



Corporate Software Inspector 2016 R9 (Cloud Edition) Release Notes

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Introduction

Flexera's Corporate Software Inspector is a Vulnerability and Patch Management Software Solution that completes and targets the Patch Management process. It combines Vulnerability Intelligence, Vulnerability Scanning, and Patch Creation with Patch Deployment Tool Integration to enable targeted, reliable, and cost-efficient Patch Management.

Vulnerability and Patch Management are critical components of any security infrastructure because it enables proactive detection and remediation of vulnerabilities before they are actively exploited and your security compromised. With Corporate Software Inspector, IT Operations and Security Teams are empowered to take control of the Vulnerability Threat from both Microsoft and non-Microsoft (third-party) product vulnerabilities, covering Microsoft Windows, Mac OSX, and Red Hat Enterprise Linux.

Corporate Software Inspector scanning technology takes a different approach than other vulnerability scanning solutions by conducting non-intrusive scans to accurately identify all installed products and plugins on the system.

Corporate Software Inspector integrates seamlessly with Microsoft® WSUS and System Center Configuration Manager.

New Features and Enhancements

Corporate Software Inspector 2016 R9 (Cloud Edition) includes the following new features and enhancements:

- Last Scanned Date filter added to Product Smart Groups
- Corporate Software Inspector Agent Log File Size Limit has Increased to 16 MB
- Corporate Software Inspector Online Help and Release Notes
- New Flexera Logo
- Restarting the Smart Group Daemon Resets the In-Progress State



Note • To see the following new features and enhancements in your Corporate Software Inspector interface, you must refresh the cache in your browser. You can use the shortcut key CTRL+R.

Last Scanned Date filter added to Product Smart Groups

The **Last Scan Date** filter has been added to the **Product Smart Group** console so that users can see how recently products were detected via scan results (CSIL-8317).



Corporate Software Inspector Agent Log File Size Limit has Increased to 16 MB

To implement larger scanning projects, the Corporate Software Inspector Agent log file size limit has increased from 2 MB to 16 MB (CSIL-8152).

Corporate Software Inspector Online Help and Release Notes

In addition to the .pdf help format, Corporate Software Inspector now has online help: http://helpnet.flexerasoftware.com/csi/Default.htm. For the latest release notes, see http://helpnet.flexerasoftware.com/#csicloud00 or click the bottom of each Corporate Software Inspector screen next to the user name field. For earlier product release notes, see http://helpnet.flexerasoftware.com/#csicloud99 (CSIL-8337).

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New Flexera Logo

The new Flexera logo has been added to the Corporate Software Inspector login screen (CSIL-8297).

Restarting the Smart Group Daemon Resets the In-Progress State

If the Smart Group Daemon is shut down unclean, such as when there is an unscheduled database server shutdown, then the daemon can leave generations in an in-progress state. Previously, the Daemon would reset stuck states after a certain period of time (hours or days). Now when the Smart Group Daemon restarts, it will check for generations that are in the in-progress state within intervals as set by the configuration setting SMARTGROUP_GENERATION_ABANDON_INTERVAL_PER_SMARTGROUP. If the daemon finds such a generation it will reset them, so that they could be processed again (CSIL-6753).

Resolved Issues

Corporate Software Inspector 2016 R9 (Cloud Edition) has resolved the following issues:

- Digital signature of the Corporate Software Inspector plugin can now be verified when connecting to WSUS
- Corporate Software Inspector Agent now pulls the correct file version values
- Increased passwords to 40 characters
- Generating reports with empty fields now export as CSV and PDF files
- Corporate Software Inspector login page resets the password field after failed login

Digital signature of the Corporate Software Inspector plugin can now be verified when connecting to WSUS

The Corporate Software Inspector plugin has been updated with a digital thumb print for a new digital certificate. Old certificates that are used to sign Flexera binaries will expire on November 10, 2017 (CSIL-8366).

Corporate Software Inspector Agent now pulls the correct file version values

It was discovered that the agent could report the wrong numeric version of the Windows system dll on some versions of Windows. This version value has been corrected (CSIL-8368).

Increased passwords to 40 characters

Under **Security > Password Recovery Settings** passwords for Corporate Software Inspector have been increased to 40 characters (CSIL-8323).

Generating reports with empty fields now export as CSV and PDF files

Previously, reports with no data would fail, and the user would not know the cause of such a failure. This logic has been modified to generated empty files in such scenarios (CSIL-8249).

Corporate Software Inspector login page resets the password field after failed login

Now when a user enters an invalid password and clicks the **Login** button, the invalid password is cleared from the password field (CSIL-8327).

System Requirements

To use the Corporate Software Inspector console, your system should meet the following requirements:

- Minimum resolution: 1024x768
- Internet Explorer 11 or higher (Scan results can also be viewed from other browsers)
- Internet connection capable of connecting to https://csi7.secunia.com
- The addresses crl.verisign.net, crl.thawte.com, http://*.ws.symantec.com and https://*.secunia.com/ should be white-listed in the Firewall/Proxy configuration
- First-Party cookie settings at least to Prompt (in Internet Explorer)

- Allow session cookies
- A PDF reader

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