



Release Notes for CiscoView Device Manager for the Cisco SSL Services Module 1.1

These release notes are for use with the CiscoView Device Manager for the Cisco Catalyst 6500 Series SSL Services Module (CVDM-SSLSM) running on Windows and Solaris platforms.

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Description

CiscoView Device Manager for the Cisco Catalyst 6500 Series SSL Services Module (CVDM-SSLSM) enables users to configure Secure Socket Layer (SSL) services on their SSL Services Module. CVDM-SSLSM has a small footprint and can be downloaded and installed on the module Flash memory.

CVDM-SSLSM supports several features in SSL Services Module Software Release 2.1(1), such as:

- Initial setup wizards:
 - Configuring certificate Trustpoints
 - Importing certificates from external PKI system
 - Exporting certificates from SSL Services Module
- Certificate Management:
 - Visual indication of certificates expiry
 - Grouping of certificates by CA, enrollment status, and certificate expiry date
- CA pools, certificate access control lists
- Policies
- Proxy services
- VLANs
- Statistics

CVDM-SSLSM enables you to create configurations by responding to a series of questions in wizards, and CiscoView Device Manager designs the command-line interface (CLI) configuration based on those responses. At the end of the process, you view the CLI command syntax created and decide whether to deploy the configurations to the chassis immediately or to save them for future editing.

Product Documentation


Note

We sometimes update the printed and electronic documentation after original publication. Therefore, you should also review the documentation on Cisco.com for any updates.

[Table 1](#) describes the product documentation that is available.

Table 1 **Product Documentation**

Document Title	Available Formats
<i>ReadMe Document for CiscoView Device Manager for the Cisco Catalyst 6500 Series SSL Services Module (CVDM-SSLSM)</i>	<p>This document is available if you download CVDM-SSLSM from the software download site. You can reach the CVDM-SSLSM download site by clicking the Download Software link from this URL:</p> <p>http://www.cisco.com/go/cvdm</p> <p>Note It is important that you read this document before downloading and installing CVDM-SSLSM from the software download site.</p>
<i>User Guide for CiscoView Device Manager for the Cisco Catalyst 6500 Series SSL Services Module (CVDM-SSLSM)</i>	<p>This document is available on Cisco.com at this URL:</p> <p>http://www.cisco.com/go/cvdm</p>
Context-sensitive online help	Click the Help button from any dialog box within the application.

Related Documentation



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Table 2 describes the additional documentation that is available.

Table 2 **Related Documentation**

Document Title	Description and Available Formats
<i>Readme Document for CVDM-C6500</i>	This document is available if you download CVDM-C6500 from the software download site. You can reach the CVDM-C6500 download site by clicking the Software Center link from this URL: http://www.cisco.com/go/cvdm Note It is important that you read this document before downloading and installing CVDM-C6500 from the software download site.
<i>Release Notes for CiscoView Device Manager for the Cisco Catalyst 6500</i>	This document is available on Cisco.com at this URL: http://www.cisco.com/go/cvdm
<i>User Guide for CiscoView Device Manager for the Cisco Catalyst 6500</i>	This document is available on Cisco.com at this URL: http://www.cisco.com/go/cvdm
<i>Readme Document for CVDM-CSM</i>	This document is available if you download CVDM-CSM from the software download site. You can reach the CVDM-CSM download site by clicking the Software Center link from this URL: http://www.cisco.com/go/cvdm Note It is important that you read this document before downloading and installing CVDM-CSM from the software download site.
<i>Release Notes for CiscoView Device Manager for the Cisco Content Switching Module</i>	This document is available on Cisco.com at this URL: http://www.cisco.com/go/cvdm

Table 2 **Related Documentation (continued)**

Document Title	Description and Available Formats
<i>User Guide for CiscoView Device Manager for the Cisco Content Switching Module</i>	This document is available on Cisco.com at this URL: http://www.cisco.com/go/cvdm
<i>Readme Document for CiscoView Device Manager for the Cisco IPSec VPN Acceleration Services Module (CVDM-VPNSM)</i>	This document is available if you download CVDM-VPNSM from the software download site. You can reach the CVDM-VPNSM download site by clicking the Download Software link from this URL: http://www.cisco.com/go/cvdm Note It is important that you read this document before downloading and installing CVDM-VPNSM from the software download site.
<i>Release Notes for CiscoView Device Manager for the Cisco IPSec VPN Acceleration Services Module (CVDM-VPNSM)</i>	This document is available on Cisco.com at this URL: http://www.cisco.com/go/cvdm
<i>User Guide for CiscoView Device Manager for the Cisco IPSec VPN Acceleration Services Module (CVDM-VPNSM)</i>	This document is available on Cisco.com at this URL: http://www.cisco.com/go/cvdm

