support

Oracle Real Application Clusters (RAC) represents a scalable and manageable solution for sharing access to a single database among many or several nodes in a high availability cluster environment.

This shared access makes possible that, even during a system fault on one of the nodes, data can be accessed from any one of the remaining nodes. Work on the failed node is recovered automatically without administrator intervention and without data loss.

Oracle RAC is an Oracle Corporation exclusive technology that enables building large systems from commodity components and is the foundation for Enterprise GRID computing.

The Oracle Database server can be installed and used with HPOM on any platform supported by the HP Operations management server. HPOM online backup and restore are supported in RAC environment.

Licensing

License management is redesigned to allow other product components to easily and flexibly integrate with HPOM. A license reporting tool, OM License Reporter (`omlicreporter`), is introduced to enable checking status and availability of the HPOM licenses as well as generating HTML license reports.

In cluster environments the licenses can be installed on the shared disk. Only one license is required for a HA cluster, which is different from previous releases, when multiple licenses were required. The Administration UI does not run without a valid server license.

Configuring Licensing for Agentless Nodes To configure licensing for agentless nodes, follow these steps:

1. Generate a list of agentless nodes for the target connector license filter as follows:
 - a. Open a command prompt and type the following:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovconfchg -ovrg server -ns tclfilter -set dumpfile \  
/var/opt/OV/share/tmp/OpC/mgmt_sv/dumpfile.txt
```
 - b. Wait for the next license check. License checks are executed daily.
 - c. Open `dumpfile.txt` and identify the nodes that you want to exclude from the target connector license check. Note down their IP addresses or hostnames.

2. Configure a filter that excludes agentless nodes by IP addresses or hostnames, as follows:

- a. In a command prompt, type the following:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovconfchg -ovrg server -ns tclfilter -set hostnamefilter <filter>
```

In this instance, *<filter>* is a string that contains patterns of hostnames or IP addresses. For example, the pattern `^192.10.<*>.<*>|<*>.example.com$` excludes all nodes with IP addresses starting with 192.10. or with hostnames ending in example.com.

- b. Specify a file with patterns to be excluded by typing the following:

```
ovconfchg -ns tclfilter -set filterfile <filterfile>
```

NOTE Each line is treated as a pattern. Lines that start with “#” are treated as comments and are ignored.

- c. Wait for the next license check to regenerate the list of nodes in `dumpfile.txt`.
- d. Open `dumpfile.txt`. Nodes prefixed with `FILTERED` are excluded from the target connector license check, while nodes prefixed with `NOT FILTERED` are included in the check.

NOTE Set `dumpfile.txt` so that the configured filter will work.

Deploying SiteScope Configuration with HPOM

The combined functionality of SiteScope and HPOM provides an effective and in-depth monitoring solution that enables you to manage SiteScope templates with HPOM. To fully utilize and benefit from all the advantages of proactive monitoring, you can operate with unified policy concepts between HPOM and SiteScope, which means that SiteScope templates and monitors can be configured through the HPOM policy assignment and deployment.

For detailed information, see the *Deploying SiteScope Configuration with HPOM* document that you can download from the following web site:

<http://support.openview.hp.com/selfsolve/manuals>

HPOM Web Services

HPOM Web Services enable you to develop remote clients that access HP Operations management servers using industry-standard terminology and technical standards, instead of product-specific interfaces. HPOM provides the Incident Web Service and the Tool Web Service. The Incident Web Service enables clients to access HPOM messages. The Tool Web Service enables clients to execute tools from an HP Operations management server.

Cockpit Views

The HPOM cockpit view is a web-based interface that displays the state of the environment monitored by HPOM. Cockpit views help users to quickly assess the health and readiness of the environment to support the business.

The cockpit views consist of an indicator panel and the message browser. The indicator panel displays one or more message filter groups, the message browser displays messages for each filter.

ZFS File System Support

HPOM can be installed on one or more Solaris ZFS file systems. Veritas Cluster Server versions 5.0 and 5.1 as well as Sun Cluster versions 3.2 and 3.3 are supported on the ZFS file systems.

A ZFS file system is created in a ZFS pool and is automatically mounted when created.

For more information about ZFS, see <http://www.sun.com>.

Solaris Zones Support

HPOM can be installed on Solaris global and non-global zones. A global zone is created when you install the Solaris operating system. Zones hosted by a global zone are known as non-global zones. There are two types of non-global zones: Sparse Zones and Whole Root Zones. HPOM 9.xx supports only Whole Root Zones.

Remote Database Support in a Solaris Non-Global Zone

The following remote database scenarios in which the Oracle server is installed in a Solaris full-root non-global zone, either on the same machine as the HP Operations management server or a different one, are supported:

- HPOM and Oracle on different machines, with Oracle in a non-global zone
- HPOM and Oracle on the same machine, both in non-global zones
- HPOM and Oracle on the same machine, HPOM in a global zone, Oracle in a non-global zone

NOTE	This environment has some limitations because the HP Operations server in the global zone can detect the processes that run in non-global zones. Because of that there cannot be any other HP Operations management server or agents running in the non-global zones.
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- HPOM on a cluster node in global zones, Oracle on a cluster node in a non-global zone

Logical Domains Support

HPOM can be installed on Solaris Logical Domains (LDom)s. ZFS file systems within LDom)s are also supported.

Secure SSL Connection

To improve security in your environment, a secure SSL connection can be used to connect to the HPOM web pages. Port 8444 is used for the secure connection. For example, https://<management_server>:8444/ITO_DOC

Cluster Support

HPOM 9.xx supports HP Operations management server installation in the following cluster environments:

- Sun Cluster 3.2 or 3.3
- Veritas Cluster Server 5.0 or 5.1

IPv6 Support

You can use the following Internet Protocol version 6 (IPv6) functionalities with HP Operations management server 9.10.200 or higher and HP Operations agent 11.00.044 or higher:

- adding, deleting, and modifying IPv6 nodes
- adding and deleting external nodes that match IPv6 addresses
- adding and processing messages for IPv6 nodes by using the server MSI
- message forwarding of IPv6 node messages (all participating management servers must have version 9.10.200 or higher and the `OPC_IPV6_ACTIVE` configuration variable set to `TRUE`)
- IPv6 SNMP traps and remote MIB monitoring
- remote WMI monitoring for IPv6 nodes
- NNMi to HPOM on UNIX SNMP IPv6 trap integration

In general, it is preferable to work with node names rather than with IPv6 addresses because they are easier to use (for example, when filtering messages and when using host information in policies such as specifying a remote MIB monitoring target).

NOTE The HP Operations management server and the HP Operations agent can run only on nodes that have an IPv4 address. To deal with IPv6, the HP Operations agent must run on a dual-stack node (a network node that supports both IPv4 and IPv6). From such a dual-stack system, pure IPv6 nodes can be remotely monitored.

The required Administration UI version is 9.10.

The following functionalities are not supported:

- installing the HP Operations agent on a node where only an IPv6 address is set up
- performing heartbeat polling for IPv6 nodes
- deploying data to or reading data from IPv6 nodes by using the `ovdeploy` command line interface
- executing actions on IPv6 nodes

To enable the IPv6 support on the management server, set the `OPC_IPV6_ACTIVE` configuration variable to `TRUE`:

```
ovconfchg -ovrg server -ns opc -set OPC_IPV6_ACTIVE TRUE
```

New CLIs

HPOM 9.xx includes the following new command line interfaces:

BBCTrustServer.sh	opcappl	opcpolicy
mib2policy	opcinstrumcfg	opcsrvconfig
omlicreporter	opcmsggrp	opcunack
opcactdwn	opcpoltype	ovolicence
opcactupl		

For more information, see the corresponding manual pages.

New Variables

In addition to variables introduced to support auditing, the following configuration variables are introduced:

OPC_ACK_DUPLS_IF_NORMAL_MSG	OPC_MSGKEY_MODIFY_TEXT
OPC_ALLOW_DUPLICATE_IP	OPC_NAMESRV_EXPIRE_MODE
OPC_ALWAYS_KEEP_CURRENT_POLICY_STATUS	OPC_NAMESRV_TTL
OPC_CFGDWN_OMIT_VIRTUAL_GROUP_DOWNLOAD	OPC_NO_ACK_VIA_CORR_IF_OWNED
OPC_CFGUPLD_BLOCK_RETRY	OPC_OVHARG_START_LOCAL_AGENT
OPC_CSA_ALLOW_IP_MISMATCH	OPC_PING_SIZE
OPC_CSA_USE_OS_BITS ^a	OPC_REJECT_CMA_DELETIONS
OPC_CFGUPLD_ONLINE_SVC_UPDATE	OPC_SOURCE_FORW_NOTIF_TO_TT
OPC_DEPLOY_IF_CALLBACK_FAILS	OPC_SUPPRESS_IF_NO_CORRELATION
OPC_DIST_OMIT_ERROR_AGT_NOT_INST	OPC_SUPPRESS_IF_NO_CORRELATION_MSGAPPLICATION
OPC_DONT_EMPTY_NS_CACHE	OPC_SUPPRESS_IF_NO_CORRELATION_MSGGROUP
OPC_DONT_LOG_REUSED_COREIDS	OPC_SUPPRESS_IF_NO_CORRELATION_MSGOBJECT
OPC_EMPTY_NS_CACHE	OPC_TRUNC_MSG
OPC_ENABLE_FWDCHAIN_FWDSENDER_CMA	OPC_XPL_SQL_TRACE
OPC_FORWARD_READONLY_MSGS	OPCRAGT_OMIT_ERROR_AGT_NOT_INST
OPC_HBP_DOUBLE_CHECK_DELAY	OPCUIWWW_KILL_APP
OPC_HBP_DOUBLE_CHECK_DELAY_BUFFER	OPCUIWWW_KILL_APP_TIMEOUT
OPC_HBP_DOUBLE_CHECK_DELAY_UNREACHABLE	
OPC_HBP_DOUBLE_CHECK_RETRIES	
OPC_IPV6_ACTIVE	
OPC_JGUI_VER_DOWNLOAD_URL	
OPC_KILL_OPCUIWWW	
OPC_LOGONLY_OUTAGE_SKIP_MSI	
OPC_MGMTSV_IPADDR_ON_LOAD_BALANCER	
OPC_MGMTSV_NAME_ON_LOAD_BALANCER	
OPC_MSG_BULK_INSERT_RATE	

- a. When using this feature, make sure that you use the HP Operations agent version 11.04 or higher on the management server and the managed node. In addition, it is also required to have version 11.03.031 or higher of the HPOvSecCS package on the management server. Otherwise, the process aborts.

For more information on the server configuration variables, see the *HPOM Server Configuration Variables* manual.

For the information on the audit-related variables, see the *HPOM Administrator's Reference*.

New APIs

For information about the following new APIs, see the API manual pages.

<code>opc_distrib_highprio()</code>	<code>opcnodegrp_get_policy_groups()</code>	<code>opcpolicybody_modify_by_name()</code>
<code>opcapi_crypt_string()</code>	<code>cpolicy_assign_categories()</code>	<code>opcpolicygrp_get()</code>
<code>opcapi_namesrv_free_hostent()</code>	<code>opcpolicy_assignment_mode_set()</code>	<code>opcpolicygrp_add()</code>
<code>opcapi_namesrv_gethost()</code>	<code>opcpolicy_copy()</code>	<code>opcpolicygrp_create()</code>
<code>opcinstrum_get_categories()</code>	<code>opcpolicy_copy_assignments()</code>	<code>opcpolicygrp_modify()</code>
<code>opcinstrum_get_category()</code>	<code>opcpolicy_deassign_categories()</code>	<code>opcpolicygrp_delete()</code>
<code>opcinstrum_add_categories()</code>	<code>opcpolicy_delete()</code>	<code>opcpolicygrp_copy()</code>
<code>opcinstrum_del_categories()</code>	<code>opcpolicy_edit()</code>	<code>opcpolicygrp_get_list()</code>
<code>opcinstrum_modify_categories()</code>	<code>opcpolicy_edit_body()</code>	<code>opcpolicygrp_get_data()</code>
<code>opcnode_assign_policy_groups()</code>	<code>opcpolicy_get()</code>	<code>opcpolicygrp_assign_policies()</code>
<code>opcnode_deassign_policy_groups()</code>	<code>opcpolicy_get_categories()</code>	<code>opcpolicygrp_deassign_policies()</code>
<code>opcnode_get_policy_groups()</code>	<code>opcpolicy_get_data()</code>	<code>opcpolicygrp_list_assignments()</code>
<code>opcnode_assign_policies()</code>	<code>opcpolicy_get_list()</code>	<code>opcpolicytype_add()</code>
<code>opcnode_deassign_policies()</code>	<code>opcpolicy_get_list_by_type()</code>	<code>opcpolicytype_add_from_xml()</code>
<code>opcnode_get_policies()</code>	<code>opcpolicy_header_create()</code>	<code>opcpolicytype_get()</code>
<code>opcnode_assign_categories()</code>	<code>opcpolicy_list_assignments()</code>	<code>opcpolicytype_get_template()</code>
<code>opcnode_deassign_categories()</code>	<code>opcpolicy_list_resolved_assignments()</code>	<code>opcpolicytype_modify()</code>
<code>opcnode_get_categories()</code>	<code>opcpolicy_modify()</code>	<code>opcpolicytype_delete()</code>
<code>opcnodegrp_assign_policies()</code>	<code>opcpolicy_update_assignments()</code>	<code>opcpolicytype_write_xml()</code>
<code>opcnodegrp_deassign_policies()</code>	<code>opcpolicybody_get()</code>	<code>opcpolicytype_get_name_by_uuid()</code>
<code>opcnodegrp_get_policies()</code>	<code>opcpolicybody_modify()</code>	<code>opcpolicytype_get_uuid_by_name()</code>
<code>opcnodegrp_assign_policy_groups()</code>		<code>opcpolicy_add()</code>
<code>opcnodegrp_deassign_policy_groups()</code>		

Feature Enhancements

The following enhancements are introduced:

Enhanced Java GUI

For a complete description of the Java GUI functionality, read the *HPOM Java GUI Operator's Guide*. The following is a summary of the enhanced Java GUI features:

- Service Enhancements

A Service Map Table view is now available in addition to the Graph and Custom views. This view is similar to the message browser, listing services and their properties in a table. Service Map Table View is available for service submaps and custom maps, but not for service graphs.

- Message Enhancements

The following enhancements are introduced with the current release:

- When performing exporting, dragging or printing messages from a message filter browser, the messages are sorted in the same way as they were in the message filter browser.
- When using relative time filtering with enabled relative time recalculation, message browser is refreshed with new messages and does not display the messages that become too old to satisfy the filter criteria. This behavior can be enabled by the administrator using the `OPCUIWWW_FILTER_RELATIVE_TIME_RECALC` server parameter.

- Java GUI Window Enhancements
 - A new option, `Stay On Top`, is added to the Preferences dialog. This option enables the Java GUI windows (main and detached) to stay on top of other windows. A `stay_on_top` parameter is introduced in `itooopc`, its default value is `no`.
 - Frequently used tools are displayed above the separator line in the pop-up menu for starting tools, so they can be easily accessed.
 - You can now prevent a hyperlink from appearing in the pop-up dialog when Java GUI version controlling is used. To do this, set the `OPC_JGUI_VER_DOWNLOAD_URL` configuration variable to `NONE`.
- Miscellaneous
 - Java GUI filtering now supports CMAs with HPOM style pattern matching.
 - HPOM Java GUI can be launched with WebStart. A link for the WebStart launch of Java GUI is added to the HPOM home page: http://<server_name>:8081/ITO_OP/.
 - The Java GUI functionality is extended to support HTTPS and FTP hyperlinks in messages.
 - For Java GUI clients connected in HTTPS mode, the `listguis` tool shows the following information: hostname (fully qualified domain name), IP address, connection type (`https` vs. `socket`), connection port (for example, 2531 for socket communication).

The output of `listguis` shows the master (m), client (c), and client tool (ct) `opcuiwww` processes.

