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Announcement

The following information is for version A.05.60 of HP OpenView OS/400 Management for OVO Unix.

HP OpenView OS/400 Management allows you to integrate AS/400 or iSeries systems into the HP OpenView Operations for Unix environment. As a component of the HP OpenView Operations solution, HP OpenView OS/400 Management extends management of the IT environment to OS/400 domains.

HP OpenView OS/400 Management coexists with existing OS/400 management solutions to increase flexibility in managing OS/400 environments. HP OpenView OS/400 Management monitors the status and health of the OS/400 system and its standard applications.

What's in This Version

HP OpenView OS/400 Management is closely integrated into the OVO management system. Intelligent agents monitor the AS/400 or iSeries environment for important events and critical situations. These event and situation messages are communicated to the OVO management server through the Transmission Control Protocol (TCP/IP).

On the OVO management server, HP OpenView OS/400 Management exploits the facilities of OVO including message templates, applications, and a graphical presentation of the AS/400 resources (lines, controllers, devices).

HP OpenView OS/400 Management has the following additional features:

1. Native support for HP Itanium architecture running HP-UX 11.23 and OVO Unix 8.2.
2. Installation on Solaris 10 with OVO 8.14 or later.

Known Problems and Workarounds

When updating fields using the OV OS/400 configuration GUI utilities, be sure to press the enter key after updating the field. If the enter key has not been depressed after changing a field and you exit from the window, the field will not be saved.

Compatibility Information and Installation Requirements

Prior to installing the HP OpenView OS/400 Management product, see the following matrix for supported operating systems and OVO Unix versions.

Operating System	OVO Unix Version
HP-UX 11.0 (PA-RISC)	7.1 or later
HP-UX 11.11 (PA-RISC)	7.1 or later
HP-UX 11.23 (Itanium)	8.2 or later
Solaris 7, 8, 9	7.1 or later
Solaris 10	8.14 or later

The OV OS/400 agent provided in this release only supports OS/400 releases V5R1 and later.

HP OpenView OS/400 Management requires approximately 25MB of disk space on the OVO management server and 20MB of space on the AS/400 system.

It is not required to stop the OVO processes to install HP OpenView OS/400 Management.

For detailed installation instructions see the *HP OpenView OS/400 Management Installation Guide*.

The Java Runtime Environment required to run the AS/400 configuration utilities is no longer installed with the HP OpenView OS/400 Management product. Java Runtime Environment 1.4 or later must be installed and available. The AS/400 configuration utility will search standard locations for the JRE. If it is unable to locate a valid 1.4 JRE installation, a message will be generated. In this case you must specify the location in the `/etc/opt/OV/share/conf/vp400/vp400info` file using the format:

```
EV400_JRE=<path-to-JRE-1.4>
```

Patches and Fixes in This Version

Version A.05.60 of HP OpenView OS/400 Management incorporates all of the corrections for Version A.05.00.

Software Availability in Native Languages

There is no information on non-English languages for HP OpenView OS/400 Management.