Downloading the Application

You can download CVDM-SSLSM, any published patches, and their readme files from the Download Software site. You can reach the CVDM-SSLSM download site by clicking the Download Software link from this URL:

<http://www.cisco.com/go/cvdm>

Refer to *Readme Document for CiscoView Device Manager for the Cisco Catalyst 6500 Series SSL Services Module (CVDM-SSLSM)* for the following information:

- Hardware and software requirements
- Information on coexistence with other CiscoView Device Managers
- Installation/uninstallation instructions
- Launch instructions

Known and Resolved Problems

Installation and launching problems with CVDM-SSLSM can occur because of known problems with:

- Lack of available VTY lines
- Netscape installation support for Java plug-in
- Lack of SSH or Telnet access
- Lack of flash: space
- Previously installed versions of CVDM

To avoid problems, please do the following:

- Ensure that at least two VTY lines are available. CVDM-SSLSM will not launch if all Telnet lines are being used. Instead, you will see a “Page cannot be displayed” error.
- Manually download the Java plug-in if you do not have Java Plug-in 1.4.2_06, or use Internet Explorer to download the Java plug-in automatically. Sometimes Netscape does not prompt you to download the Java plug-in.
- If there is not enough space in flash:, back up your files on the flash memory card by copying them to an external server, delete them from the flash memory card and issue the **squeeze flash:** command.

- If you have the previous version of CVDM-SSLSM installed on the flash:, you should delete the CVDM files, then install CVDM-SSLSM 1.1; see *Readme Document for CiscoView Device Manager for the Cisco Catalyst 6500 Series SSL Services Module (CVDM-SSLSM)* for uninstallation instructions.

[Table 3](#) describes problems known to exist in this release. [Table 4](#) describes problems resolved in this release.

**Note**

To obtain more information about known problems, access the Cisco Software Bug Toolkit at <http://www.cisco.com/cgi-bin/Support/Bugtool/home.pl>. (You will be prompted to log into Cisco.com.)

Table 3 *Known Problems in CVDM-SSLSM 1.1*

Bug ID	Summary	Explanation
CSCee13487	CVDM-SSLSM does not allow you to create names that contain a space.	Unlike CLI, CVDM-SSLSM does not support the creation of names that contain white space characters for Trustpoints, key pairs, proxy services, policies, certificate ACLs, and CA pools. To work around this problem, do not use spaces in the names for these items.
CSCee16213	Certificate Trustpoint wizard does not determine TFTP transfer status of certificate request.	When a certificate Trustpoint is enrolled using TFTP enrollment method, the Certificate Trustpoint wizard does not determine whether the TFTP transfer of the certificate request has succeeded or failed. The wizard displays <i>Request sent to Server</i> as the status even if the TFTP transfer was unsuccessful. To work around this problem, verify the TFTP server and confirm that the certificate request was successfully transferred from the SSL module.

Table 3 *Known Problems in CVDM-SSLSM 1.1 (continued)*

Bug ID	Summary	Explanation
CSCee31054	Proxy service configuration fails if any CLI session is in ssl-proxy configuration submode.	<p>Proxy service configuration fails if any CLI (Telnet or SSH) session is in ssl-proxy configuration submode. This applies to policy, NAT pool, CA pool and VLAN configurations (all the configurations that use the ssl-proxy command).</p> <p>To work around this problem, ensure that there are no CLI sessions in ssl-proxy configuration submode when using CVDM-SSLSM.</p>
CSCee48552	Some fields look compressed in Solaris 2.8.	<p>When using Netscape on a Solaris system, some of the dialogs may appear squeezed if the font is set to a small size.</p> <p>To work around this problem, go to Tools > Desktop Controls > Font Style Manager. Increase the Font size and restart the Workspace Manager. A medium-sized font should work in most cases.</p>
CSCee57848	Sometimes, a new browser window is not displayed in the foreground when you use Netscape on Windows.	<p>From a CVDM page, after you click a button or link that opens a new browser window, the window does not appear in the foreground.</p> <p>To work around this problem, bring the new browser window to the foreground by clicking the window's title bar.</p> <p>Note Netscape browser brings a new window to the foreground of all windows belonging to the browser process only, not to the foreground of the entire desktop. CVDM belongs to a separate process and remains in the foreground.</p>
CSCee58122	On exiting the CVDM-SSLSM, the splash screen and Java console are not closed.	<p>When using Netscape 7.1, if you select File > Exit from the menu bar, the splash screen and Java console are not closed.</p> <p>To work around this problem, close the splash screen and Java console manually.</p>