In the Java GUI Login dialog box, you can choose between the `https` and `socket` connection type (the `socket` connection type, which is the default, is automatically selected).
 - Some terminology is changed to be aligned with HPOM on Windows. For example, Applications are now called Tools.
 - A new configuration variable, `OPC_JGUI_CUSTOM_LINK_PROTOCOLS`, is introduced to allow defining the custom URL protocols. Multiple protocols should be separated with `'` or `!`. For example:

```
ovconfchg -ovrg server -ns opc -set OPC_JGUI_CUSTOM_LINK_PROTOCOLS file,exp2
```
 - HTTPS protocol is now supported for the Global Settings functionality.
 - It is possible to disable the frequently used tools feature by setting the value to 0 in the Preferences dialog box or the `number_of_frequently_used_tools` parameter in `itooopc`.

You can also use the `OPC_JGUI_TOOLS_FREQUENCY_ENABLED` configuration variable to enable or disable the frequently used tools feature. If you want to enable this feature, set the configuration variable to `TRUE`. If you want to disable this feature, set the configuration variable to `FALSE`.
 - The following new parameter is introduced: `select_only_managed_nodes`.

If the `select_only_managed_nodes` parameter is enabled (that is, its value is set to `on`, `true`, or `yes`), only the regular node or nodes are selected (if no regular nodes are found, the external node or nodes are selected). If the `select_only_managed_nodes` parameter is disabled (that is, its value is set to `off`, `false`, or `no`) or if it is omitted (that is, it is not set), all nodes are selected.
 - When a new user logs on to the Java GUI, the other users are not affected anymore.

The itooopc File Enhancements The following new parameters are introduced in the `itooopc` resource file:

`chg_source_to_source_pol`: If this parameter is enabled, you can change the name of the Source column in the message browser to Source Policy. The format of the `chg_source_to_source_pol` parameter is as follows: `yes|no` (the default value is `no`).

NOTE Because of performance reasons, the Source column cannot display the condition parameter for all messages in the message browser.

`export_all_windows_msgs`: If this parameter is enabled, you can export all selected messages from all open message browsers to a file. The format of the `export_all_windows_msgs` parameter is as follows: yes|no (the default value is no).

`show_operator_as_services_root`: If this parameter is enabled, the Services root node in the service graph is no longer named Services, but after the operator to whom the service was assigned.

IMPORTANT The `show_operator_as_services_root` parameter works only if the service configuration file contains the operator name inside the `<Operator>` tag. If the service configuration file does not contain the operator name inside the `<Operator>` tag, the Java GUI does not replace the Services root node with the operator name.

For more information about the service configuration file syntax, see the HPOM Administrator's Reference.

Setting the Severity Labels To set the severity labels according to your preferences, you can use the following server configuration variables:

- `OPC_JGUI_SEV_EN`
- `OPC_JGUI_SEV_ES`
- `OPC_JGUI_SEV_KO`
- `OPC_JGUI_SEV_CN`
- `OPC_JGUI_SEV_JA`

Each of these server configuration variables corresponds to one of the supported locales and is loaded when the locale is selected. The server configuration variable must have a value that consists of six severity labels separated by commas and listed in the following order: UNKNOWN, NORMAL, WARNING, MAJOR, and CRITICAL. For example:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovconfchg -ovrg server -ns opc -set OPC_JGUI_SEV_EN \  
this,is,new,custom,severity,label
```

If you do not want to change one or more severity labels, use the ? character instead of a severity label. For example:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovconfchg -ovrg server -ns opc -set OPC_JGUI_SEV_EN \  
this,is,?,custom,severity,?
```

If you want one or more severity labels to contain white spaces, the whole server configuration variable must be within straight quotation marks. For example:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovconfchg -ovrg server -ns opc -set OPC_JGUI_SEV_EN \  
"unknown,normal,custom warning,my minor,major,critical"
```

If the ? character is used within the quoted server configuration variable value, the default severity label is loaded for the corresponding severity. For example:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovconfchg -ovrg server -ns opc -set OPC_JGUI_SEV_EN \  
"unknown,normal,?,my minor,major,critical"
```

NOTE If the value of the server configuration variable has fewer or more than six labels, the value is ignored and the default severity labels are loaded.

Enhanced Message Forwarding in Flexible Management Environment

Message forwarding in flexible management environment is enhanced as follows:

- Server-to-server message forwarding between HPOM8.xx and HPOM 9.xx using the HTTPS protocol is supported.
- When no keyword (MSGCONTROLLINGMGR | NOTIFYMGR) is set with HPOM 9.xx, MSGCONTROLLINGMGR (normal messages) is assumed. With HPOM 8.xx, if no keyword was provided, the read-only messages were displayed by default (NOTIFYMGR was assumed).
- It is no longer required to restart the management server to read a modified msgforw file. It is however necessary to run the ovconfchg command (without options) to read a modified configuration.
- Enabled filtering based on CMAs. CMA value can contain an expression for the pattern matching.

Syntax: CMA NAME "<name>" VALUE "<pattern>"

NOTE CMA names can be used with an “|” (OR) operator.

Example of accepting all messages which have CMA cma1 or cma2 set:

```
CMA NAME "cma1|cma2" VALUE "<*>"
```

Construct patterns like in policy conditions.

- In addition to already existing filters, it is possible to filter by CMA, ownership and last_time_received. These filters are only available on the command line (not in the interactive mode). The ownership filter allows filtering for ownership of messages. Possible values are ME, OTHER, and UNOWNED. The last_time_from and last_time_to filters use the same format as time_from and time_to. However, they use the last_time_received field of a message for filtering.

The CMA filter allows filtering for one or more CMAs. Make sure that you prefix the CMA name with CMA: and use the notation CMA:<CMA-name>=<value>. If multiple CMA filters are specified, all of them must match.

- Nodes can be filtered with patterns:

Construct patterns like for external nodes. Any one of the patterns specified in one line will match.

```
Syntax: NODEPATTERN <pattern_type> "<pattern>" [ <pattern_type> "<pattern>" [ ... ] ]
```

In this instance, <pattern_type> can be either IPPATTERN or NAMEPATTERN.

Example of matching all nodes, which IP address is 192.168.*.*:

```
NODEPATTERN IPPATTERN "192.168.<*>.<*>"
```

Example of matching the nodes, which hostname is *.hp.com:

```
NODEPATTERN NAMEPATTERN "<*>.hp.com"
```

- Enabled filtering on node groups:

```
Syntax: NODE NODEGROUP "<node_group>" [ NODEGROUP "<node_group>" [ ... ] ]
```

- The `/opt/OV/contrib/OpC/mom/addmsgforwmgr.sh` utility is now available for adding a manager to the `msgforw` file.

Integrating a New Management Server into an Existing Flexible Management Environment

Synchronizing messages in a flexible management environment when a new management server is to be added is enhanced by introducing the `opcactdown` and `opcactupl` command line interfaces for downloading and uploading active messages. With the `-target_mgmtsv` option that is available with `opcactdown`, the active messages in the database are prepared to be handled as “forwarded” messages. This means that later message operations such as adding annotations, acknowledging, and owning are synchronized.

To integrate a new management server into an existing flexible management environment, follow these steps:

1. Install the new management server and upload configuration data.
2. Stop the HP Operations management server processes on the new management server.
3. Clear the active messages on the new management server by running the following command:

```
/opt/OV/bin/OpC/opcdbinst -act
```

4. Prepare or update the `msgforw` file for the old and new management servers (for example, add the new management server to the old management server's `msgforw` file).
5. Activate the message forwarding modification on the old management server or servers by using `ovconfchg`. New incoming messages and message operations are buffered for the new management server on the old management server or servers.
6. Copy the `msgforw` file to the new management server.
7. Download the active messages by running the following command on the old management servers:

```
opcactdown -file <act_msgs> -target_mgmtsv <new_server>
```

By doing this, existing messages are prepared for later message operations such as adding annotations, acknowledging, and owning so that they can be synchronized from each old management server to the new management server.

8. Copy the active message download files from one of the old management servers (whichever you choose) to the new management server.
 9. Upload the active messages on the new management server by running the following command:
- ```
opcactupl <act_msgs_file>
```
10. Start the HP Operations processes on the new management server by running the following command:

```
ovc -start
```

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**NOTE** The same procedure can be used later on to synchronize management servers if they are out of synchronization (for example, if queue files or the SnF forwarding buffer on the target management server had to be cleared).

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## Enhanced HPOM Backup and Restore

HPOM backup and restore are enhanced. New backup scripts `opcbbackup_online` and `opcbbackup_offline` and restore scripts `opcrestore_online` and `opcrestore_offline`, which are based on the Oracle Recovery Manager (RMAN), are introduced.

The `opcbbackup_online` and the `opcrestore_online` tools support the local and remote database installation. The `opcrestore_offline` and `opcrestore_online` scripts can automatically restore backed up data of a local database without user intervention even if control files or the complete database are missing. The support for using `opcbbackup_online` and `opcbbackup_offline` with a remote database is enhanced.

## Enhanced CLIs

The following command line interfaces are enhanced:

- `opcack`
- `opcagtdbcfg`
- `opcappl`
- `opccfgupld`
- `opccfguser`
- `opccmachg`
- `opccsa`
- `opcdelmsg`
- `opchbp`
- `opchistdown`
- `opclaygrp`
- `opcnode`
- `opcpolicy`
- `opcragt`
- `opcsrvconfig`
- `opctempl`

For details about command line interface changes and enhancements, see the corresponding manual pages.

## Enhanced APIs

New functions in APIs are the following:

- The `opcdata_set_*` API was enhanced to allow setting the CMAs in the message filter data structure. The message keys filtering is not enabled yet.
- The `opctemplfile_*` and `opctempl_*` APIs are adapted to be backward compatible. It is now possible to add the HPOM 8.xx templates (for example, for the NNMI integration) by using the `opctempl -add` command.
- Configuration Stream Interface (CSI) is an extension of the Message Stream Interface (MSI) for synchronizing the configuration changes. CSI provides registration for the configuration changes to the internal (server processes, Java GUI) and external (API clients) configuration consumers. It can be used within the `opcif_open()` API. New interface types include:

`OPCSVIF_CFG_CHG_EVENTS` enables registration for all configuration changes.

`OPCSVIF_CFG_CHG_EVENTS_GUI` used with Java GUI to enable registration of events related to a specific operator.

- `OPCDATA_CSI_STRING` (int) is added to the `opconn_get_capability()` and `opconn_set_capability()` APIs. It returns the name of the client that opened a CSI with the `opcif_open()` call, and is used to prevent this client from getting back its own configuration changes.
- `opcsync_inform_server()` is enhanced to inform the server and GUI processes of new configuration changes. The HPOM server and GUIs are kept up-to-date each time a change is performed.
- The `opcmsg_get_instructions()` C API function, which is used by the HP Operations Manager i (OMi) and HPOM web services, resolves the instruction interface text by running the specified action.

To avoid that the API hangs, a timeout of 120 seconds is set. You can adjust the timeout period by using the `OPC_API_INSTRIF_TIMEOUT` server configuration variable.

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**NOTE** If you do not want to accept this default behavior, you can configure the API not to resolve the instruction interface text. To do this, set the `OPC_API_NO_INSTR_IF` server configuration variable to `TRUE`.

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## Other Enhancements

Other enhancements with this release are the following:

- The Hotfix deployment tool is now installed with the product. Hotfix Deployment tool supports hotfixes for Lcore, CODA and EA AGENT binaries. Because the tool uses the `sp` option of `ovdeploy`, the `ovdeploy` version should be 06.20.052 or higher on the management server and on the managed node.
- HPOM is enhanced to enable importing of the SNMP trap policies from the third-party tools, such as `mib2policy`.
- When migrating from HPOM 8.xx and uploading HPOM 8.xx configuration by using the `opccfgupld` command, the DCE nodes are added as `ip/other/other`. This allows forwarding HPOM 8.xx messages.
- To synchronize the HPOM node bank with the HP Performance Manager node list, the following new script is available:  

```
/opt/OV/contrib/OpC/OVPM/ovpm_import_nodes.pl
```
- The `ovdbstat` contributed tool is provided in the `/opt/OV/contrib/OpC/ovdbstat.tar` package. The package contains a `readme` file, an example output, and required scripts.
- The `ovupgrade_9.0x` script is enhanced to redeploy default policy types so that the `server_and_or_agent` field is recreated in the `opc_policy_type` table.

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**NOTE** During the upgrade procedure, when the `ovupgrade_9.0x` script asks to manually install available server patches, you must install HPOM 9.10.200 management server patch. The `ovupgrade_9.0x` script then automatically reuploads default policy types and recreates the `server_and_or_agent` field in the `opc_policy_type` table.

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If the patch is installed after the upgrade procedure is finished, you must run the following command to redeploy default policy types and recreate the `server_and_or_agent` field in the `opc_policy_type` table:

```
/opt/OV/contrib/OpC/reupload_policy_types.sh
```

- HPOM now supports Network Address Translation (NAT) for message forwarding between HP Operations management servers in a flexible management environment.
- The `sel_nodes` report is enhanced to reflect when the SSH installation method is used.
- The `itochecker` tests can now be skipped on the passive cluster node by adding the `p` option to other options (for example, `itochecker -12345p`).
- The service engine now transforms and sends detailed configuration change events for services and service associations to Service Discovery (needed for DMOM).
- The outage template syntax is enhanced so that it contains a new keyword, `DELAY`, which is used to delay matching messages for a given number of minutes.
- Setting custom message attributes based on different message conditions (for example, a node name, an IP address, a message text, severity, and so on) is introduced. A new configuration file, `msgmodify`, is introduced. This file allows message matching based on various attributes.
- The `itochecker` tool can be used with a remote database.
- It is now possible to assign an instrumentation category to a policy group, not only to a policy.
- Operators are now able to acknowledge and unacknowledge, as well as own and disown messages when nodes are disabled.



- When a PAM authentication is enabled (OPC\_USE\_PAM\_AUTH variable is set to TRUE) on the server, node hierarchy is assigned to a newly created user.
- When installing bootstrap HP Operations agent 11.00 on a remote node, agent patch software is also installed along with base agent version software.
- Transferring overlay files during the registration of a new platform of the HP Operations agent patch is supported.
- The `-debug` option is added to the `/opt/OV/bin/OpC/utils/opc_chk_node_res.pl` script. By using this option, you can check how long it takes to run the `gethostbyname` command.
- The failover of the Java GUIs and the managed nodes in a server pooling environment is enhanced as follows:
  - `disable_java_gui` and `enable_java_gui` can be used in the HARG start and stop scripts within the HA Manager server pooling setup. To switch the Java GUIs by using the virtual IP, create the following symbolic links:
 

```
ln -s /opt/OV/bin/OpC/utils/disable_java_gui \
 /var/opt/OV/hacluster/hpom-server/K050_disable_java_gui

ln -s /opt/OV/bin/OpC/utils/enable_java_gui \
 /var/opt/OV/hacluster/hpom-server/S700_enable_java_gui
```
- The following two new options can now be used with the `opchamgr` tool: `-daemon` (used for monitoring and starting the HA Manager) and `-daemon_running` (used for the daemon itself).
- The autogranting contrib tools are added to `/opt/OV/contrib/OpC/autogranting`.

## Changes

HPOM contains these changes compared with HPOM 8.3x.

### Installation of HPOM Management Server

New installation and configuration scripts, `ovinstall` and `ovoconfigure`, ensure fast and simple installation and configuration. The installation process now separates the software installation from the software configuration tasks, and break and re-entry points are available for easy customization and improved troubleshooting.

For detailed information about the prerequisites which must be met before installing and configuring HPOM, and the procedures themselves, refer to the *HPOM Installation Guide for the Management Server*.

### Configuration Settings on the HPOM Management Server

The table below shows how configuration variables default values are changed with the HPOM 9.xx release in comparison with the 8.xx release. Note that these settings are not visible when using `ovconfget -ovrg server` if the default has not been changed or explicitly set.

| Variable               | HPOM 8.xx Default | HPOM 9.xx Default |
|------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| OPC_HTTPS_MSG_FORWARD  | FALSE             | TRUE              |
| OPC_NAMESRV_CACHE_SIZE | 100               | 5000              |
| OPC_NAMESRV_RETRIES    | 3                 | 1                 |
| OPC_NAMESRV_MAX_TIME   | unset             | 200               |

| Variable                                   | HPOM 8.xx Default | HPOM 9.xx Default |
|--------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| OPC_USE_LOWERCASE                          | FALSE             | TRUE              |
| OPCUIWWW_BULK_MODE                         | FALSE             | TRUE              |
| OPCUIWWW_NEW_MSG_NO_DB                     | FALSE             | TRUE              |
| OPC_JGUI_WEBBRW_APPL_RESULT                | FALSE             | TRUE              |
| OPC_UPDATE_DUPLICATED_SEVERITY             | NONE              | LAST_MESSAGE      |
| OPC_UPDATE_DUPLICATED_MSGTEXT              | NONE              | LAST_MESSAGE      |
| OPC_OPCCFGDWN_ALL_INCLUDE_SELDIST_SERVICES | FALSE             | TRUE              |
| OPCRAGT_USE_THREADS                        | FALSE             | TRUE              |
| OPC_FORWM_MAX_BULK_SIZE                    | 0                 | 100               |
| OPC_TTNS_TIMEOUT                           | 0                 | 300               |
| OPC_MSG_BULK_INSERT_RATE                   | not supported     | 100               |

The behavior of some variables was changed as follows:

In the previous HPOM releases it was possible to send the Forward Manager information to the trouble-ticket system if OPC\_TT\_SHOW\_FORW\_MGR was set to TRUE. However, if a message was not forwarded, the Forward Manager information was not sent to the trouble-ticket system. Now, an empty string is sent instead of the Forward Manager information for non-forwarded messages.

### Java GUI Support for Web Browsers

The embedded web browser is no longer available with the Java GUI. The only valid browsers are browsers with ActiveX and external browsers. web\_browser\_type in itooprc also supports activex. Thus, the valid values are external and activex.

On Windows, a browser with ActiveX is the default browser. On Unix, only external browser is available. The valid values for the configuration variable OPC\_JGUI\_INTERNBROW\_DISABLED are ACTIVEX and NONE.

### Node Management

With this release of HPOM, node names must be unique. In previous product versions it was the combination of the nodename and network type which needed to be unique. You could have the same nodename for an IP-node and a non-IP node, for example, if the name-service was not accessible when the first message for the node arrived, and later it was accessible.

HPOM 9.xx makes no difference in handling IP nodes and non-IP nodes (type "Other"). This is the same approach which was previously enforced with the OPC\_NEW\_NAMERES setting.

The handling of nodes for external events has also been changed. An external node of type "IP Name" also matches messages from non-IP nodes.

The external node type "IP Name" is changed to "Name" and the external nodes of type "Other" are converted to type "Name" during the upgrade.

The pattern matching of external nodes is now case-insensitive.

## Changed Policy Names

With HPOM 9.10, the string “NT” in names of policies, policy groups, tools, and tool groups is changed to the string “Windows.” For example, “NT Tools” are now named “Windows Tools.”

## Changed Port for HTTP Connection

The port used for connecting to the HPOM web pages was changed to 8081. For example, [http://<management\\_server>:8081/ITO\\_DOC](http://<management_server>:8081/ITO_DOC)

## Changed License Passwords

The HPOM 9.xx management server license password is different from the HPOM 8.xx management server license password. If you plan to upgrade from HPOM 8.xx to HPOM 9.xx, you must request a new license password from the Password Delivery Center (<https://webware.hp.com/welcome.asp>). HPOM 9.xx is not able to run with a HPOM 8.xx management server license password. All other HPOM 8.xx license passwords, such as Agent license passwords, can be re-used and might be migrated to the new IP address. For details, refer to the *HPOM Installation Guide for the Management Server*.

## Event Correlation Services (ECS) Support

ECS provided as Correlation Composer or ECS Designer is supported with HPOM 9.xx as follows:

- ECS Process Config File Location

The location of the configuration for the ECS process on the management server (opcecm) is moved to the shared disk. This avoids certain problems in HA cluster environments.

**Old location:** /var/opt/OV/conf/OpC/mgmt\_sv

**New location:** /var/opt/OV/shared/server/datafiles/policies/ec

- Enhanced functionality of the symbolic nodename \$MGMTSV

The symbolic nodename \$MGMTSV can now be used in APIs and CLIs to:

- Assign and deassign ECS policies or policy groups containing ECS policies to \$MGMTSV, for example:

```
opcnode -[de]assign_pol node_name="\$MGMTSV" net_type=NETWORK_NO_NODE \
pol_type=ec pol_name=<name> [version=<ver>]
```

- List assigned policies of \$MGMTSV, for example:

```
opcnode -list_ass_pols node_name="\$MGMTSV" net_type=NETWORK_NO_NODE
```

The calls to deploy policies (opcragt -dist) and to deploy data/fact stores (ovocomposer) are unchanged compared to HPOM 8.xx.

- Using ECS Designer Remotely

When you have HPOM installed on the operating system where the ECS Designer is not available, you cannot develop ECS correlation services with ECS Designer on these systems. However, you can develop them on a platform where the ECS Designer is supported (for example, Windows XP and Windows Vista) and then use these correlation services on the HPOM system where the ECS Designer is not supported.

- Verification Status of ECS Circuits

In previous product versions, ECS circuits could not be deployed to an agent or the management server during the verification check, and were regarded as unverified. In HPOM 9.xx, the distinction between verified and unverified ECS circuits is dropped.

It is expected that all ECS circuits are verified (checked for syntax correctness). For unverified HPOM 8.xx circuits uploaded during the configuration upload to HPOM 9.xx, a warning containing the relevant policy name and circuit is printed by `opccfgupld`. As opposed to HPOM 8.xx, the data can be deployed with HPOM 9.xx.

- A new event correlation policy is provided for policy based message storm detection. For details, see the *HPOM MessageStorm Detection* *whitepaper*.
- The default ECS circuit was updated with a new version of the Composer Correlator ECS circuit.

### Smart Plug-in (SPI) Support

To know about supported SPI versions with HPOM 9.xx and for recent updates, see the support matrix at:

<http://support.openview.hp.com/selfsolve/document/KM323488>

SPI DVD 2010 for HPOM 9.xx includes SPIs for Sun Solaris.

You can migrate the HPOM 8.xx configuration data to HPOM 9.xx. This includes templates and instrumentation of SPIs from the 2008.1 SPI CD that are installed on HPOM 8.xx, downloaded from, and then uploaded to HPOM 9.xx. To migrate SPI from HPOM 8.xx to HPOM 9.xx, first upgrade the HP Operations management server to version 9.xx, and then migrate the SPIs from HPOM 8.xx to HPOM 9.xx. For more details, see the *Release Notes* of the respective SPI.

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**NOTE** The existing Infrastructure SPI 1.6 is supported with HPOM 9.xx. The Infrastructure SPI DVD release cycle is separate from main stream SPI DVD.

The existing HPOM SPIs (from 2006.1 SPI CD and 2008.1 SPI CD) cannot be installed on HPOM 9.xx.

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### Other Changes

Other changes with this release:

- The `MGMTSV_KNOWN_MSG_NODE_NAME` variable can now be used in message key relations.
- A new OpenVMS agent based on the agent version 8.60 is available.
- A new contrib tool, the `/opt/OV/contrib/OpC/om_server_switch.sh` script, is introduced.

Usage:

```
/opt/OV/contrib/OpC/om_server_switch.sh <new_long_hostame> <new_IP_Address> \
<old_long_hostame> <old_IP_Address> [nowait]
```

It makes it easier to ignite or clone an additional HPOM server by using an image template. Such an image needs some modifications which are done through this script. The script can do the following:

- Change internal OM related configuration files.
- Change DB listener files to the new hostname and IP address.
- Create a new `ovcoreid` for the local agent and management server.
- Create a new set of node and root certificates.
- Restart Oracle, OM server, and the local agent.
- Clean policy cache.
- Deploy policies to a local agent.

— Install a new license (manually).

- It is now possible to have duplicate IP addresses in the database. In such a case, make sure that the different nodes with the same IP address can be reached through HTTPS proxies, because normal routing does not work with the same IP. Also, HBP must be set to RPC only. This is because you cannot use the ping command, which can lead to errors.

You can enable this feature by setting the following configuration variable:

```
ovconfchg -ovrg server -ns opc -set OPC_ALLOW_DUPLICATE_IP TRUE
```

- It is now possible to ignore an IP address mismatch in the certificate request. You can enable this feature by setting the following configuration variable:

```
ovconfchg -ovrg server -ns opc -set OPC_CSA_ALLOW_IP_MISMATCH TRUE
```

## Integration with Other HP Software Solutions

HPOM 9.xx provides integrations with other HP Software solutions, such as Network Node Manager i (NNMi), Business Availability Center (BAC), and Dependency Mapping Automation (DMA). For a complete list and more information, visit the Support web site:

[http://support.openview.hp.com/sc/integration\\_catalog.jsp](http://support.openview.hp.com/sc/integration_catalog.jsp)

### SiteScope

When using the HPOM SiteScope Adapter in conjunction with SiteScope 10.10 and newer versions, explicitly enable the creation of SiteScope group MG files, because it is not selected by default when SiteScope is installed. (See also the *SiteScope Release Notes*.) Enable the configuration files option in **Preferences -> General Settings -> Main Panel**. When upgrading from an earlier version of SiteScope that has this option selected, the MG configuration files are supported. The SiteScope discovery is not available, if the option is disabled.

## Coexistence with Other HP Software Solutions

HPOM 9.xx can coexist on the same system with the following HP Software products:

- HPOM Java GUI 9.xx
- HP Operations Agent 8.60
- HP Operations Agent 11.00
- HP Operations Agent 11.10
- HP Performance Agent 5.00
- HP Performance Manager 8.20
- OM Dependency Mapping Automation 8.20
- SiteScope 11.1x

HPOM 9.xx cannot be installed on the same system with some HP Software products. The following HP Software products can be used with HPOM but must be installed on a remote system:

- SiteScope 10.10
- Network Node Manager i (NNMi) 8.xx and 9.xx

## Obsolescence Announcements

This section lists the obsolete features of this release of HPOM.

### Obsolete Management Server Platforms

The following Solaris management server platforms are obsolete:

- Sun Solaris 8
- Sun Solaris 9

### Obsolete Java GUI Platforms

- HP-UX PA-RISC all versions
- HP-UX Itanium 11.23
- Sun Solaris 8 and 9
- Red Hat 8
- Mac OS X 10.3 and lower versions

The HPOM Java GUI no longer supports the embedded browser capability.

### Obsolete HPOM Agent Platforms

- HP MPE/iX
- HP-UX 10.20, 11.00, 11.22 (Itanium)
- Linux Kernel 2.2 and 2.4, all derivatives
- Microsoft Windows 2000 (all editions; unless there is an extended Microsoft support contract)
- Microsoft Windows 2003 without SP
- Microsoft Windows NT 4.0
- Microsoft Windows XP (SP1 and prior)
- Novell NetWare 4.x
- OpenVMS 7.3.1
- RedHat Enterprise Linux 2.1, 3.x
- Tru64 UNIX

### Motif UI

The Admin Motif UI is obsolete. The Web-based Administration UI is used instead. For more information about the new Administration UI, see “Web-based Administration for HPOM” on page 10.

The operators Motif UI is obsolete; use the Java GUI instead.

### Template Administrator

The template administrator user is obsolete as a part of a Motif UI functionality. You cannot use template administrator users to log in to the HPOM Administration UI. If you upload or create a template administrator user on HPOM, it is not used for HPOM Administration UI.

Instead of template administrator, use `ompolicy_adm` user to log in to the HPOM Administration UI or add a new HPOM Administration UI user and assign it to `ompolicy_adm` user group. An HPOM Administration UI user has rights to view and edit all policies. You should first log in as `admin` or `opc_adm` to the HPOM Administration UI, add a Policy administrator user, and assign that user the `ompolicy_adm` user group.



A utility is also provided to convert template administrator accounts into HPOM `ompolicy_adm` accounts. Refer to the *HPOM Administration UI Administration and Configuration Guide*, chapter “User Migration from HPOM 8.xx to AdminUI” for details.

## DCE Communication

The DCE obsolescence includes the obsolescence of DCE-based agents, of communication to and from DCE-based agents, DCE-based message forwarding between management servers, escalating messages, the DCE security (the security library), the OpenAgent architecture, as well as Novell Netware agent, the RPC daemon agent, and Sun RPC agent. Also, the DCE RPC based communication on the HPOM management server has been changed to a queue and pipe mechanism.

## HPOM Server to Server Configuration Upload with the `opcmgrdist` utility

Server to server configuration upload with the `opcmgrdist` utility is no longer supported. You can download configuration data on server A with `opccfgdwn`, copy the configuration data, for example, with secure copy (`scp`) to server B, and upload it there with `opccfgupld`.

## Operator-initiated Message Escalation

The possibility to forward or escalate an HPOM message to another HPOM server by pressing the escalate button in the HPOM operational UIs is obsolete.

## Obsolete Management Server Processes

The following HPOM processes are obsolete:

- `ovoareqhdlr`
- `opccmm`
- `opcctlm`
- `opcdistm`
- `opcmgrdist`
- `opcmsgrd`

## libnspv Library

The `libnspv` library is deprecated. However, it is still present on the HP Operations management server for backward compatibility. You can still use the integrations, applications or scripts linked to this library in previous product versions.

## Changed Control over HPOM Processes

The HPOM Control Manager (`opcctlm`) is obsolete. The control over HPOM processes is moved to the OV Control facility (the `ovcd` process). Some of Control Manager’s functionality is moved to the HPOM Request Sender (`ovoareqsdr`). The HPOM processes can be controlled by the `ovc` and `opcsv` CLI, but no longer by `ovstart`, `ovstop` and `ovstatus` CLIs, because Network Node Manager no longer runs on the same HPOM management server system.

## NNM 7.x Integration

NNM 7.x cannot be installed on the same system as HPOM and cannot be integrated with HPOM, thus the integration with NNM is obsolete. As a consequence of this, HPOM does not support integration with the `OV_PLATFORM` type applications, for example, `OV Applications` and `OV Services` are not used anymore. Also, the `netop` and `itop` operators are obsolete.

The `opcctrloww` fileset is not provided with the HPOM installation, but it can be migrated from the previous product versions.

## Service Navigator Value Pack (SNVP)

No new version of SNVP is available with the HPOM 9.xx. Check the HP Dependency Mapping Automation software and HP Operations Manager i software as potential replacements.

## Obsolete CLIs and CLI options

All CLIs provided by NNM are no longer available on the HPOM management server. Therefore CLIs such as `ovstart`, `ovstop`, `ovstatus`, `ovw`, `ovaddobj` no longer exist. Check your working procedures and scripts for NNM commands and make the adjustments, where appropriate. Other obsolete CLIs:

- `opc_backup`
- `opc_recover`
- `opcauddwn`
- `opccfgdwn`: the `-subproduct` and `-platform` options
- `opccfgupld`: the `-ascii` option
- `opccfgupld`: the `-deloldtempl` option
- `opclie`
- `opcmgrdist`
- `opcmomchk`: the `-escalation` option
- `opcpwd`
- `opcsvreg`
- `opcsvskm`
- `opctmplrpt`
- `opctranm`
- `ovbackup.ovpl`
- `ovrestore.ovpl`

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**NOTE** The `opccfgupld -ascii` option is listed when `opccfgupld -help` is invoked and it is described in the `opccfgupld` manual page.

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## Obsolete Configuration Variables

- `DCEMR_PROG`
- `DISTM_PROG`
- `LISTENER_NAME`
- `OPC_CFG_KEY_TAB`
- `OPC_CFG_SEC_LEVEL`
- `OPC_COMM_PORT_DISTM`
- `OPC_DISABLE_EXT_DCE_SRV`
- `OPC_DOWNLOAD_TEMPL_INDIVIDUAL`
- `OPC_SKIP_DCE_FORWARDING`
- `OPC_FORWARD_MGR_DCE_QUEUE`
- `OPC_CHK_DCE_ADDR_MISMATCH`
- `OPC_FORWARD_MGR_DCE_PIPE`
- `OPC_COMM_LOOKUP_RPC_SRV`
- `OPC_COMM_PORT_RANGE`
- `OPC_HBP_USE_ALL_PROTOCOLS`
- `OPC_HPDC_CLIENT_DISC_TIME`
- `OPC_OPCCTLM_KILL_OPCUIWWW`
- `OPC_OPCCTLM_START_OPCSVCAM`
- `OPC_RESTART_COUNT`
- `OPC_RESTART_DELAY`
- `OPC_RESTART_PROCESS`
- `OPC_RESTART_TIMEFRAME`
- `OPC_SKIP_DCE_FORWARDING`
- `OPC_USE_DCE_FORWM`
- `OPCTRANM_TIMEOUT`
- `OPC_MSGM_USE_GUI_THREAD`
- `OPC_COMM_REGISTER_RPC_SRV`
- `OPC_COMM_RPC_PORT_FILE`
- `OPC_DCE_TRC_OPTS`
- `OPC_MSG_FORW_CHECKALIVE_INTERVAL`
- `OPC_MSGFORW_BUFFERING`

## Obsolete APIs

- `opcsync_inform_user()`
- `opcmsg_escalate()`

## Obsolete Documentation

The following manuals are no longer available with HPOM:

- *Service Navigator Concepts and Configuration Guide*

Note, that the information contained in this guide was distributed among other HPOM manuals, for example, *HPOM Administrator's Reference* and *HPOM Java GUI Operator's Guide*.

- *HPOM Developer's Reference*
- *HPOM Application Integration Guide*
- *HPOM Security Advisory Guide*

## Miscellaneous

- ECS Designer is not supported on the management server.

- Expressions <S> and <nS>

The pattern-matching expressions <S> and <nS> used in templates are obsolete.

- Obsolete itooprc parameters

- `which_browser`
- `auto` and `manual` values for `web_browser_type`
- `ice_proxy*`
- `web_browser_html_appl_result`

- Obsolete values for configuration variable `OPC_JGUI_INTERNBRW_DISABLED`

- `EMBEDDED`
- `BOTH`

- Obsolete port used for connecting to HPOM web pages: 3443

- Hide Node Group from Responsibilities field

The Hide Node Group from Responsibilities field of a node group is not used in HPOM 9.xx anymore. Use the Edit View functionality in the Administration UI instead.

## Installation Notes

Installation requirements and instructions for installing HPOM, are documented in the *HPOM Installation Guide for the Management Server*. After installation the document can be found at:

`/opt/OV/www/htdocs/ito_doc/C/manuals/InstallationGuide.pdf`

To check for recent updates or to verify that you are using the most recent edition, go to the HP Support web site.

HPOM 9.xx introduces a new approach to product installation and configuration. Installing and configuring the HPOM software on the management server are fast and easy procedures due to the HPOM installation and configuration scripts, `ovinstall` and `ovoconfigure`, which guide you through the entire installation and configuration procedure.

For general installation requirements, see Chapter 1, “Installation Requirements for the Management Server” of the *HPOM Installation Guide*.

For detailed information about the prerequisites, which must be met before installing and configuring HPOM, and the procedures themselves, refer to the *HPOM Installation Guide for the Management Server*.

The `README.txt` readme file located on HPOM media DVD describes the HPOM media DVD contents and layout and helps you to locate products and documentation.

## Hardware Requirements

Make sure that your system meets the following hardware requirements:

- HP Operations agent 8.xx requires 300 MB of disk space, while its installation or upgrade requires 600 MB. Starting with HP Operations agent 11.00, the required disk space for the HP Operations agent varies depending on the platform. For detailed information about disk space requirements, see the HP Operations agent documentation.

## Software Requirements

This section lists additional software requirements that are not documented in the HP support matrices. To check for recent updates on the HP Operations management server and HP Operations agent supported operating systems, visit the following URL:

<http://support.openview.hp.com/selfsolve/document/KM323488>

You will also receive updated or new editions if you subscribe to the appropriate product support service. Contact your HP sales representative for details.

## Management Server

For detailed information about the management server software requirements, refer to the *HPOM Installation Guide for the Management Server*.

Refer to Chapter 2 of the *HPOM Installation Guide for the Management Server* for detailed instructions on how to install HPOM, and to “Known Problems, Limitations, and Workarounds” on page 49 for known problems and their workarounds.

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**NOTE** It can be very helpful to set the PATH variable to include the following HPOM directories on the management server: /opt/OV/bin, /opt/OV/bin/OpC, /opt/OV/nonOV/perl/a/bin and /opt/OV/bin/OpC/utills.

Likewise, export the MANPATH variable to access HPOM manual pages:

```
export MANPATH=$MANPATH:/opt/OV/man
```

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## Oracle Database

The supported Oracle database versions are 11g Release 1 with 11.1.0.7 Patch Set and 11g Release 2 (versions 11.2.0.1, 11.2.0.2, and 11.2.0.3). These Oracle database versions must be installed to provide important enhancements in security and reliability.

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**NOTE** Oracle 11gR2 version 11.2.0.3 is supported by HPOM also in remote database and RAC environments.

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The Oracle compatible parameter specifies the release with which Oracle must maintain compatibility. By default, an HPOM installation sets the Oracle compatible parameter to 11.1.0.0.

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**IMPORTANT** Install the Oracle binaries *before* the HPOM 9.xx installation, but *do not* create any kind of database, because HPOM requires specific settings.

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Oracle 11g Release 2 operating system requirement is Solaris 10 U6 (5.10-2008.10).

Several prerequisite OS packages need to be installed for the Oracle database. You can find them at the following location:

- **For Oracle 11.1:**

[http://docs.oracle.com/cd/B28359\\_01/install.111/b32313/toc.htm](http://docs.oracle.com/cd/B28359_01/install.111/b32313/toc.htm)

Required package versions (or later):

SUNWarc  
SUNWbtool  
SUNWhea  
SUNWlibC  
SUNWlibm  
SUNWlibms  
SUNWsprot  
SUNWtoo  
SUNWilof  
SUNWilcs  
SUNWi15cs  
SUNWxwfont

- **For Oracle 11.2:**

[http://docs.oracle.com/cd/E11882\\_01/install.112/e24349/toc.htm](http://docs.oracle.com/cd/E11882_01/install.112/e24349/toc.htm)

Required package versions (or later):

```
SUNWarc
SUNWbtool
SUNWhea
SUNWlibC
SUNWlibm
SUNWlibms
SUNWsprt
SUNWtoo
SUNWi1of
SUNWi1cs (ISO8859-1)
SUNWi15cs (ISO8859-15)
SUNWxfnt
SUNWcsl
```

Packages can be obtained from the official operating system site.

By default, HPOM uses port 1521 for Oracle listener. If you want to use this port, make sure that the `ncube` port is commented out in `/etc/services` (if this file exists on your system):

```
cat /etc/services |grep ncube
#ncube-lm 1521/tcp # nCube License Manager
#ncube-lm 1521/udp # nCube License Manager
```

For detailed information about installing and setting up the Oracle database, see the *HPOM Installation Guide for the Management Server*.

## Upgrading the Oracle Database

When upgrading the Oracle database, you must perform the following tasks:

- Task 1: Checking System Requirements
- Task 2: Before Upgrading the Oracle Database Installation
- Task 3: Upgrading the Oracle Database Installation
- Task 4: Obtaining the `libclntsh.so` and `libnnz11.so` Libraries
- Task 5: Preparing the New Oracle Database to Be Used with the HP Operations Management Server

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**NOTE** It is recommended that you back up your system before upgrading the Oracle database.

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**Checking System Requirements** Make sure your system meets the requirements stated in the Oracle documentation. There might be a difference in required operating system versions, patches, and kernel parameters for different Oracle versions.

**Before Upgrading the Oracle Database Installation** Before you upgrade an Oracle database installation, follow these steps:

1. As the `root` user, create the directories required by the Oracle installation, and then change the ownership and set correct permissions.

For example, run the following commands:

```
umask 022
```

```
mkdir -p /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0
chown -R oracle:oinstall /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0
chmod 755 /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0
```

- As the root user, set the Oracle environment variables in `/export/home/oracle/.profile` of the oracle user as follows:

```
export ORACLE_SID=openview
export ORACLE_BASE=/opt/oracle
export ORACLE_HOME=$ORACLE_BASE/product/11.2.0
export ORACLE_TERM=hp
export PATH=$PATH:$ORACLE_HOME/bin
```

**Upgrading the Oracle Database Installation** When upgrading the Oracle database installation to a higher version, you first install a new Oracle RDBMS version, and then upgrade the existing Oracle database to this new version.

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**IMPORTANT** The procedure described in “Upgrading the Oracle Database from Version 11.1.0.7 to Version 11.2.0.3” on page 39 can be generally used for upgrading any Oracle database version, but you must make sure that the values in the old `ORACLE_HOME` directory and the new one differ if you upgrade from 11.1.0.7 to any of the supported Oracle database 11g Release 2 versions (that is, the values may not be 11.2.0 in both directories).

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### Upgrading the Oracle Database from Version 11.1.0.7 to Version 11.2.0.3

To upgrade the Oracle database from version 11.1.0.7 to version 11.2.0.3, follow these steps:

- As the oracle user, start the Oracle Universal Installer of the new Oracle database version to which you want to upgrade the existing Oracle database version. To do this, run the following command:

```
<path>/runInstaller
```

In this instance, `<path>` is the full path of the database directory on the installation media.

After the Oracle Universal Installer is started, follow the instructions for installing the Oracle database described in the HPOM Installation Guide for the Management Server.

- In another window, as the oracle user, stop the current listener by running the following command:

```
/opt/oracle/product/11.1.0/bin/lsnrctl stop LISTENER
```

- Copy the `sqlnet.ora`, `tnsnames.ora`, `tnsnsv.ora`, and `listener.ora` files from `/opt/oracle/product/11.1.0/network/admin/` to the following location:

```
/opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/network/admin/
```

To do this, run the following commands:

```
cp /opt/oracle/product/11.1.0/network/admin/sqlnet.ora \
/opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/network/admin/
cp /opt/oracle/product/11.1.0/network/admin/tnsnames.ora \
/opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/network/admin/
```

```
cp /opt/oracle/product/11.1.0/network/admin/tnsnv.ora \
/opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/network/admin/

cp /opt/oracle/product/11.1.0/network/admin/listener.ora \
/opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/network/admin/
```

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**NOTE** Make sure that you manually change 11.1.0 to 11.2.0 in all files under /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/network/admin/.

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Check that all values in the files under /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/network/admin/ are 11.2.0 by running the following command:

```
grep 11.1.0 /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/network/admin/*
```

The listener.ora file should look as follows:

```
LISTENER =
 (ADDRESS_LIST =
 (ADDRESS=
 (PROTOCOL=IPC)
 (KEY= openview)
)
 (ADDRESS =
 (PROTOCOL = TCP)
 (HOST = <hostname>)
 (PORT = 1521)
)
)
CONNECT_TIMEOUT_LISTENER = 10
LOG_DIRECTORY_LISTENER = /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/network/log
LOG_FILE_LISTENER = LISTENER
SID_LIST_LISTENER =
 (SID_LIST =
 (SID_DESC =
 (SID_NAME=openview)
 (ORACLE_HOME=/opt/oracle/product/11.2.0)
)
)
TRACE_LEVEL_LISTENER = OFF
```

4. If the listener for 11.2.0 is not started automatically, as the oracle user, run the following command:

```
/opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/bin/lsnrctl start LISTENER
```

5. After exiting the Oracle Universal Installer, run the utlu112i.sql script as described in the “Upgrading to the New Release of Oracle Database” chapter of the *Oracle Database Upgrade Guide 11g Release 2 (11.2)* and resolve all warnings.

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**IMPORTANT** The utlu112i.sql script must be run from the environment of the database being upgraded.

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6. Run the Oracle Database Upgrade Assistant to upgrade the database software. Make sure that you carefully follow the instructions described in the *Oracle Database Upgrade Guide 11g Release 2 (11.2)*. When asked whether to use the Automatic Storage Management option, select **Do Not Move Database Files as Part of Upgrade**.



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**IMPORTANT** When modifying any of the existing HPOM Oracle database settings, make sure that you update the corresponding configuration entries inside the Administration UI. Otherwise, the Administration UI will not be able to connect to Oracle.

For detailed information about modifying the Administration UI environment, see the *Administration UI Administration and Configuration Guide* that you can download from the following location:

<http://support.openview.hp.com/selfsolve/manuals>

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**Obtaining the libclntsh.so and libnnz11.so Libraries** Oracle no longer provides the 32-bit libclntsh.so and libnnz11.so client libraries together with the 64-bit versions of the Oracle database server or client. Because HPOM on SunSolaris 10 is built as a 32-bit application, you must obtain these libraries for Oracle to work properly.

To obtain the libclntsh.so and libnnz11.so libraries, follow these steps:

1. Download the Oracle 11g Release 2 32-bit database client from the Oracle download page, and then uncompress it.
2. As the root user, set umask to allow users to access the Oracle binaries by running the following command:

```
umask 022
```

3. Create the lib32 subdirectory in the ORACLE\_HOME directory by running the following command:

```
mkdir -p /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/lib32
```

4. Assign permissions to the lib32 subdirectory by running the following commands:

```
chown oracle:oinstall /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/lib32
```

```
chmod 755 /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/lib32
```

5. Create a new Oracle home directory by running the following command:

```
mkdir -p <new_oracle_home_directory>
```

For example:

```
mkdir -p /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0-32
```

6. Assign permissions to the new Oracle home directory.

For example, run the following commands:

```
chown oracle:oinstall /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0-32
```

```
chmod 755 /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0-32
```

7. As the oracle user, export ORACLE\_HOME=<new\_oracle\_home>, and then run the Oracle Universal Installer.

During the Oracle client installation, in the Select Installation Type window, select **Instant Client**.

8. When the installation is finished, copy libclntsh.so.11.1 and libnnz11.so from the newly created ORACLE\_HOME directory to the lib32 subdirectory in the old ORACLE\_HOME directory.

