Software Vulnerability Manager (Cloud Edition) Release Notes

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Introduction

Flexera's Software Vulnerability Manager is a software vulnerability and patch management solution that facilitates a customized patch management process. It combines vulnerability and threat intelligence, end point assessment, and patch creation and publishing enable an informed and rapid patch management.

Software Vulnerability Manager can assess software vulnerabilities for both Microsoft and non-Microsoft (third-party) product vulnerabilities covering Microsoft Windows, macOS, and Red Hat Enterprise Linux. The results of this assessment are connected to our vulnerability and threat intelligence to allow for effective prioritization. Finally, third party patches may be created and published to remediate endpoints using Microsoft® WSUS (often in conjunction with System Center Configuration Manager), via Microsoft® Intune, VMware® Workspace One, or BigFix.

New Features and Enhancements

Software Vulnerability Manager (Cloud Edition) includes the following new features and enhancements:

- Patch Publisher Enhancements
- Software Vulnerability Manager User Interface Enhancements

- Reference: Latest Binary Versions

Note • *To see the following new features and enhancements in your Software Vulnerability Manager (Cloud Edition) interface, you must refresh your browser's cache (press Ctrl+F5).*

Patch Publisher Enhancements

The following improvements have been added to the SVM Patch Publisher.

- Custom Scan Rules View

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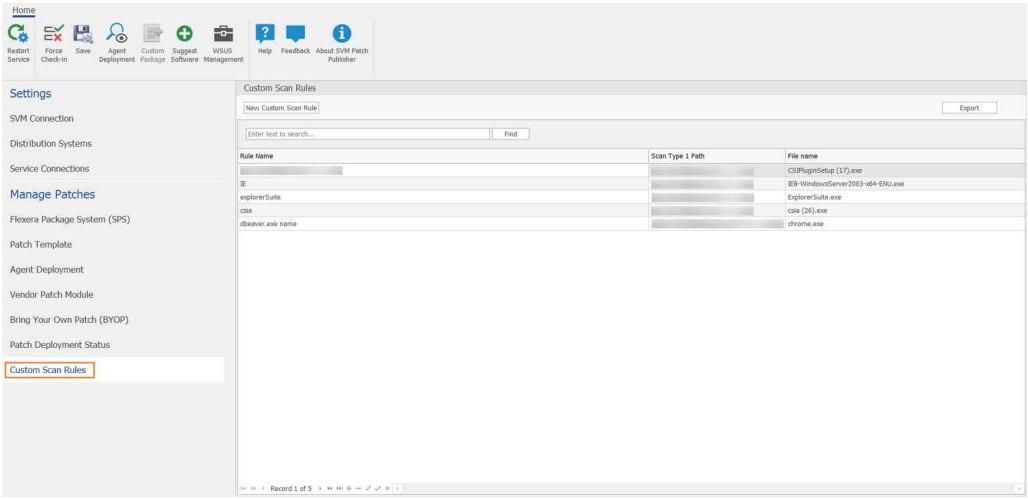
A new **Custom Scan Rules** view is introduced under the **Manage Patches** menu. Use the **Custom Scan Rules** page to create and maintain custom rules for scanning customer created programs, drivers, and plug-ins.



Software Vulnerability Manager User Interface Enhancements

The following improvements have been added to the Software Vulnerability Manager User Interface.