Table 3 *Known Problems in CVDM-SSLSM 1.1 (continued)*

Bug ID	Summary	Explanation
CSCsa15820	Sometimes, when using Internet Explorer on a Windows system, CVDM-SSLSM cannot be launched after installing the Java plug-in.	To work around this problem, remove the proxy setting in the browser.
CSCsa15984	CVDM-SSLSM is not launched if a nondefault password prompt is configured on a device.	CVDM-SSLSM works on devices that have default prompts. If you change the default password prompt for a device using CLI commands, then CVDM-SSLSM cannot be launched.
CSCsa45867	Unable to launch the CVDM-SSLSM if SSH is not enabled on SSLSM.	<p>CVDM-SSLSM does not launch for either of the following conditions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SSH is not enabled on the SSLSM. <p style="text-align: center;">Or</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A non-existing key pair is assigned for SSH ("ip ssh rsa keypair-name <ssh_key>") <p>To work around this problem try one of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Generate the key pair assigned for SSH using CLI • Assign an existing key pair for SSH using CLI. • Remove the SSH key configuration ("no ip ssh rsa keypair-name").

Table 3 *Known Problems in CVDM-SSLSM 1.1 (continued)*

Bug ID	Summary	Explanation
CSCsa50843	CVDM-SSLSM does not launch on a Windows 2000 machine with multiple versions of the Java Plug-in installed.	<p>The problem occurs on machine with the following configuration:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Operating system—Windows 2000 Professional with Service Pack 4 • Java Plug-in versions installed—1.4.2_04 and 1.4.2_06 • Active browser—Netscape 7.0 or Internet Explorer 6.0 with SP1 <p>Workaround: Uninstall Java Plug-in 1.4.2_04.</p>
CSCsa50848	Cannot launch CVDM-SSLSM in Internet Explorer running on a Windows 2000 machine when Java Plug-ins 1.4.2_06 and 1.5 are installed.	<p>Problem occurs on machine with the following configuration:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Operating System—Windows 2000 Professional with SP4 • Java Plug-in versions installed—1.4.2_04, 1.4.2_06, and 1.5 • Active Browser—Internet Explorer 6.0 with SP1 <p>Workaround: To launch CVDM-SSLSM with Internet Explorer, you must first uninstall Java Plug-in 1.5.</p>

Table 3 *Known Problems in CVDM-SSLSM 1.1 (continued)*

Bug ID	Summary	Explanation
CSCsa54308	When CVDM-SSLSM is launched with unsupported plug-in, it does not point to the correct download location of the supported Java plug-in (1.4.2_06).	<p>When CVDM-SSLSM is launched with unsupported plug-in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Netscape 7.1 (Windows 2000), does not point to the download location of the Java plug-in 1.4.2_06. The splash screen appears, but no error message is displayed. • Firefox 1.0 (Windows 2000), begins installing Java plug-in 1.5. • Netscape 7.0 (Solaris 2.8 and 2.9), does not point to the download location of the Java plug-in 1.4.2_06. <p>Workaround: Install Java plug-in 1.4.2_06 manually.</p>

Table 3 *Known Problems in CVDM-SSLSM 1.1 (continued)*

Bug ID	Summary	Explanation
CSCsa55533	Certificate Export wizard does not close the connection to a redundant SSLSM.	<p>When exporting certificates to a redundant SSLSM with a single VTY available for connection, the Certificate Export wizard does not close the connection after completing the certificate installation.</p> <p>To work around this problem:</p> <p>Clear the VTY used by the Certificate Export wizard on the redundant SSLSM using CLI.</p>
CSCsa64995	Launching CVDM-SSLSM using HTTPS reloads the module if any certificate is not available in the module.	<p>If the SSL module does not have any certificates installed, launching CVDM-SSLSM using HTTPS reloads the module.</p> <p>To work around this problem, try one of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make sure that at least one certificate for HTTPS access is present on the module. By default, a test PKCS12 file (test/testssl.p12) is embedded in the SSL software on the module. You can install the certificate from CLI, following the steps mentioned in the SSLSM configuration. • Use HTTP to launch CVDM-SSLSM.

Table 4 *Problems Resolved in CVDM-SSLSM 1.1*

Bug ID	Summary	Explanation
CSCsa11679	On Windows, Netscape 7.1 does not prompt you to install the supported Java plug-in version again if you cancelled the installation the first time.	To work around this problem, go to http://java.sun.com/products/archive/j2se/1.4.1_05/index.html and download and install the JRE from J2SE v1.4.1_05.

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<http://pgp.mit.edu:11371/pks/lookup?search=psirt%40cisco.com&op=index&exact=on>

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- 1 877 228-7302
- 1 408 525-6532

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EMEA: +32 2 704 55 55

USA: 1 800 553-2447

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