Run the following commands:

```
cp /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0-32/libclntsh.so.11.1 /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/lib32/
```

```
cp /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0-32/libnzn11.so /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/lib32/
```

9. Navigate to the lib32 subdirectory of the old ORACLE\_HOME directory by running the following command:

```
cd /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/lib32/
```

10. In the lib32 subdirectory of the old ORACLE\_HOME directory, create the following links:

```
ln -s libclntsh.so.11.1 libclntsh.so
```

```
ln -s libclntsh.so.11.1 libclntsh.so.10.1
```

The new file structure of the old ORACLE\_HOME\lib32 directory must be the following:

```
lrwxr-xr-x libclntsh.so -> libclntsh.so.11.1
lrwxr-xr-x libclntsh.so.10.1 -> libclntsh.so.11.1
-rwxr-xr-x libclntsh.so.11.1
-rwxr-xr-x libnzn11.so
```

**Preparing the New Oracle Database to Be Used with the HP Operations Management Server** To prepare the new Oracle database to be used with the HP Operations management server, follow these steps:

1. Change 11.1.0 to 11.2.0 in the /etc/opt/OV/share/conf/ovdbconf file.
2. Make sure that libclntsh is linked to the correct library from the new Oracle database by following these steps:

- a. Run the following commands:

```
cd /opt/OV/lib
```

```
rm -f libclntsh.so libclntsh.so.1.0 libclntsh.so.10.1 libclntsh.so.11.1 \
libopcora.so libnzn11.so
```

- b. Link the libraries by running the following commands:

```
ln -s /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/lib32/libclntsh.so libclntsh.so
```

```
ln -s /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/lib32/libclntsh.so libclntsh.so.1.0
```

```
ln -s /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/lib32/libclntsh.so libclntsh.so.10.1
```

```
ln -s /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/lib32/libclntsh.so libclntsh.so.11.1
```

```
ln -s /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/lib32/libopcora.so libopcora.so
```

```
ln -s /opt/oracle/product/11.2.0/lib32/libnzn11.so libnzn11.so
```

- c. Restart the HP Operations management server processes by running the following command:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovc -start
```

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**IMPORTANT** If you decide to remove the HP Operations management server, change 11.1.0 to 11.2.0 in the /opt/OV/bin/OpC/install/defaults.conf file before you run the ovoremove script with the -u option.

You must also make sure that /var/opt/oracle/oratab contains the proper string of the upgraded Oracle database (for example, openview:/opt/oracle/product/11.2.0:N).

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## Java GUI

Before installing the HPOM Java GUI, ensure that your system meets the hardware and software requirements described in this section.

HPOM bundles the JRE for all supported platforms. The JRE for MS Windows platforms is available through the latest Java GUI patch, while the JRE for all other platforms is available through the latest server accessories patch.

**Table 5 Support Matrix - Java GUI**

| Java Runtime                                                                                                   | JRE            | JRE Plug-in                                         | JRE Plug-in | JRE Plug-in                     | JRE Plug-in |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------------------------------------|-------------|---------------------------------|-------------|
| TYPE                                                                                                           | as Application | Internet Explorer (32-bit) <sup>a</sup> 6 or higher | Safari 5.x  | Mozilla Firefox <sup>b</sup> 17 | Chrome      |
| Windows 2000<br>Windows XP<br>Windows 2003<br>Windows Vista<br>Windows 7                                       | 1.7.0_07       | 1.7.0_07                                            | N/A         | 1.7.0_07                        | 1.7.0_07    |
| Windows 2003 for HP-UX on HP integrity                                                                         | N/A            | 1.7.0_07                                            | N/A         | 1.7.0_07                        | 1.7.0_07    |
| Red Hat Enterprise Linux 5.2, 5.3, 5.4, 5.5, 5.6, 5.7, 5.8, 5.9<br>Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6.0, 6.1, 6.2, 6.3 | 1.7.0_07       | N/A                                                 | N/A         | 1.7.0_07                        | 1.7.0_07    |
| Solaris 10                                                                                                     | 1.7.0_07       | N/A                                                 | N/A         | 1.7.0_07                        | 1.7.0_07    |
| HP-UX 11i v3 on HP Integrity                                                                                   | 1.7.0_07       | N/A                                                 | N/A         | 1.7.0_07                        | N/A         |
| Mac OS X<br>Mac OS X running on Intel processors                                                               | 1.7.0_07       | N/A                                                 | 1.7.0_07    | 1.7.0_07                        | 1.7.0_07    |

a. The 64-bit version of Internet Explorer is not supported.

b. This is the recommended browser because all platforms support it.

If the default JRE version installed with the operating system is not the same as the one required by HPOM, install the supported Java Runtime Environment JRE from the following location:

<https://h20392.www2.hp.com/portal/swdepot/displayProductInfo.do?productNumber=HPUXJDKJRE60>

Set the location of the installed JRE directory to the JAVA\_DIR environment variable, for example:

```
export JAVA_DIR=/opt/OV/nonOV/jre/b
```

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**NOTE** If you still have HPOM 8.xx management servers in your environment, you can use the Java GUI for HPOM 9.xx to connect to such management servers.

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## HP Operations Agents

HPOM 9.10 is delivered with HP Operations agent 8.60. HPOM 9.10 can also communicate with other 8.xx HP Operations agents as well as HP Operations agent 11.00 and higher. For more information about the supported HP Operations agent versions, platforms, known problems and workarounds, see the *HP Operations Agent Release Notes* which can be found at the following location:

<http://support.openview.hp.com/selfsolve/manuals>

As a prerequisite for the HP Operations agent installation, your system must meet operating system specific software and hardware requirements. Supported platforms and requirements can be found online at the following location: <http://support.openview.hp.com/selfsolve/document/KM323488>

To properly perform the HP Operations agent installation, consider the following:

- During the installation, make sure that you select the right machine type for Linux RedHat AS 4 64-bit operating systems (the agent from the `linux/x86/linux26` directory must be used):

| Platform Selector              | Machine Type          | OS Name   |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------|
| <code>linux/x86/linux26</code> | Intel/AMD x86 (HTTPS) | Linux 2.6 |

- The installation of the HP Operations agent version 11.03 or higher with the Force option reads the profile file. You must set the configurable values such as the `MINPRECHECK` option in following file:

```
/etc/opt/OV/share/conf/OpC/mgmt_sv/bbc_inst_defaults
```

These values are then stored in the profile file and read when the agent installation with the Force option is performed.

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**IMPORTANT** Make sure you have either REXEC, RSH, or SSH services enabled on the remote agent before you start the HPOM agent installation from the HPOM management server. Otherwise the agent installation fails.

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## Cluster Environment

While installing and configuring the HP Operations management server on cluster nodes, make sure that cluster node names are the same as hostnames. Otherwise, the configuration fails.

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**NOTE** The HP Operations management server can be installed in a cluster environment in which the HP Operations agent is already installed on the cluster nodes.

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## Known Installation Problems and Workarounds

### Symptom QCCR1A133792

#### HPOM 9.10 installation changes the owner ID of the `/etc` directory

When HPOM 9.10 is installed, the installation changes the owner ID of the `/etc` directory to the `bin` user and group.

#### Solution

After HPOM 9.10 is installed, manually restore the owner ID of the `/etc` directory to the original value.

## Symptom QCCR1A108869: Errors during deinstallation or upgrade

At the management server deinstallation or upgrade, the following errors may occur, if some product that depends on the same packages as the HP Operations management server is left on the system:

- Deinstallation:

```
ERROR: Error occurred while removing HPOvTomcatB package
 Please check /var/opt/OV/log/OpC/mgmt_sv/installation.log.error
 for details
```

- Upgrade:

```
Removing local Agent OK
Removing SPIs OK
Stopping Server OK
Removing database OK
Removing documentation OK
Removing Agent software FAILED
```

## Solution

Before proceeding with the deinstallation or upgrade, check the log file. If a dependency on other packages caused the error, see if you can remove the packages that caused the dependency. After you remove these packages, repeat the deinstallation or upgrade as follows:

```
[repeat, skip, back, exit, ?] : repeat
 Removing Agent software OK
```

If you need these packages on your system, use skip when an error occurs to continue with the deinstallation or upgrade. For example:

```
[repeat, skip, back, exit, ?] : skip
```

## Symptom QCCR1A98812

### Remote database configuration fails with ORA-01450: maximum key length (6398) exceeded

After the HPOM is installed and the database is created as a remote database, the database configuration fails with the following error:

```
Error opcdbinst(6722) : Database: ORA-01450: maximum key length (6398) exceeded <
(OpC50-15)
```

```
Aborting installation of HPOM tables in database. (OpC55-1)
```

```
ERROR: Error occurred in the program opcdbinst during creation of the
 database tables.
```

## Solution

Instead of the default block size of 8K for the database, use the block size of 16K as documented in the *HPOM Installation Guide for the Management Server*:

```
db_block_size 16384
```

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**IMPORTANT** You cannot change the specified block size afterwards. If you use the default block size, you will need to drop the database and create it again with the correct `db_block_size`.

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**Symptom QCCR1A109494**  
**Cannot open pipe rqsceep**

After HPOM is installed, the following error appears in System.txt:

```
0: ERR: Mon Jun 21 13:49:51 2010: opcdispn (8348/1): [mpisv.c:816]: Cannot open pipe
/var/opt/OV/share/tmp/OpC/mgmt_sv/rqsceep. open(2) failed.No such device or address
(OpC40-616)
```

**Solution**

You can safely ignore this error.

**Symptom QCCR1A110546**  
**Error appears in ovoidinstall, during the local agent installation**

During ovoidinstall, the following messages may appear:

```
Starting Server OK
Installing local Agent FAILED
ERROR: Agent installation failed. Please check
/var/opt/OV/log/OpC/mgmt_sv/installation.log for details.
```

The log file contains the following:

```
...
Installing HPOvAgtEx package.
Updating HPOM database now that HPOM on system <mgmt. sv.> has been successfully installed
or activated.
ERROR: Cannot update HPOM software status flag on database for system <mgmt. server>.
```

**Solution**

1. Restart the server processes as follows:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovc -kill
/opt/OV/bin/ovc -start
```

2. Manually set the flag as follows:

```
/opt/OV/bin/OpC/opcs w -installed [<mgmt. sv hostname>]
```

## Migration from Previous Product Versions

If you have HPOM 8.xx installed on an operating system that is not supported by HPOM 9.10 (Solaris 8 or Solaris 9, HP-UX on PA-RISC or HP-UX 11i v2 on Itanium), you can migrate it to HPOM 9.10 on a different system with a supported operating system. For details, see *HPOM Installation Guide for the Management Server*.

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### NOTE

With HPOM 9.10, the string “NT” in names of policies, policy groups, tools, and tool groups is changed to the string “Windows.” For example, “NT Tools” are now named “Windows Tools.”

When you migrate from a previous version of HPOM, you upload the old configuration to the management server. Old policies, policy groups, tools, and tool groups with the “NT” string are uploaded to the system where the new ones with the “Windows” string reside. Consequently, these objects get duplicated.

Though the duplication of objects does not affect your system, it is recommended to migrate to the new configuration. To migrate to the new configuration, assign new objects (with the “Windows” string in the name) to all nodes that have old objects (with the “NT” string in the name) deployed. The following scenarios are possible:

- If you have custom policies or tools in the old policy or tool group, move them to the new policy or tool group. If such group is also assigned to a managed node, remove it and assign the new group.
- If you have old unchanged policies or tools deployed on managed nodes, deploy new policies or tools to these nodes and remove old ones.
- If you have old policies that were updated, copy the updated version to the new policy, remove the old policy version, and then deploy the new version of this policy.

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## Upgrade to HPOM 9.10

The *HPOM Installation Guide for the Management Server* contains detailed instructions on upgrading to HPOM 9.10, as well as information on product versions, from which you can perform an upgrade.

Check the <http://support.openview.hp.com/selfsolve/manuals> web site for the latest version of the *HPOM Installation Guide for the Management Server*.

## Administration UI

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**IMPORTANT** HPOM for UNIX 9.0.1 Administration UI cannot be upgraded to HPOM for UNIX 9.1.0 Administration UI. You must deinstall the old version, remove the obsolete files manually (/opt/OV/OMU/adminUI), and then install the new version.

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When installing Administration UI, consider the following:

- To avoid problems because of changes in the JavaScript code of the product, make sure to clear your browser cache or use "Shift-Reload" after reconnecting to the web application server.
- For connecting to UNIX boxes, VNC may cause problems with the Install Anyway HPOM for UNIX Administration UI installer. It is recommended to use other tools.

- A problem with shared libraries on Solaris 10 may occur. For more information, see the symptom QCCR1A100659 in the “Administration UI” on page 65.

For detailed information about prerequisites that must be met before installing and configuring Administration UI, as well as instructions for installing, see the *HPOM Administration UI Installation Guide*.



## Known Problems, Limitations, and Workarounds

### Management Server

**Symptom QCCR1A143489**  
**opccfgupld fails to upload policies if the index file contains DOS line endings CR+LF**

If the index file contains DOS line endings CR+LF, opccfgupld fails with the following error:

```
Character set of download data not compatible with installed set.
+ opccfgupld terminated with 1 warning(s)/error(s)
```

#### Solution

To solve this problem, check the line endings in the index file. If the index file contains DOS line endings CR+LF, convert it to LF only (Unix).

**Symptom QCCR1A136484**  
**opcpkgdwn tool can fail on HPOM 9.xx with the HP Operations agent version 11.00 or later**

If you run the opcpkgdwn tool on HPOM 9.xx with the HP Operations agent version 11.00 or later, an error message might appear.

#### Solution

This is the expected behavior because the opcpkgdwn tool does not support the HP Operations agent version 11.00 or later.

**Symptom QCCR1A133885**  
**HPOM 9.xx no longer supports hidden node groups**

With HPOM 9.xx, hidden node groups are no longer supported. However, if you hid a node group in HPOM 8.xx before migrating to HPOM 9.xx and it is in the responsibility of an operator, it does not show up in the Administration UI responsibility matrix.

#### Solution

Clear the Hide Node Group from Responsibilities box for all the node groups that are hidden (the Visible field in the All Node Groups view is not selected).

**Symptom QCCR1A118702**  
**HP Operations agent 11.00 installation script removes the backup patch directory of HP Operations management server patches**

When the HP Operations agent 11.00 software package is installed on the HPOM 9.10 management server, the HP Operations agent 11.00 installation script removes the backup patch directory of HPOM 9.10 management server patches.

#### Solution

To solve this problem, choose one of the following:

*If HPOM 9.10 management server patches are not installed:*

Install the HP Operations agent 11.00 software package before installing HPOM 9.10 management server patches.

*If HPOM 9.10 management server patches are installed:*

1. Deinstall HPOM 9.10 management server patches.

2. Install the HP Operations agent 11.00 software package.
3. Install HPOM 9.10 management server patches again.

### **Symptom QCCR1A116035**

#### **Dependency on the obsolete PerfView component**

The ServNav examples found in the `perf.tar` package cannot be used anymore because the package depends on the obsolete PerfView component.

#### **Solution**

The package will be removed because it depends on the obsolete component.

### **Symptom QCCR1A115800**

#### **Policy with a modified version cannot be uploaded to the database by using `opccfgupld`**

When a policy with a modified version is uploaded to the database by using the `opccfgupld` command, the upload is unsuccessful.

#### **Solution**

To upload a modified policy, use `opctempl` instead of `opccfgupld`.

### **Symptom QCCR1A92608**

#### **Database creation on Solaris 10 may fail even if `DISABLE_NUMA` is set to `TRUE` and exported**

The creation of the database on Solaris 10 may fail with the following errors even if the `DISABLE_NUMA` environment variable is set to `TRUE` and exported:

```
ORA-12853: insufficient memory for PX buffers
ORA-04031: unable to allocate ... bytes of shared
```

#### **Solution**

Increasing `memory_target` solves this problem.

To increase `memory_target`, modify `/opt/OV/bin/ovdbsetup1_opc.sh` by changing the following line:

```
memory_target = 500M
```

to

```
memory_target = 750M
```

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**IMPORTANT** This change must be made after installing the HPOM software and the latest server patch (if applicable), but before calling `ovoconfigure` or `opcdbsetup`. `memory_target` can be set to an even higher value, if needed.

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### **Symptom QCCR1A56839**

#### **Implications of `mgrconf/configsettings` being policies**

Since `mgrconf` and `configsettings` are policies with HPOM 9.xx, they are disabled by `opctemplate -disable -all` and `ovpolicy -disable -all`. This can have unexpected implications. For example, running a status or an action from a management server fails, even if the server is the primary manager, unless the requesting server is configured as the default manager.

### **Symptom QCCR1A58840**

#### **While purging policies in MOM setup, mgrconf policies also get purged**

When purging policies in a MoM setup, all the policies on the node are purged, including the `mgrconf` policy. Because the HPOM on UNIX, HPOM on Linux, and the HPOM for Windows servers are in the MoM setup, you cannot switch the agent to the HPOM on UNIX or HPOM on Linux server if the `mgrconf` policy is purged.

### **Symptom QCCR1A95152**

#### **HPOM 8.xx reports may fail on HPOM 9.xx because of missing condition tables**

If you upgrade HPOM 8.xx to HPOM 9.xx, you can use the HPOM 8.xx reports. However, HPOM 8.xx reports (copied or customized from HPOM 8.xx or current OV Reporter and OVPI report pack reports) may fail if they query the HPOM 9.xx database. This happens because some template and condition tables were obsolete with the HPOM 9.xx (`opc_monitor_cond`, `opc_trap_cond`, and `opc_cond`).

