


# REMOVED\_Upgrading from the Previous Release

 We recommend migrating directly to one of the latest stable releases of WSO2 Identity Server (i.e., version 5.6.0 or a later version). For instructions on migrating directly to a later version, see [REMOVED\\_Upgrading From an Older Version of WSO2 IS](#).

The following instructions guide you through upgrading from WSO2 Identity Server 5.4.0 to WSO2 Identity Server 5.5.0. In this topic, <OLD\_IS\_HOME> is the directory that Identity Server 5.4.0 resides in and <NEW\_IS\_HOME> is the directory that Identity Server 5.5.0 resides in.



## Before you begin

This release is a WUM-only release. This means that there are no manual patches. Any further fixes or latest updates for this release can be updated through the WSO2 Update Manager (WUM).

- **If you are upgrading to this version to use this version in your production environment**, use the WSO2 Update Manager and get the latest available updates for WSO2 IS 5.5.0. For more information on how to do this, see [Updating WSO2 Products](#).



## Migrating the embedded LDAP user store

It is not generally recommended to use the embedded LDAP user store that is shipped with WSO2 Identity Server in production setups. However, if migration of the embedded LDAP is required, follow the instructions below to migrate the existing IS 5.4.0 LDAP user store to IS 5.5.0.

- Copy the <OLD\_IS\_HOME>/repository/data folder to <NEW\_IS\_HOME>/repository/data folder.
- Restart the server to save the changes.

To upgrade the version of WSO2 Identity Server, the user store database should be upgraded. