

# Access Manager Appliance 4.0 Readme

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Access Manager Appliance 4.0 includes new features, improves usability, and resolves several previous issues.

Many of these improvements were made in direct response to suggestions from our customers. We thank you for your time and valuable input. We hope you continue to help us ensure our products meet all your needs. You can post feedback in the [Access Manager forum on Qmunity \(http://community.netiq.com/forums/30.aspx\)](http://community.netiq.com/forums/30.aspx), our community Web site that also includes product notifications, blogs, and product user groups.

For the list of software fixes and enhancements in the previous release, see [Access Manager Appliance 3.2 Service Pack 2 IR1 Readme](#).

For more information about this release and for the latest release notes, see the [Documentation](#) Web site. To download this product, see the [Product Upgrade \(http://www.netiq.com/products\)](http://www.netiq.com/products) Web site.

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## 1 What's New?

Access Manager 4.0 provides the following key features and functions as well as issues resolved in this release:

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### NOTE

- ♦ Support for CardSpace and J2EE Agents have been removed from Access Manager 4.0 onwards.
- ♦ Starting from Access Manager 4.0 release, there will be no enhancements or platform updates for the SSL VPN component. The component is however available and fully supported in Access Manager 4.0. The Administrative Console Dashboard labels the component as "Deprecated" to

convey this information. Deprecated means that SSL VPN will be removed from the subsequent version of Access Manager and you may consider other alternative solutions similar to SSL VPN.

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## 1.1 Updates for Dependent Components

This release provides the following updated components:

- ♦ iManager 2.7.7
- ♦ Java 1.7.0\_25
- ♦ Tomcat 7-7.0.42
- ♦ eDirectory 8.8.8

## 1.2 Support for Authorization Policies Based on IPv6 Addresses

Access Manager supports the forwarding of client IPv6 addresses in the X-Forwarded-For HTTP header. This support is provided by taking advantage of the IPv4-IPv6 dual stack support in the L4 switch. The option to bind IPv6 addresses to the Access Manager components is not available. For more information about IPv6 support, see [“Setting up L4 Switch for IPv6 Support”](#) in the *NetIQ Access Manager Appliance 4.0 Setup Guide* and [“X-Forwarded-For IP Condition”](#) in the *NetIQ Access Manager Appliance 4.0 Policy Guide*.

## 1.3 Wizard Based Configuration for Office 365, Google Applications, and Salesforce.com

This release introduces an easy way to configure cloud service providers such as Office 365, Google Applications, and Salesforce.com. You can access this wizard in SAML 2.0 Service Provider configuration. Integration of these providers is simpler because most of the settings are pre-configured. For more information about creating trusted service providers for Google Applications, Office 365, and Salesforce.com see [“Creating a Trusted Service Provider for SAML 2.0”](#), and for more information on pre-configured metadata, see [“Sample Configurations”](#) in the *NetIQ Access Manager Appliance 4.0 Identity Server Guide*.

## 1.4 Supports WS-Trust Secure Token Service

Access Manager addresses the need for securing Web services in SOAP world. This release provides security tokens to Web services using standard WS-Trust 1.3 and WS-Trust 1.4 protocols. You can now write smart clients that can communicate securely with WS-Trust enabled Web services. You can also validate the SAML based tokens, delegate or impersonate users at trusted Web service providers using SOAP based WS-Trust protocol. For more information about WS-Trust STS, see [“WS-Trust Security Token Service”](#) in the *NetIQ Access Manager Appliance 4.0 Identity Server Guide*.

## 1.5 Monitoring Access Manager using Simple Network Management Protocol

This release introduces support for Simple Network Management Protocol(SNMP). Using this protocol in combination with any Network Monitoring System (NMS) helps gather statistics from Administration Console for the purpose of monitoring. For more information about this feature, see [“Monitoring Access Manager By Using Simple Network Management Protocol”](#) in the *NetIQ Access Manager Appliance 4.0 Administration Console Guide*.

## 1.6 NetIQ Advanced Authentication Framework Support

Access Manager now supports advanced/multi-factor authentication add-on. Following are the supported authentication methods for Access Manager AA plugin:

- ♦ OATH OTP authentication
- ♦ Flash drive authentication
- ♦ Universal Card authentication

For more information about this authentication framework, see [NetIQ Advanced Authentication Framework documentation](#).

## 1.7 Google Authenticator

Access Manager supports two factor authentication using Google Authenticator One Time Password (OTP). Google Authenticator is an open source implementation of HMAC Based One-time Password (HOTP) and the Time-based One Time Password (TOTP). Access Manager supports shared secret store as the only option for storing Google authentication secret seed value. For more information about integrating Google Authenticator, see “[Configuring Google Authenticator for Two-Factor Authentication](#)” in the *NetIQ Access Manager Appliance 4.0 Identity Server Guide*.

For more information about limitations of 4.0 features listed above, see the respective Access Manager guides mentioned against each feature in “[What’s New?](#)” on page 1.

# 2 Installing or Upgrading

After you purchased Access Manager Appliance 4.0, log in to the [Novell Downloads](#) page and follow the link that allows you to download the software. The following files are available:

**Table 1** Files Available for Access Manager Appliance 4.0.

Filename	Description
AM_40_AccessManagerAppliance_Linux_SLES11_64.iso	Contains the Access Manager Appliance iso.
AM_40_AccessManagerAppliance_Linux_SLES11_64.tar.gz	Contains the Access Manager Appliance tar file.

To install Access Manager Appliance 4.0, see the *[NetIQ Access Manager Appliance 4.0 Installation Guide](#)*.

For more information about upgrading Access Manager Appliance 4.0, see “[Upgrading Access Manager Appliance](#)” in the *NetIQ Access Manager Appliance 4.0 Installation Guide*.