#### **Solution**

Update the HPOM 8.xx reports so that the condition from the `opc_monitor_cond`, `opc_trap_cond`, and `opc_cond` tables are not queried.

### **Symptom QCCR1A57809**

#### **Templates are still assigned to physical nodes after changing name to Virtual Node**

When you run the `opc_node_change.pl` script after changing the virtual node name, the old virtual node name is not deleted. Consequently, policy assignments to the old virtual node are not changed. If you unassign policies from the new virtual node, they are still assigned to old virtual node, and are still distributed to the physical nodes.

#### **Solution**

Unassign manually policies from the old virtual node group, delete nodes from that group, and delete the group, using the `opcnode` command:

```
/opt/OV/bin/OpC/utils/opcnode -deassign_pol_group -node_name=<node_name> \
-net_type=<network_type> -pol_group=<policy_group_name>
opcnode -deassign_node_group_name=<nodegrp_name> node_name=<node_name> \
-net_type=<network_type>
opcnode -del_group_group_name=<nodegrp_name>
```

In this instance, `<nodegrp_name>` is the old virtual node name.

### **Symptom QCCR1A118594**

#### **Adding or removing a physical node to or from a virtual node is not synchronized through DMOM**

Adding physical nodes to a virtual node or removing physical nodes from a virtual node is not reflected within DMOM configuration synchronization between management servers.

### **Symptom QCCR1A90865**

#### **Warning messages on the standard output and in System.txt during upload of HPOM 8.xx configuration:**

```
Warning - Platform missing (net/machine=1/17).
Warning - Platform missing (net/machine=1/41).
Warning - Platform missing (net/machine=1/40).
Object already available in database (opc_node_defaults: 1/43).
Warning - Platform missing (net/machine=1/27).
Object already available in database (opc_node_defaults: 1/44).
Warning - Platform missing (net/machine=1/6).
Object already available in database (opc_node_defaults: 1/49).
Object already available in database (opc_node_defaults: 1/0).
Warning - Platform missing (net/machine=1/38).
```

```
Object already available in database (opc_node_defaults: 1/47).
Warning - Platform missing (net/machine=1/11).
Object already available in database (opc_node_defaults: 1/45).
Object already available in database (opc_node_defaults: 5/20).
Warning - Platform missing (net/machine=1/26).
Warning - Platform missing (net/machine=1/9).
Warning - Platform missing (net/machine=1/8).
Warning - Platform missing (net/machine=1/10).
Object already available in database (opc_node_defaults: 1/50).
Warning: not all requested objects were processed.
```

### Solution

The warning messages can be safely ignored. All warnings appear when DCE platforms are uploaded.

### Symptom QCCR1A90937

#### During upgrade from HPOM 8.xx to 9.xx, opccfgupld on HPOM 9.xx aborts while processing template groups

This occurs on the HPOM 8.xx system when the configuration setting `OPC_DOWNLOAD_TEMPL_INDIVIDUAL` is set to `TRUE`. Several lines of output similar to the following are produced to `stderr` and to the `opccfgupld` logfile `/var/opt/OV/log/OpC/mgmt_sv/opccfgupld.log` on HPOM 9.xx before the program exits with 1: "Illegal value `OSSPI_SOL_NP_FileSystems_1` (function `upload: templ group conversion`)"

Any data that should have been uploaded after the template groups is skipped.

### Solution

1. Check to see if the HPOM 8.xx setting for `OPC_DOWNLOAD_TEMPL_INDIVIDUAL` is set to `TRUE`:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovconfget -ovrg server opc OPC_DOWNLOAD_TEMPL_INDIVIDUAL
```

2. If yes, repeat the download on 8.xx with the setting changed to `FALSE`:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovconfchg -ovrg server -ns opc -set OPC_DOWNLOAD_TEMPL_INDIVIDUAL FALSE
rm -rf <previous_download_dir>
/opt/OV/bin/OpC/opccfgdwn <options_from_last_call> <previous_download_dir>
```

3. Copy the download directory to the HPOM 9.xx system and repeat the upload:

```
/opt/OV/bin/OpC/opccfgupld -replace -subentity <further_options_from_last_call>
```

After that, the HPOM 9.xx database should be consistent again.

### Symptom QCCR1A109996

#### ovdeploy -cmd ovodetect -host <node\_name> is reporting errors

The `ovdeploy -cmd ovodetect -host <node_name>` command returns the following error message:

```
ERROR: (depl-228) Could not get OS type.
 (depl-400) Message returned from the target node:
 Caller is not authorized to perform the requested operation.
```

### Solution

Use the following command:

```
ovdeploy -cmd ovodetect -host <node_name> -ovrg server
```

### Symptom QCCR1A120261

#### Distributing instrumentation to unsupported platform agents is possible only from the category directory

If the agent on the unsupported agent platform is installed and uploaded to the HPOM 9.10 database, distributing category-based instrumentation from the category subdirectories is not possible. Only instrumentation placed directly in the category directory (for example, in `/var/opt/OV/share/databases/OpC/mgd_node/instrumentation/<category>`) is deployed to the agent instrumentation directory.

#### Solution

This is the expected behavior.

### Symptom QCCR1A94198

#### InfraSPI: Errors found in messages after deployment of some packages

In the multibyte environments, incomplete messages appear in the message browser after deployment of "SI-MSWindowsPrintServiceRoleMonitor", "SI-MSWindowsFaxServerRoleMonitor", and "SI-MSWindowsWebServerRoleMonitor". Multibyte characters are removed.

#### Solution

Check whether the HP Operations management server processes run in the utf8 locale by running the following command:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovdeploy -cmd set |grep LANG
```

If it is not the utf8 locale (for example, `LANG=ja_JP.sjis`) modify the setting to the correct locale by running the following command:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovconfchg -ns ctrl.env -set LANG ja_JP.UTF-8
```

Restart the processes by running the following commands:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovc -kill
/opt/OV/bin/ovc -start
```

### Symptom QCCR1A109200

#### Modified category instrumentation files are not deployed to agent if a system time zone is eastern than UTC

Category instrumentation files that were deployed and afterwards modified on the management server, cannot be deployed again to the agent due to miscalculated file timestamp when TZ is more than UTC (TZ>UTC.)

#### Solution

Deploy all instrumentation files with a force option, for example:

```
opcragt -distrib -instrum -force <node_name>
```

### Symptom QCCR1A118485

#### opcmona 08.60.501 does not match processes with parameters if the parameter in the condition is empty

If in the `Service_Process_Monitoring` policy, the `Parameters` field in the condition for the monitored process is empty, and this process was started with parameters, patches 08.60.005 and 08.60.501 or higher have different behavior:

08.60.005: The empty `Parameters` field in the condition matches all processes, regardless whether they were started with or without parameters.

08.60.501 or higher: The empty Parameters field in the condition matches only the processes that were started without parameters.

### Solution

If you want that patch 08.60.501 or higher has the same behavior as patch 08.60.005, put `<*>` in the Parameters field.

### Symptom QCCR1A118240

#### Not specifying the complete path and extension of a command leads to unintended behavior

If you do not specify the complete path and extension of the command (for example, the Program field contains only `SPICollector`) and if there is another program with the same name, the latter may get executed if its path or extension is specified in the predefined `%PATH%` or `%PATHEXT%` system variable. This results in the unintended behavior.

### Solution

Add the complete path and extension of the command in the Program field. For example, in the Windows environment, specify the command as follows:

```
%OvInstrumentationDir%\SPICollector.exe
```

### Symptom QCCR1A109842

#### -purge option (opcragt) doesn't work for local agent

It is not possible to delete instrumentation from a local node (a node installed on the same system with HPOM management server) by using the `opcragt -purge` command.

### Solution

Manually delete instrumentation from the `/var/opt/OV/bin/instrumentation` directory.

### Symptom QCCR1A107431

#### ovoareqsdr OMU Request Sender is not setting ovoidif -l ovosv=1

The `ovoareqsdr` OMU Request Sender does not set `ovoadif -l ovosv=1`. Consequently, the License report shows 0 instead of 1. For example:

```
Operations Management Server
HP Operations Manager 1 0 OK ovosv
```

### Solution

1. On the management server, run the following command:

```
ovoadif -l ovosv=1 general_licmgr=<server_FQDN>
```

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**NOTE** The server and the agent must be running.

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2. Check that the license requirement is set by running the following command:

```
ovolicence -r -p HPOM -detailed
```

3. In the Node Information section, search for the server node and check the Used Licenses. The HP Operations Manager license must be set to 1.

### Symptom QCCR1A90622

#### Invalid network type for nodes of type PATTERN\_OTHER.

After a node with the network type `PATTERN_OTHER` is added, its network type is set to `PATTERN_IP_NAME`.

## Solution

This is expected behavior, as PATTERN\_OTHER is internally mapped to PATTERN\_IP\_NAME. Keyword PATTERN\_OTHER is deprecated. Use PATTERN\_IP\_NAME instead.

### Symptom QCCR1A96746

#### Certificate request grant and add node functionality failing for AIX LPAR nodes

The add and grant functionality is failing for AIX LPAR nodes on AIX 5.3 and 6.1.

## Solution

1. Manually add the node using the opcnod command. For example:

```
opcnod -add_node node_name=<nodename> net_type=NETWORK_IP group_name=solaris \
mach_type=MACH_BBC_AIX_PPC
```

2. Manually grant the certificate request using the following command:

```
opccsa -grant <certificate request ID>
```

You can obtain CertID using the following command:

```
opccsa -list_pending_cr
```

### Symptom QCCR1A95886

#### Error message in System.txt during deinstallation of remote agent

During remote agent deinstallation or re-installation, the following errors appear in the System.txt file on the management server:

```
0: ERR: Wed Aug 26 13:18:48 2009: ovdeploy (8173/1): (depl-86) Unable to execute command
'opc_inst' on node '<node>'.
1: ERR: Wed Aug 26 13:18:48 2009: ovdeploy (8173/1): (depl-176) Message returned from host
'<node>':
2: WRN: Wed Aug 26 13:18:48 2009: ovdeploy (8173/1): (bbc-422)
HttpOutputRequestImpl::ReceiveResponse() caught OvXplNet::ConnectionRefusedException_t.
<null>
3: WRN: Wed Aug 26 13:18:48 2009: ovdeploy (8173/1): (bbc-71) There is no server process
active for address: https://<node>/com.hp.ov.depl/bbcrpcserver.
0: ERR: Wed Aug 26 13:20:21 2009: ovoareqsdr (9482/1): [rqshbp.cpp:1669]: OV Communication
Broker (ovbbccb) on nod <node> is down. (OpC40-1913)
```

## Solution

These errors and warnings can be safely ignored.

### Symptom QCCR1A61275

#### During ovoremove, an error occurs while removing HPOvCtrl or some other package

During server removal using the ovoremove script, a message similar to the following appears:

```
HPOvCtrl (6.10.025) FAILED
ERROR: Error occurred while removing HPOvCtrl package
Please check /var/opt/OV/log/OpC/mgmt_sv/installation.log.error for details
```

After checking the installation log files, you find that the reason for this problem is package dependency.

## Solution

This package cannot be removed because some other packages depend on it. For this reason, use skip to continue. This will skip package removal, and the package will stay on the system. For example:

```
[repeat,skip,back,exit,?] : skip
```

**Symptom QCCR1A90462**  
**opconn\_cs\_reset() sometimes does not reset status message**

It is possible that after calling `opconn_cs_reset()` API function the status message is not reset.

**Solution**

To ensure that you always get the correct message, call `opconn_cs_set()` with an empty string (not NULL!) as the 'message' parameter after calling `opconn_cs_reset()`.

**Symptom QCCR1A110001**  
**“/ovconfget not found” error or failover occurs during online restore**

When running an online restore script, an error “/ovconfget not found” may appear.

Additionally, in cluster environments, the monitoring of the Oracle cluster group remains active during the database restore. This provokes a failover.

**Solution**

Before calling the online restore script, stop monitoring of the Oracle resource group as follows:

```
/opt/OV/sbin/ovharg -monitor ov-oracle disable
```

You can reenale it after the successful completion of the restore procedure as follows:

```
/opt/OV/sbin/ovharg -monitor ov-oracle enable
```

**Symptom QCCR1A110770**  
**Oracle aborts on systems with a lot of CPUs**

On a Solaris system with a lot of CPUs, Oracle may abort. The amount of SGA memory that Oracle needs depends on the number of CPUs. Oracle may need more memory to work properly.

**Solution**

Increase the `memory_target` initialization parameter. For example, increase it to 1024MB as follows:

1. Exit all GUIs and shut down the HP Operations management server processes as follows:

```
ovc -kill
```

2. Switch to the oracle user as follows:

```
su - oracle
```

3. Make sure that `ORACLE_HOME` and `ORACLE_SID` are set correctly.

4. Log on to `sqlplus` as `DBA` by running the following:

```
$ sqlplus "/ as sysdba"
```

5. If Oracle is not currently running, start it to the `nomount` state as follows:

```
SQL> startup nomount;
```

6. Check the current value of `memory_target` as follows:

```
SQL> show parameter memory_target
```

7. Increase `memory_target` in the spfile to 1024M as follows:

```
SQL> alter system set memory_target = 1024M scope = spfile;
```



8. Restart Oracle as follows:

```
SQL> shutdown;
SQL> startup;
SQL> exit
```

9. As the root user, start HP Operations management server processes as follows:

```
ovc -start
```

### **Symptom QCCR1A90808**

**System.txt: There is no server process active for address:  
'https://localhost/com.hp.ov.agtrep.notificationreceiver/bbcrpcserver'**

This error message may be printed in System.txt every time the ovconfchg operation is executed.

### **Solution**

If no policy of type svcdisc was deployed to an agent, the error message can be ignored.

### **Symptom QCCR1A96506**

**MoM changes not detected**

Sometimes the Message Manager does not detect changes to the msgforw file even after the ovconfchg utility was invoked. If the Message Manager does not automatically reread the configuration file, manually restart the Message Manager process.

### **Solution**

Restart the Message Manager process with the following command:

```
ovc -restart opcmsgm
```

### **Symptom QCCR1A111815 SQL select stmt takes long, causes opcmsgm delay**

It takes too long for the Message Manager to process messages, if the SNMP ECS Traps template is enabled and there are many messages in the active or history browser.

### **Solution**

You can speed up the message lookup by original\_msgid by creating the following secondary indexes in the database:

```
echo "create index opcx_act_original_msgid on opc_act_messages (original_msgid) \
tablespace OPC_INDEX1;" | /opt/OV/bin/OpC/opcdbpwd -e sqlplus
```

```
echo "create index opcx_hist_original_msgid on opc_hist_messages (original_msgid) \
tablespace OPC_INDEX2;" | /opt/OV/bin/OpC/opcdbpwd -e sqlplus
```

### **Symptom QCCR1A105603**

**HPOM integrated with NNMi through northbound, error related to "target connector" licenses missed**

License report might show an incorrect number of Target Connector licenses required.

### **Solution**

Consider that you do not need a Target Connector license for nodes, that produce messages originated from HP products. Therefore, to get the number of needed Target connector licenses, you should manually check how many of the reported nodes have HP products installed and then deduct the total number by the number of HP product nodes.

**Symptom QCCR1A95948**  
**NNMi group is not visible by default for user opc\_admin**

Responsibilities for the message group NNMi are not configured by default for user `opc_admin`.

**Solution**

Add user responsibilities manually by running the following command:

```
/opt/OV/bin/OpC/opccfguser -v -assign_respons_user -user opc_admin -node_group \
-list <node_group> -msg_group -list NNMi
```

**Symptom QCCR1A91820**  
**HP Performance Manager tools executed on another HP Performance Manager server require clean-up before installing HP Performance Manager integration**

After installing new version of HP Performance Manager or upgrading it, the old HP Performance Manager server name is still used for HP Performance Manager. The problem is that the HP Performance Manager installation script fails to change the HP Performance Manager server name in the database:

```
/opt/OV/contrib/OpC/OVPM/install_OVPM.sh <new OVPM server>:8081
```

**Solution**

Before installing a new HP Performance Manager server on the HPOM management server, remove all the HP Performance Manager policies and tools. For example:

```
/opt/OV/bin/OpC/opcapp1 -del_app app_name="OVPM Global History"
/opt/OV/bin/OpC/opcapp1 -del_app app_name="OVPM HTML contrib"
/opt/OV/bin/ovconfchg -ovrg server -ns opc -clear OPC_OVPM_GRAPH
```

**Symptom QCCR1A94498**  
**How to configure HP Performance Manager if you did not do it during installation**

**Solution**

If you did not install HP Performance Manager during the HPOM installation and you want to install it later, run the following command:

```
/opt/OV/contrib/OpC/OVPM/install_OVPM.sh <nodename>:<port>
```

For example:

```
install_OVPM.sh elisa.deu.hp.com:8081
```

**Symptom QCCR1A97123**  
**When PM is installed together with HPOM server "ovpm stop" should not stop ovtomcatB process**

When you install HP Performance Manager 8.20 on the system where HPOM server is installed and stop the `ovpm` process using the `/opt/OV/bin/ovpm stop` command, also the `ovtomcatB` process is stopped. When `ovtomcatB` is not running, the web access to the HPOM management server is not possible and you cannot browse HPOM html manpages, manuals, Java GUI launcher, etc.

**Solution**

Run the following command:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovc -start ovtomcatB
```

**Symptom QCCR1A96745**  
**ovremove fails to remove HPOvXpl because of dependencies to agent localization packages**

`ovremove` fails when removing `HPOvXpl` with the following error:

```
HPOvSecCo (6.20.050) Removed
HPOvXpl (6.20.054) FAILED
ERROR: Error occurred while removing HPOvXpl package
Please check /var/opt/OV/log/OpC/mgmt_sv/installation.log.error for details.
```

### Solution

Ignore this error by selecting skip. After `ovoremove` finishes, remove the packages manually if they are not needed by other products. Use the following command:

```
pkgrm HPOvXpl HPOvLczC HPOvLces HPOvLcko HPOvLcja
```

### Symptom QCCR1A90795

#### SiteScope tools are not shown in Java GUI for any operator

The SiteScope integration uploads series of tools to the HPOM database, but these tools are not assigned by default to any operator, so these tools are not shown in the Java GUI.

