Patch Assessment Content Update Release Notes for CCS 11.0

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Patch Assessment Content Updates

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What's New in PACU 2013-6

Patch Assessment Content Update (PACU) 2013-6 includes updates from PACU 2013-5.

PACU 2013-6 contains the following updates:

- Patch Assessment Content Updates for Windows on message based content
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- Patch Assessment Content Updates for UNIX on message based content
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- Comprehensive standard for Windows and UNIX on Message Based Content
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- Comprehensive Windows Patch Assessment Standard

From February 2013 onwards, the existing standard, 'Windows Patch Assessment Check Library' is being deprecated. A new standard, 'Comprehensive Windows Patch Assessment Standard' is now added.

The Comprehensive Windows Patch Assessment Standard is a collection of checks that evaluate the service pack and the patch compliance for Microsoft and non-Microsoft platforms and products. In the Comprehensive Windows Patch Assessment Standard the checks are consolidated as per the product group or the product family. This has reduced the number of checks significantly enabling quicker installation and faster collection-evaluation-reporting job runs.

The new standard replaces the legacy Windows Patch Assessment Check Library. The earlier Windows Patch assessment check library will be marked as deprecated and all the existing data related to the earlier check library will remain intact.

The new standard is derived from the same source data that is utilized by the Windows Data Collector for Windows Patch assessment component and should be updated concurrently. Version consistency must be maintained between the Windows Data Collector on CCS Manager and the Comprehensive Windows Patch Assessment Standard for accurate results from Compliance Center. The standard is organized so that the user can locate checks by Microsoft Bulletin ID, Platform, or Product Family.

Patch Assessment Content Updates for Windows

PACU 2013-6 contains checks for updates released by Microsoft in February 2013 on message based content.

Updates for Message Based Content

- **MS13-009**
  Cumulative Security Update for Internet Explorer (2792100)
- **MS13-010**
  Vulnerability in Vector Markup Language Could Allow Remote Code Execution (2797052)
- **MS13-011**
  Vulnerability in Media Decompression Could Allow Remote Code Execution (2780091)
- **MS13-020**
  Vulnerability in OLE Automation Could Allow Remote Code Execution (2802968)
- **MS13-014**

Vulnerability in NFS Server Could Allow Denial of Service (2790978)

- MS13-016
  Vulnerabilities in Windows Kernel-Mode Driver Could Allow Elevation of Privilege (2778344)

Patch Assessment Content Updates for UNIX

PACU 2013-6 updates the operating system and application patches for UNIX operating systems for message based content.

Updates for Message Based Content in Patch Policy

- Solaris
- OEL
- HPUX Parisc
- HPUX IA64
- RHEL
- SUSE

Comprehensive standard for Windows and UNIX on Message Based Content

PACU 2013-6 contains the comprehensive standard for the patch policy.

Table 1-1 Message based data content patch policy and standard Updates for Windows and UNIX

File Name	Standard Version	OS Patch Policy Version
ESM_OSPatches_Comprehensive.xml	1.1.22	2013.02.01

Updates in PACU 2013-5

PACU 2013-5 contained the following updates:

- Patch Assessment Content Updates for Windows
  See "Patch Assessment Content Updates for Windows " on page 6.
- Patch Assessment Content Updates for UNIX

See "Patch Assessment Content Updates for UNIX " on page 7.

Patch Assessment Content Updates for Windows

PACU 2013-5 contains checks for updates released by Microsoft in February 2013 on raw-data content.

Updates for Raw-data Content

- **MS13-009**
  Cumulative Security Update for Internet Explorer (2792100)
- **MS13-010**
  Vulnerability in Vector Markup Language Could Allow Remote Code Execution (2797052)
- **MS13-011**
  Vulnerability in Media Decompression Could Allow Remote Code Execution (2780091)
- **MS13-012**
  Vulnerabilities in Microsoft Exchange Server Could Allow Remote Code Execution (2809279)
- **MS13-013**
  Vulnerabilities in FAST Search Server 2010 for SharePoint Parsing Could Allow Remote Code Execution (2784242)
- **MS13-014**
  Vulnerability in NFS Server Could Allow Denial of Service (2790978)
- **MS13-015**
  Vulnerability in .NET Framework Could Allow Elevation of Privilege (2800277)
- **MS13-016**
  Vulnerabilities in Windows Kernel-Mode Driver Could Allow Elevation of Privilege (2778344)
- **MS13-017**
  Vulnerabilities in Windows Kernel Could Allow Elevation of Privilege (2799494)
- **MS13-018**
  Vulnerability in TCP/IP Could Allow Denial of Service (2790655)
- **MS13-019**
  Vulnerability in Windows Client/Server Run-time Subsystem (CSRSS) Could Allow Elevation of Privilege (2790113)
- **MS13-020**

Vulnerability in OLE Automation Could Allow Remote Code Execution (2802968)

Patch Assessment Content Updates for UNIX

PACU 2013-5 updates the operating system and application patches for UNIX operating systems for raw-data content.

There are a total of 6097 new patch bulletins and 8324 updated patch bulletins in 4 dat (template) files.

Updates for Raw-data Content

- HP-UX 11.00 - 11.31 PA-RISC
- HP-UX 11.22 - 11.31 for Itanium-based systems
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux
- SUSE Linux
- IBM AIX
- Sun Solaris

Contents of the PACU

PACU contains the following files:

Table 1-2 Contents of the PACU

Name	Description
SEForMSPatches_Comprehensive.xml	Raw-data content standard for Windows
SEForMSPatches_Less.xml	Raw-data content standard for Windows
LinuxRecommendedPatches.dat	Raw-data content updates for Linux platforms
HP-UXRecommendedPatches.dat	Raw-data content updates for HP-UX platforms
AIXRecommendedPatches.dat	Raw-data content updates for AIX platforms
SunOSRecommendedPatches.dat	Raw-data content updates for Sun OS platforms

Table 1-2 Contents of the PACU *(continued)*

Name	Description
ESM_OSPatches_Comprehensive.xml	Message based content updates for Windows and UNIX
bvMSSecure.xml	Raw-data content file for Windows data collection
hfnetchk6b.xml	Raw-data content file for Windows data collection
BestPractice_OS_Patch_Updates.exe	Patch Policy updates on Message Based Content for Windows and UNIX.