

# NetIQ Identity Manager Designer 4.8.1 Hotfix 1 Release Notes

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NetIQ Identity Manager Identity Designer 4.8.1 Hotfix 1 (4.8.1.1) resolves specific previous issues. This document outlines why you should install this hotfix.

For the list of software fixes and enhancements in the previous release, see [NetIQ Identity Manager 4.8 Service Pack 1 Release Notes](#).

## 1 What's New?

This release provides support for the creation and configuration of the System for Cross-domain Identity Management (SCIM) driver. The SCIM driver offers connectivity and provisioning capabilities to applications complying to SCIM standards. In addition to managing users and groups, the driver is also capable of managing custom resources. For example, roles and entitlements.

## 2 Updating Designer

You must be on Designer 4.8 at a minimum to apply this update. The update process includes the following tasks:

### 2.1 Online Update (using the Auto Update feature)

You can apply this update using the built-in auto-update feature of Designer. The auto-update feature notifies you of new features available at the Designer Download Site. This feature allows you to download Designer package and software updates when the computer that has Designer installed is connected to the Internet.

- 1 Launch Designer.
- 2 From Designer's main menu, click **Help > Check for Designer Updates**.
- 3 Click **Yes** to accept the Designer updates.
- 4 Restart Designer for the changes to take effect.

### 2.2 Offline Update (Using the download page to apply the update)

This service pack includes a `Identity_Manager_4.8.1.1_Designer.zip` file for updating Designer. You also can perform an offline update of Designer when the computer that has Designer installed is not connected to the Internet. To perform an offline update, download this service pack on a local or remote computer and then point Designer to the directory containing the downloaded files.

To update Designer in an offline mode, create an offline copy of the Designer update files and then configure Designer to read the patch updates from the files copied to the local directory.

## To create an offline copy of the Designer update files:

- 1 Navigate to the NetIQ Downloads website.
- 2 Under **Patches**, click **Search Patches**.
- 3 Specify `Identity_Manager_4.8.1.1_Designer.zip` in the search box and download the file.
- 4 Log in to the computer that has Designer installed and create a local directory.
- 5 Unzip the downloaded files into the local directory.

## To configure Designer to read the patch updates from the local directory:

- 1 Launch Designer.
- 2 From Designer's main menu, click **Windows > Preferences**.
- 3 Click **NetIQ > Identity Manager** and select **Updates**.
- 4 For URL, specify `file:///media/<path_to_update_file>/updatesite1_0_0/`  
For a Linux mounted ISO, use the following URL format:  
`file:///media/designer4811offline/updatesite1_0_0/`
- 5 Click **Apply**, then click **OK**.
- 6 From Designer's main menu, click **Help > Check for Designer Updates**.
- 7 Select the required updates and click **Yes** to accept and update the Designer.
- 8 Restart Designer for the changes to take effect.

## 3 Known Issues

NetIQ Corporation strives to ensure our products provide quality solutions for your enterprise software needs. There are no new issues other than the issues mentioned in [NetIQ Identity Manager 4.8 Service Pack 1 Release Notes](#). If you need further assistance with any issue, contact [Technical Support](#).

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