### Solution

Manually assign the SiteScope tools to the operators using the `opccfguser` command or Administration GUI. For more information, see the *opccfguser(1m)* manual page.

### Symptom QCCR1A96583

#### The maximum length for a node name may vary.

While the database accepts a maximum of 2048 characters for a given fully qualified domain name (FQDN), consider that there may be limitations on the DNS server, the operating system level, or other programs that may cause HPOM not to function properly with these nodes.

### Solution

FQDNs should not exceed 256 characters. If they do, it may be helpful to add an IP/nodename entry in the `/etc/hosts` file.

### Symptom QCCR1A90167/QCCR1A92949

#### Non IP Node gets resolved if name is in DNS

When you try to add a non-IP node that is registered in the DNS, its network type is changed from OTHER to IP and you get a warning. The result is that the non-IP node has an IP network type.

For example:

```
/opt/OV/bin/OpC/Utils/opcnode -add_node node_name=ovruxt62.rose.hp.com \
net_type=NETWORK_OTHER mach_type=MACH_BBC_OTHER_NON_IP group_name=hp_ux layout_group=
```

```
Warning: Mismatch between node name and IP address (according to the DNS)
Please check to which IP address the hostname is resolved
and if that IP is resolved back to the original hostname.
```

Operation successfully completed.

Checking with `opcnode -list_nodes` shows that it was added as an IP node with the `MACH_BBC_OTHER_NON_IP` platform:

```
/opt/OV/bin/OpC/Utils/opcnode -list_nodes node_list=ovruxt62.rose.hp.com
```

List of all Nodes in the HPOM database:

```
=====
Name = ovruxt62.rose.hp.com
Label =
IP-Address = 15.8.156.145
Network Type = NETWORK_IP
```

```
Machine Type = MACH_BBC_OTHER_NON_IP
Comm Type = COMM_BBC
DHCP enabled = no (0x22)
```

=====

### Solution

It is not possible to add an IP node (a node that is resolvable and has an IP address) as non-IP node. Change the invalid platform from `non_ip/other/other` using `opcnode -chg_machtype`.

For example:

```
/opt/OV/bin/OpC/Utils/opcnode -chg_machtype node_name=ovruxt62.rose.hp.com \
net_type=NETWORK_IP mach_type=MACH_BBC_OTHER_IP
```

### Symptom QCCR1A97290

**If Oracle service (\$ORACLE\_HOME/network/admin/listener.ora) is disabled, the Administration UI cannot connect to the HPOM server**

If you disable the Oracle service by modifying `$ORACLE_HOME/network/admin/listener.ora` using the OvProtect utility, Administration UI will not be able to connect to your management server.

### Solution

Do not disable the Oracle service using the OvProtect utility.

### Symptom QCCR1A92537

**Cannot open pipe oprtjnitp**

After installation of HPOM, the following error is seen in `System.txt`:

```
0: ERR: Fri May 15 19:03:23 2009: opcdispn (15894/1078278464): [mpisv.c:816]: Cannot open
pipe
/var/opt/OV/share/tmp/OpC/mgmt_sv/oprtjnitp. open(2) failed. No such device or address
(OpC40-616)
```

### Solution

You can safely ignore this error.

### Symptom QCCR1A97644

**Adding a service with empty name must drop a warning**

When adding a service without a name (`<MsgSvcName></MsgSvcName>`) by using the `opcservice - add <file>` command, no error message displays. However, after such service is added, you can get the following error message, for example, when searching in history for some other services under this service:

```
Database: ORA-01400: cannot insert NULL into
"OPC_OP"."OPC_SERVICE_MSGS"."MSG_SERVICE_NAME"
```

This error occurs, because `MsgSvcName` cannot be empty in the Oracle database.

### Solution

In the XML file, delete the `<MsgSvcName></MsgSvcName>` line.

### Symptom QCCR1A103457

**Service Depth is not displayed correctly**

When you run a verbose listing of a service added to a server, the depth value for the service has no value.

### Solution

Ignore this. This does not affect the management server and Java GUI functionality.

**Symptom QCCR1A139299**  
**Windows event log variables not being captured on Windows 2008 servers**

Variables for Log-File-Encapsulator policies do not work with eventlog policies deployed to Windows 2008 nodes running HPOM agent.

**Solution**

These variables cannot be used with W2K8 and above.

**Symptom QCCR1A143706**  
**Adding External Node with net\_type=PATTERN\_OTHER Name resolution**

When adding an external node with the network type PATTERN\_OTHER, the network type is mapped to PATTERN\_IP\_NAME.

When a message for an external node with net\_type=PATTERN\_IP\_NAME arrives, opcmmsgm tries to resolve the node name.

**Solution**

To skip the name resolution attempts the workaround is to use the regular non-IP nodes. In case an external node pattern matches a single node, a regular node of type non-IP/other/other can be added instead of adding an external node.

**Symptom QCCR145210**  
**opcbbackup\_online and opcrestore\_online are not cluster aware**

The opcbbackup\_online and opcrestore\_online commands do not contain the necessary logic for backing up and restoring HPOM in a cluster setup.

**Solution**

Backup only one node, and restore to the same node.

**Symptom QCCR157490**  
**Server documentation enhancement for ovbbccb open connections**

On HPOM 9 management servers with high number of RCP nodes, the ovbbccb process opens many connections and eventually runs out of available file descriptors. As a result, the agents start buffering.

**Solution**

Increase the maximum number of allowed file descriptors by using the limits.conf, as follows:

```
tail /etc/security/limits.conf
* soft nofile 4096
* hard nofile 4096
```

This sets the maximum available descriptors for all users as 4096.

## Java GUI

**Symptom QCCR1A150887**  
**Problem with the Java GUI main window when launching the Java GUI on Mac OS X by using WebStart**

When launching the Java GUI on Mac OS X by using WebStart, the title bar of the main window is not visible. After moving the Java GUI window under the Mac OS X title bar, you cannot move it anymore, but only resize it. If you save console settings, the Java GUI window is displayed under the Mac OS X title bar next time you launch the Java GUI and you have the same problem with moving the Java GUI window.

**Solution**

Restore the defaults originally provided by your HPOM administrator by selecting File->Reload Assigned Defaults from the menu bar. In this case, you lose all the changes you made to the Java GUI and saved with the File->Save Console Session Settings option, but you prevent the Java GUI window being displayed under the Mac OS X title bar.

**Symptom QCCR1A147514****Errors appear when opening the Java GUI on Mac OS X**

When opening the Java GUI on the Mac OS X system, the following error messages appear:

```
<Error>: CGContextGetCTM: invalid context 0x0
<Error>: CGContextSetBaseCTM: invalid context 0x0
<Error>: CGContextGetCTM: invalid context 0x0
<Error>: CGContextSetBaseCTM: invalid context 0x0
```

**Solution**

You can safely ignore these error messages.

**Symptom QCCR1A97287 opcuihttps multiple coredumps**

Process opcuihttps sometimes core dumps when stopped. Consequently, Java GUI cannot connect through the secure communication layer (HTTPS).

**Solution**

Start the opcuihttps process manually.

**Symptom QCCR1A127613****Small stack size causes opcuiwww to core dump**

opcuiwww core dumps if the OPC\_USE\_JB\_MSGS\_GET configuration variable is set to TRUE and a pattern node matching several physical nodes exists. The problem appears because of the small stack size (8192).

**Solution**

Extend the stack size by adding the following command into the opcuiwww.sh script before the opcuiwww command:

```
ulimit -s 32767
```

**Symptom QCCR1A57461****Wrong cursor shape after resizing Windows/Dialogs**

When using the HP One Voice or Metal look and feel, the cursor stays in resizing shape when it is inside the window or dialog, after quickly resizing windows or dialogs and releasing the mouse button. This can be visible:

- In windows: when the cursor is on the title bar or on menu bar.
- In dialogs: in the whole dialog.

**Solution**

Use a different look and feel.

**Symptom QCCR1A56713****No notification about error with https\_only enabled**

When variable https\_only is set to yes in ito\_op.bat and secure connection cannot be established, the user is not notified, but the login dialog appears again.

### **Solution**

Check the console for an error message.

### **Symptom QCCR1A110581**

#### **Instruction text interface not working through Instructions tab in the Msg. properties window**

If you use the Instructions tab in the Message Properties window to get the instruction text, the instructions call does not start.

### **Solution**

To get the instruction text of a message from the Instructions tab in the Message Properties window, click the **Annotations** tab, and then click the **Instructions** tab again.

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**NOTE** You can get instructions text also by right-clicking a message in the Message Browser and selecting Instructions from the pop-up menu.

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### **Symptom QCCR1A55909**

#### **Java GUI cannot Connect when the ito-e-gui Service is in Maintenance State**

If Java GUI cannot connect to the HPOM management server running on Solaris 10, it is possible that the ito-e-gui service is in maintenance state.

On Solaris 10, `inetd.conf` is obsolete, and `ito-e-gui` must be registered as a service. This service is responsible for starting the `opcuiwww.sh` script when Java GUI starts connecting to the HPOM Management Server.

If something goes wrong with `opcuiwww`, `ito-e-gui` switches into maintenance, and manual intervention is needed to put the service back online. When the service is in maintenance state, it is not possible to make a connection from the Java GUI.

### **Solution**

To get the current service status, use the following command:

```
svcs | grep ito
```

If the `ito-e-gui` service status is maintenance, switch it back online using the following command:

```
svcadm clear /network/ito-e-gui/tcp
```

The Java GUI should now be able to connect to the HPOM Management Server.

### **Symptom QCCR1A58168**

#### **Java GUI should start if TNS\_ADMIN is in use without any customization**

If you choose to use a different folder for storing the `tnsnames.ora` file, you may have problems when trying to run Java GUI.

### **Solution**

Edit the `/opt/OV/bin/OpC/opcuiwww.sh` file to export the `TNS_ADMIN` variable at the beginning:

```
export TNS_ADMIN=<alternate location>
```

### **Symptom QCCR1A97264**

#### **Browser layout is lost when column filter is loaded more than once from the same dialog**

When opening a column filter dialog, the custom saved filter loads only the first time. When you try to load it more times, with the column filter dialog being opened, the browser layout is lost and default column labels are used.

#### **Solution**

Switch between the text tab and the simple/advanced tab for two times and the custom labels will display again.

### **Symptom QCCR1A104940**

#### **Submap or Custom map changes its table view into map view after reload configuration.**

Submap or custom map on a service graph has a table view. After reconnecting the Java GUI service graph, view changes to the map view.

#### **Solution**

In the Java GUI, click **Edit->Preferences->Services tab**. Ensure that the Use Service Load on Demand option is enabled. Log off Java GUI and then log on again.

### **Symptom QCCR1A109287**

#### **Title of the Java GUI Web browser is unreadable.**

On the pages that use non-English characters the title of the internal JGUI Web browser is unreadable.

#### **Solution**

Set an external Web browser as the default Web browser for the Java GUI.

In the Java GUI, click **Edit->Preferences**, select the Web Browser tab in the Preferences window, and use the **Browse** button to choose an external Web browser.

### **Symptom QCCR1A110095**

#### **Cannot open links with left click in JGUI OLH through Active X**

If you opened Java GUI through ActiveX, the Java GUI online help links do not open when you left-click on them. This problem does not occur when Java GUI is opened in an external web browser.

#### **Solution QCCR1A156831**

#### **“Full Authentication” may not work with the Webstart Java GUI**

Java GUI may not work if started like Webstart in case Full Authentication is used.

#### **Solution**

This is the expected behavior.

### **Symptom QCCR1A150970**

#### **Java GUI freezes while trying to close any open window**

If shortcut bar contains too many items, Java GUI freezes while trying to close open windows.

#### **Solution**

Use the `show_shortcut_pane` start-up option for setting the visibility of the Shortcut Bar. When this option is set to `TRUE` or `ON` (the default value), the Shortcut bar is visible in the current Java GUI session. You can set the `show_shortcut_pane` option in the local `itoopr` file. This option cannot be read from the global `itoopr` file.



## Administration UI

### Symptom QCCR1A145496

#### Scheduled policies and actions do not run if the values are not specified correctly

If the details of the schedule are not specified correctly, scheduled policies and actions do not run.

#### Solution

Specify the details of the schedule at which the task should run using the fields displayed. Keep in mind that wild cards such as the asterisk (\*) are not allowed (to specify \*all\* values, leave the field blank). However, you can use the comma (,) and the hyphen (-) to specify ranges.

For example:

- *Minute*: a number from 0 through 59  
Enter 15 to start the task at 15 minutes past every hour, 0, 30 to start the task every 30 minutes, or 10-20 to start the task every minute from 10 to 20 minutes past the hour.
- *Hour*: a number from 0 (midnight) through 23 (using the 24-hour clock)  
Enter 12 to start the task at midday, 06, 18 to start the task at 6 A.M. and at 6 P.M., or 14-18 to start the task once an hour every hour from 2 P.M. through 6 P.M.
- *Day of the Month*: a number from 1 through 31  
Enter 15 for the first day of every month, 5, 15 for the 5th and 15th day of every month, and 1-31 for every day of the month. Note that 31 is always interpreted as the last day of the month, even if the month has 28, 29, or 30 days. If you define the day twice, once here and once in “Day of the Week,” the scheduled action is started twice.
- *Month*: a number from 1 (January) through 12 (December)  
Enter 4, 5 for April and May, and 6-8 for June, July, and August.
- *Year*: the year in which the scheduled task should run  
Enter 2009 for year 2009. Note that the number must include four digits. If you want to signify year 2009, you must enter 2009 and not only 09.
- *Day of the Week*: a number from 0 (Sunday) through 6 (Saturday).  
Enter 1, 2, 3 for Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, or 4-6 for every day between (and including) Thursday and Saturday. If you define the day twice, once here and once in “Day of the Month,” the scheduled action is started twice.