- Display Zombie Files

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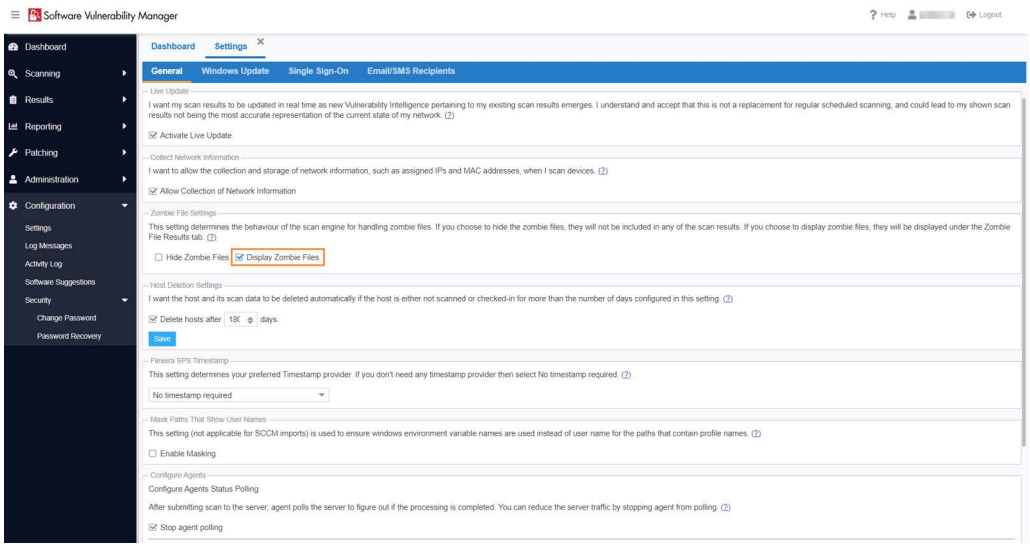
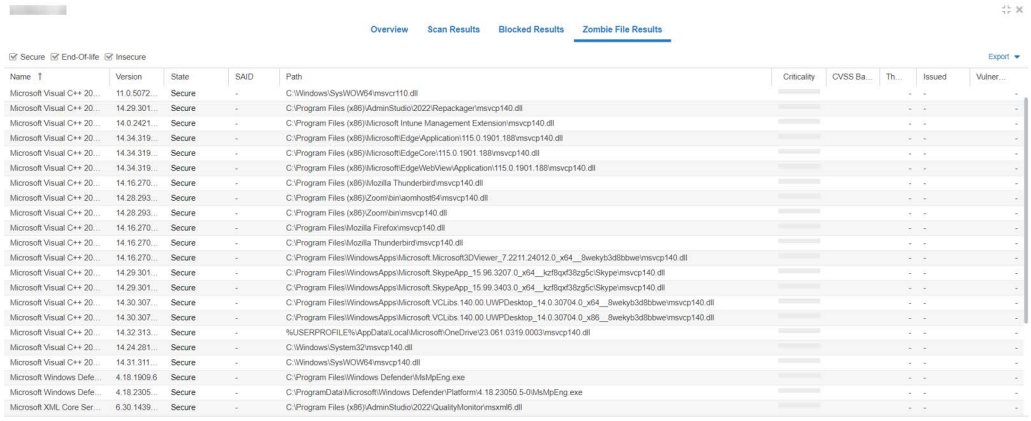
A new **Display Zombie Files** check box is introduced in the Configuration view > Settings > General > Zombie File Settings. The **Display Zombie Files** check box option enables only when the **Hide Zombie Files** option is unchecked. By selecting the **Display Zombie Files** option and running the scan, the discovered zombie files will be displayed in the Scanning > Completed Scans > View Scan Result > Zombie File Results tab.





Reference: Latest Binary Versions

The following version of the binaries provided are:

- SVM ActiveX Plug-in v7.6.0.24 (no change)
- Single Host Agent v7.6.0.24 (no change)
- SVM Daemon v7.6.0.24 (no change)
- SVM System Center Plugin v7.6.0.24 (no change)
- SVM Patch Publisher v7.13.1053 (to download, click here)

  Refer “Patch Publisher Enhancements” for changelog.

- SVM Cloud Client Toolkit v5.0.561 (to download, click here) (no change)

  This toolkit contains offline utilities such as the Multi-partition Reporting Tool, WSUS Management Tool and Client Data Tool which add value to SVM. This toolkit does not consist of Patch Daemon. This toolkit is for SVM Cloud edition only.

Note • *The Flexera SVM Patch Configuration will be deprecated in the future; therefore, you are encouraged to migrate to the new SVM Patch Publisher tool.*

Resolved Issues

The following table lists the customer issues that were resolved in Software Vulnerability Manager (Cloud Edition):

Issue	Description
IOK-1047459	Unable to download CSV report.
IOK-1042693	Unable to download non-enhanced packages.
IOK-752509	Unable to save SSO settings in SVM old console.

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