**Table 2** Supported Upgrade Paths for 4.0

Source	Destination
3.2 SP1	4.0
3.2 SP1 IR1a	4.0
3.2 SP2	4.0
3.2 SP2 IR1	4.0

## 2.1 Verifying Version Numbers

To ensure that you have the correct version of files before you upgrading to Access Manager 4.0, verify the existing Access Manager version.

### 2.1.1 Verifying Version Number Before Upgrading to 4.0

- 1 In the Administration Console, click *Access Manager > Auditing > Troubleshooting > Version*
- 2 Verify that the Version field displays a version that is eligible for upgrading to 4.0.

Components	3.2 SP1	3.2 SP1 IR1a	3.2 SP2	3.2 SP2 IR1
All Access Manager Components	3.2.1-57	3.2.1-57 + IR1-201	3.2.2-77	3.2.2-77 + IR1-107

### 2.1.2 Verifying Version Number After Upgrading to 4.0

- 1 In the Administration Console, click *Access Manager > Auditing > Troubleshooting > Version*
- 2 Verify that the Version field lists 4.0.0.110.

## 3 Known Issues

NetIQ Corporation strives to ensure our products provide quality solutions for your enterprise software needs. The following issues are currently being researched. If you need further assistance with any issue, please contact [Technical Support \(http://www.netiq.com/support\)](http://www.netiq.com/support).

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### 3.1 The Access Gateway Alerts are Sent to all Configured Monitoring Profiles

**Issue:** Whenever an alert gets generated, an email notification is sent to all recipients configured in profiles irrespective of which email is designated to receive those specific alerts. (Bug 833336)

**Workaround:** None.

### 3.2 WS-Trust RST Does Not Work Without the <wsp:AppliesTo> Element

**Issue:** After configuring WS-Trust, when a requester sends a Request Security Token (RST) without the <wsp:AppliesTo> element to Secure Token Service (STS), the request fails. (Bug 838323)

**Workaround:** None.

### 3.3 Issue with HTTP Logging Old File Options

**Issue:** When you restart the Access Gateway Service, Apache does not consider the existing log files during next rollover of logs. This causes a mismatch between the number of existing log files on the Access Gateway device and the **Limit Number of Files to** or **Delete Files Older Than** options set in the Access Gateway logging through the Administration Console. (Bug 840534)

**Workaround:** Manually delete the files. Default location is /var/log/novell/reverse/<reverse\_proxy> in the Access Gateway system.

### 3.4 The Access Gateway is Unable to Uncompress Data

**Issue:** The Access Gateway is unable to uncompress the data that is sent by the back end server. This occurs when the back end server sends the validation bytes in multiple packets and the Access Gateway does not wait until it gets all the validation bytes. (Bug 841743)

**Workaround:** None

### 3.5 X509 Authentication Does Not Work

**Issue:** An error occurs, when you use X509 authentication with custom certificates using the Access Manager Appliance to access a resource with 3.2 Service Pack 2. (Bug 842019)

**Workaround:** None.

### 3.6 Access Gateway Returns Bad Request Error

**Issue:** Accessing a protected resource with a URL containing %09 returns an error. (Bug 842481)

**Workaround:** None.

### 3.7 Errors are not Displayed While Upgrading Access Manager to Access Manager Appliance

**Issue:** Errors are not displayed when you run the Access Manager Appliance upgrade script on a traditional Access Manager setup. Upgrade script must terminate because upgrading Access Manager using Access Manager Appliance script is not supported. (Bug 842579)

**Workaround:** None.

### 3.8 Syslog Level Logging Issue in the Access Gateway

**Issue:** The Access Gateway Service shuts down, if you have not enabled the syslog level logging on the Access Gateway server. (Bug 842805)

**Workaround:** Enable syslog level logging on the Access Gateway proxy server. For more information about enabling syslog level logging, see [TID 7011611](#).

### 3.9 WS-Trust Secure Token Service Fails

**Issue:** An error occurs when an RST request is sent by using SOAP 1.2. (Bug 843094)

**Workaround:** Modify the end point `/opt/novell/nam/idp/webapps/nidp/WEB-INF/sun-jaxws.xml`. Restart the Identity Server using `/etc/init.d/novell-idp restart` command in Linux. For details, see (<http://jax-ws.java.net/2.1.5/docs/soap12.html>).

### 3.10 Apache Generates Core Dump

**Issue:** Apache generates a core dump when you create a character profile without adding any value inside the profile and then request a protected resource where this profile is created. (Bug 845764)

**Workaround:** None.

### 3.11 403 Error Occurs When URLs Contain %0A

**Issue:** A 403 permission denied error occurs when URLs query string contains %0A character. (Bug 847364)

**Workaround:** None.

### 3.12 Google Authenticator Does Not Support Firefox

**Issue:** Google Authenticator does not work on Firefox. (Bug 850838)

**Workaround:** Use Internet Explorer version 9 and 10 or Chrome browser.

## 4 Contact Information

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894 Windows Vista Enhanced DSS and Diffie-Hellman Cryptographic Provider (DSSENH)

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997 Microsoft Windows XP

1000 Microsoft Windows Vista Kernel Mode Security Support Provider Interface (ksecdd.sys)

1001 Microsoft Windows Vista Cryptographic Primitives Library (bcrypt.dll)

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1006 Windows Server 2008 Code Integrity (ci.dll)

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1009 Windows Server 2008 Enhanced DSS and Diffie-Hellman Cryptographic Provider (DSSENH)

1010 Windows Server 2008 Enhanced Cryptographic Provider

1012 Windows Server 2003 Enhanced Cryptographic Provider (RSAENH)

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