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Note

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Readme for Fix Pack 7.1.0-TIV-LMT-FP0001 revised 2008/10/29 replacing the 2008/09/25

Fixes and known issues for IBM® License Metric Tool 7.1 Fix Pack 1 are addressed in this document.

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Description

This readme provides important information about fix pack 7.1.0-TIV-LMT-FP0001 for IBM® License Metric Tool, version 7.1. It contains the most current information for the fix pack and takes precedence over all other documentation.

Please review this readme thoroughly before installing or using the fix pack!

Table 1. Change history

Date of Creation/Update	Summary of Changes
25-09-2008	Document created
27-10-2008	IZ35052 - Wrong product name and version displayed by installer

The License Metric Tool 7.1.0.1 infocenter can be found at the following address:
<http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/tivihelp/v3r1/index.jsp?topic=/com.ibm.license.mgmt.doc/welcome.html>.

Note: To install the fix pack, you must be logged on as Administrator (on Windows®) or root (on UNIX®) to the computer where License Metric Tool is installed.

Summary of changes

This section summarizes the general changes that have been made to IBM License Metric Tool, version 7.1.

Full capacity PVU values now provided for x86 systems

Agents can now be installed on x86 computers and will provide data to the administration server. For x86 computers, the administration server will calculate the amount of PVU for full capacity licensing - but will not provide values for subcapacity licensing (the value will always be zero).

Agent installers for the x86 platform

License Metric Tool, fix pack 1 supports the installing of agents on the x86 platforms. Agent installers have been added for the following platforms:

- Linux®
- Solaris
- Windows®

System requirements

For information about hardware and software compatibility, see "Planning a License Metric Tool implementation" (License Metric Tool Information Center: Planning, Installation, and Configuration) for detailed system requirements.

Installing the fix pack

This section contains the instructions for installing the fix pack. Once you have installed the fix pack, you cannot uninstall it automatically.

The fix pack includes the following files:

7.1.0-TIV-LMT-FP0001-Server.zip

For each supported platform, the compressed file contains the files for installing the fix pack on computers where an administration server is installed.

7.1.0-TIV-LMT-FP0001-Agent_linux.zip

This contains the files needed to install agents on the Linux x86 platform.

7.1.0-TIV-LMT-FP0001-Agent_rshssh_linux390-linuxPPC.zip

This contains the files needed to deploy agents on Linux for zSeries®, iSeries® and pSeries® platforms using the RSH/SSH deployment wizard.

7.1.0-TIV-LMT-FP0001-Agent_rshssh_Unix-Win-LinuxIntel.zip

This contains the files needed to deploy agents on UNIX®, Windows and Linux x86 platforms using the RSH/SSH deployment wizard.

7.1.0-TIV-LMT-FP0001-Agent_solaris_x86.zip

This contains the files needed to install agents on the Solaris x86 platform.

7.1.0-TIV-LMT-FP0001-Agent_win.zip

This contains the files needed to install agents on the Windows platform.

7.1.0-TIV-LMT-FP0001-SPB.zip

This file contains the software package blocks for each supported agent platform, to be used when deploying agents using IBM Tivoli® Configuration Manager.

The fix pack must be applied to the License Metric Tool administration server. It is not possible to install the administration server using the fix pack installation file only. For information about installing the server, see **Installing License Metric Tool servers and databases** in *IBM License Metric Tool: Planning, Installation, and Configuration, Fix Pack 1*.

Note: During the installation of the fix on the administration server, the wizard stops and starts the server. If the server is running in a WebSphere® Application Server secure cell, you will be asked to provide the user ID and password for the secure cell. Ensure that you have this information before you start.

To install the fix pack, complete the following steps:

1. Log on to the computer where the License Metric Tool administration server is installed as Administrator (Windows) or root (UNIX).
2. Unpack the server compressed file into a temporary directory.
3. Launch the setup file for the platform on which you are installing the fix pack. The installation wizard starts.

Note: No license agreement panel is displayed. The fix pack is subject to the same terms and conditions under which License Metric Tool is licensed.

4. Specify a directory where the wizard can create a backup of your server configuration and other files that are affected by the fix pack and click **Next**.
If the wizard is unable to create the backup, the installation cannot continue. Ensure that you have the correct permissions to write to the specified directory and that there is sufficient space to create the backup.

Note: The space required for backup may vary, depending on the platform on which the administration server was installed, but typically backup requires 5 Mb of disk space.

5. Check the summary panel for the installation and click **Next** to confirm that you want to install the fix pack.
6. When the installation is complete, click **Finish**.

Installing agents on x86 nodes

For information about installing agents on x86 machines, see **Deploying and upgrading agents** in *IBM License Metric Tool: Planning, Installation, and Configuration, Fix Pack 1*.

Product Fixes

The fix pack corrects wrong product name and version displayed by the administration server installer.

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