### Symptom QCCR1A154855

#### Editing a node fails if the HBP interval is specified as 00h10m00s

The Administration UI fails to save the node after editing it if the HBP interval has two zeros in the hours field.

#### Solution

To solve this problem, replace 00 with 0.

### Symptom QCCR1A134422

#### The operator Responsibility Matrix is not properly displayed in IE 8

When accessing the operator Responsibility Matrix in Internet Explorer 8 only the first nine out of 19 rows are visible. Because the vertical scroll bar is also not displayed, users cannot see the rest of the rows.

## Solution

To solve this problem, enable the IE8 Tools-> Compatibility View settings.

### QCCR1A159356

#### AdminUI “Find-Locate” functionality in AdminUI in IE9 aborts

When performing “Find” operation in the AdminUI opened in Internet Explorer 9 on Windows 7, the error messages similar to the following appear:

```
No pipeline matched request: -BES-index-RAW-/en/ at <map:mount> -
file:/opt/OV/OMU/adminUI/webapps/midas/work/webapp/global.xmap:520:101 at <map:serialize type="xml"> -
file:/opt/OV/OMU/adminUI/webapps/midas/work/webapp/global.xmap:375:42 at <map:transform> -
file:/opt/OV/OMU/adminUI/webapps/midas/work/webapp/global.xmap:330:90 at <map:transform type="xinclude"> -
file:/opt/OV/OMU/adminUI/webapps/midas/work/webapp/global.xmap:637:41 at <map:transform type="divIdgen"> -
file:/opt/OV/OMU/adminUI/webapps/midas/work/webapp/global.xmap:636:41 at <map:generate> -
file:/opt/OV/OMU/adminUI/webapps/midas/work/webapp/global.xmap:634:88 at <map:serialize type="html"> -
file:/opt/OV/OMU/adminUI/webapps/midas/work/webapp/global.xmap:372:43 at <map:transform type="encodeURL"> -
file:/opt/OV/OMU/adminUI/webapps/midas/work/webapp/global.xmap:360:64 at <map:transform type="i18n"> -
file:/opt/OV/OMU/adminUI/webapps/midas/work/webapp/global.xmap:357:38 at <map:transform> -
file:/opt/OV/OMU/adminUI/webapps/midas/work/webapp/global.xmap:330:90 at <map:transform
type="midasWidgetsTransformer"> -
file:/opt/OV/OMU/adminUI/webapps/midas/work/webapp/global.xmap:994:84 at <map:transform
type="urlParameterTransformer"> -
file:/opt/OV/OMU/adminUI/webapps/midas/work/webapp/global.xmap:990:83 at <map:mount> -
file:/opt/OV/OMU/adminUI/webapps/midas/work/webapp/sitemap.xmap:363:74
```

## Solution

To solve this problem, enable the IE8 Tools-> Compatibility View settings.

### Symptom QCCR1A157968

#### Add option to modify assigned policy version for policy groups recursively

When a checkbox that denotes a subgroup inside a policy group is selected in the Administration GUI, and then the option “Modify assigned Version...” from the drop-down list is used to select, for example, “LATEST” as the new chosen policy version, an exception error is thrown.

It should be possible to change the policy version of all policies inside the selected policy group, as well as the policies from included subgroups.

## Solution

Change the policies recursively by using the command line. The output should look similar to the following:

```
opcpolicy -list_group pol_group=TestPolicySubGroup1
Retrieving information for 'POLICY_GROUP_DETAILS' from the HPOM database failed.

opcpolicy -list_groups | grep Test

policy group: /TestPolicyGroup
policy group: /TestPolicyGroup/TestPolicySubGroup1# opcpolicy -list_group
pol_group=/TestPolicyGroup/TestPolicySubGroup1

policy group: /TestPolicyGroup/TestPolicySubGroup1
assigned policy : Test_dynamic_logfile, version 0001.0001, type name Logfile_Entry, FIX
assigned policy : Test_forwardcheck, version 0001.0001, type name Measurement_Threshold, FIX
=====
```

```
opcpolicy -chg_assign_mode group=/TestPolicyGroup/TestPolicySubGroup1 mode=LATEST mass_upd=yes
assigned policy: Test_dynamic_logfile, version 0001.0001, FIX
to policy group: /TestPolicyGroup/TestPolicySubGroup1
assignment mode changed to LATEST

assigned policy: Test_forwardcheck, version 0001.0001, FIX
to policy group: /TestPolicyGroup/TestPolicySubGroup1
assignment mode changed to LATEST

2 assignments to update; all ok
=====

opcpolicy -list_group pol_group=/TestPolicyGroup/TestPolicySubGroup1

policy group: /TestPolicyGroup/TestPolicySubGroup1
assigned policy : Test_dynamic_logfile, version 0001.0006, type name Logfile_Entry, LATEST
assigned policy : Test_forwardcheck, version 0001.0002, type name Measurement_Threshold, LATEST
=====
```

### **Symptom QCCR1A42068**

#### **Repeated logon required upon switching from the Java GUI to the Administration GUI**

When switching from the Java GUI console to the Administration UI, an operator has to log on again.

#### **Solution**

Log on once more.

### **Symptom QCCR1A42072**

#### **Profiles assigned to an HPOM user are not displayed upon editing**

When editing an HPOM user, you cannot see the assigned profiles.

#### **Solution**

Check for the assigned profiles from the Browse menu.

### **Symptom QCCR1A42227**

#### **Terminal type can be selected during the Windows node setup**

The Virtual Terminal option is enabled on the Advanced tab when adding a Windows node. This option should be disabled for Windows nodes.

#### **Solution**

You can safely ignore this option because its value is ignored when adding a Windows node.

### **Symptom QCCR1A60970**

#### **Service Discovery policy is displayed in one line in the .xml file (including the raw edit)**

The entire .xml output from the service discovery is displayed in one line. This applies also to the raw edit.

#### **Solution**

Editing the service discovery policy manually is not recommended and is not supported in the Administration UI.

### **Symptom QCCR1A61096**

#### **Certificate granting does not work even by using the Map force option**

After reinstalling an HP Operations agent on Windows, a new certificate granting request is pending on the server. Granting the request is not possible even by using the Map force option in the Administration UI.

#### **Solution**

Delete the `core_id` manually from the command line as follows:

```
opcnode node_name=<node name> -del_id
```

**Symptom QCCR1A100576**  
**Some title descriptions are hardcoded**

Overviews like “Orphaned Nodes” or “Unassigned Nodes” have no complete translation.

**Solution**

None.

**Symptom QCCR1A100659**  
**Administration UI is installed, but because cvp\_download.sh is not found, some TCs failed**

During SVT execution on Solaris 10 (where also the Administration UI is installed on non default ORA location), the following TCs failed: E90\_DBF\_UpDwnIncreasedDBFields, E90\_UpDwn\_\_Services\_Loggings, and E90\_UpDwn\_\_Sel\_Policy\_Group.

The reason for failed TCs is that `cvp_download.sh` is not found even though the file is present at the location mentioned in the path.

The following is an output that shows the problem details:

```
+ copying "/etc/opt/OV/share/conf/OpC/mgmt_sv/opcsvcm/loggings"
+ downloading ec libraries
+ downloading ec modules
+ opccfgdwn finished
ksh: /etc/opt/OV/share/conf/OpC/mgmt_sv/integration/cfgdwn/post/cvp_download.sh: not found
ls /etc/opt/OV/share/conf/OpC/mgmt_sv/integration/cfgdwn/post/
cvp_download.sh discovery_components.sh
```

**Solution**

None.

**Symptom QCCR1A107610**  
**Cannot change node type for node**

When changing the node type from one value to another (for example, from `MACH_BBC_LX26RPM_X86` to `MACH_BBC_HPUX_PA_RISC`) it is required to fill in these fields in the Administration UI: Label and IP address.

Because the IP address value is already specified and you are prompted to enter a host name first, it is not possible to perform a chosen selection, and therefore to edit the node.

**Solution**

For better IP address resolution use the “Resolve hostname” button (available with the Administration UI version 9.1.0). However, note that adding a node without the node type is not possible within the Administration UI.

**Symptom QCCR1A101499**  
**Administration UI Measurement\_Threshold policy editor does not accept the comma (“,”) mark as a threshold.**

On a Spanish platform, it is not possible to set the number with the comma (“,”) mark in the Administration UI policy editor because it cannot be saved.

**Solution**

Use full stop (“.”) as a separator for entering the thresholds.

### Symptom QCCR1A100570

#### Layout problems: The hint layout of some Administration UI items is improper

Some box hints are displayed with the wrong layout. The text is not aligned to the left, as it should be.

#### Solution

None.

## Localization

### Symptom QCCR1A90000

#### [L10N]: JAVA\_GUI: The “Certificate Management” in global filter is not translated.

This filter is uploaded along the default HPOM configuration, which is common for English, Korean, Spanish and Chinese. Name remains untranslated in default Japanese configuration files.

#### Solution

You can safely ignore this problem.

### Symptom QCCR1A90004

#### [L10N]: JAVA\_GUI: When login as the invalid password, the string is not translated

When you log on to Java GUI with the invalid password, an error message is displayed, but it is not translated.

#### Solution

To ensure that the error message displays translated, edit `/opt/OV/bin/OpC/opcuiwww.sh` by changing the locales in the call to `opcuiwww`. For example:

```
OPCUIWWW_LANG=${LANG} LANG=es_ES.UTF-8 LC_ALL=es_ES.UTF-8 \
/opt/OV/bin/OpC/opcuiwww $* >> ${LOGFILE} 2>&1
OPCUIWWW_LANG=${LANG} LANG=ja_JP.UTF-8 LC_ALL=ja_JP.UTF-8 ...
```

## Server Pooling

### Symptom QCCR1A150555

#### MigrateAsymKey.sh -createNodecert does not recreate the server pooling certificate in the OVRG virt

Although the HP Operations agent documentation states that `MigrateAsymKey.sh -createNodecert` recreates the certificates of all OV resource groups, it does not recreate the server pooling certificate in the OVRG virt.

#### Solution

After creating new node certificates using `MigrateAsymKey.sh -createNodecert`, manually recreate the node certificate in the OVRG virt.

For example, assuming that the virtual node name is `virt.rose.hp.com`, follow these steps:

1. Remove and recreate the certificate for the OVRG virt:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovcoreid -ovrg virt > /tmp/virt.coreid
/opt/OV/bin/ovcert -remove `cat /tmp/virt.coreid` -ovrg virt
/opt/OV/bin/ovcm -issue -file /tmp/virt.cert -name virt.rose.hp.com \
-pass virt -coreid `cat /tmp/virt.coreid`
```

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovcert -importcert -ovrg virt -file /tmp/virt.cert -pass virt
```

2. Verify that the new certificate has the correct key length:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovcert -certinfo `ovcoreid -ovrg virt` -ovrg virt
```

3. After migrating the certificates to the other server pooling node using `MigrateAsymKey.sh`, exchange the trusted certificates between the server pooling nodes again.

4. Copy `/tmp/virt.cert` and `/tmp/virt.coreid` to the other server pooling node.

5. Remove the OVRG `virt` certificate on the other server pooling node:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovcert -remove `cat /tmp/virt.coreid` -ovrg virt
```

6. Import the new OVRG `virt` certificate on the other server pooling node:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovcert -importcert -ovrg virt -file /tmp/virt.cert -pass virt
```

7. Verify that the new certificate has the correct key length:

```
/opt/OV/bin/ovcert -certinfo `ovcoreid -ovrg virt` -ovrg virt
```

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## Documentation Updates

The following user documentation has been introduced or updated since the last released patches for the HP Operations management server and the Java GUI (that is, version 9.10.230):

- *Authenticating Administration UI Users Using PAM or LDAP White Paper*
- *HPOM Server Configuration Variables*
- *Custom Process Management White Paper*

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## Documentation Errata

The following item is listed incorrectly in the documentation.

|                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
|-------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>LOCATION</b>   | <i>HPOM Concepts Guide</i>                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>ERROR</b>      | The information about managing disabled nodes is wrong.                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>CORRECTION</b> | When managing disabled nodes, the processes are not stopped (only messages for such nodes are discarded).                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>LOCATION</b>   | <i>HP Operations Manager Installation Guide for Sun Solaris</i>                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <b>ERROR</b>      | The guide contains wrong information.                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <b>CORRECTION</b> | The following information is obsolete and should not be included in the guide:<br>A short hostname may not be longer than 8 characters. Whenever a host is added to <code>/etc/hosts</code> , make sure that its name is fully qualified. |

## Local Language Support

HPOM 9.10 is localized to Japanese, Korean, Simplified Chinese, and Spanish. HPOM can be used in multilingual environments.

### Certified Encoding and Character Sets on HPOM Management Servers

Certified encoding and character sets need to be set for the HPOM management server and Oracle database host systems.

- Encoding HPOM Node Character Set: UTF-8
- Oracle Database Code Set: AL32UTF8
- Solaris Language Variable LANG:
  - English: en\_US.UTF-8, en\_GB.UTF-8
  - Spanish: es\_ES.UTF-8
  - Japanese: ja\_JP.UTF-8
  - Korean: ko\_KR.UTF-8
  - Simplified Chinese: zh\_CN.UTF-8

Other locales are also supported, for example, German and French. For information about supported character sets, refer to the *HPOM Administrator's Reference*.

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**IMPORTANT** UTF-8 is the only encoding supported by the HPOM database.

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## Localized Support

HPOM 9.10 provides the localized support for the following languages:

- Japanese
- Korean
- Simplified Chinese
- Spanish

The extent of this support is detailed in the following tables as it is not the same for all languages.

**Table 6 Localized Software**

| Locale                          |                            | English           | Japanese          | Korean            | Simplified Chinese | Spanish           |
|---------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Administration UI               |                            | ✓                 | ✓                 |                   |                    |                   |
| Java UI                         |                            | ✓                 | ✓                 | ✓                 | ✓                  | ✓                 |
| Manual Pages                    |                            | ✓                 |                   |                   |                    |                   |
| Installation                    |                            | ✓                 | ✓                 | ✓                 | ✓                  | ✓                 |
| HTTPS Agent Message Catalogs    | Event Action               | ✓                 | ✓                 | ✓                 | ✓                  | ✓                 |
|                                 | Embedded Performance Agent | ✓                 |                   |                   |                    |                   |
| Encoding/Database Character Set |                            | UTF-8<br>AL32UTF8 | UTF-8<br>AL32UTF8 | UTF-8<br>AL32UTF8 | UTF-8<br>AL32UTF8  | UTF-8<br>AL32UTF8 |

**Table 7 Localized Documentation**

| Locale                                                               | English | Japanese | Korean | Simplified Chinese | Spanish |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|----------|--------|--------------------|---------|
| <i>HPOM Administrator's Reference</i>                                | ✓       | ✓        |        |                    |         |
| <i>HPOM Concepts Guide</i>                                           | ✓       | ✓        |        |                    |         |
| <i>HPOM Installation Guide</i>                                       | ✓       | ✓        |        |                    |         |
| <i>HPOM Java GUI Operator's Guide</i>                                | ✓       | ✓        |        |                    |         |
| <i>HPOM Software Release Notes</i>                                   | ✓       | ✓        |        |                    |         |
| <i>HPOM Administration UI User Guide</i>                             | ✓       | ✓        |        |                    |         |
| <i>HPOM Administration UI Administration and Configuration Guide</i> | ✓       | ✓        |        |                    |         |
| <i>HPOM Administration UI Installation Guide</i>                     | ✓       | ✓        |        |                    |         |
| Java GUI online help                                                 | ✓       | ✓        |        |                    |         |
| Administration UI online help                                        | ✓       | ✓        |        |                    |         |



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**NOTE** Check the following web site for the latest versions of the localized manuals:  
<http://support.openview.hp.com/selfsolve/manuals>

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## HP Software Support

You can visit the HP Software support web site at:

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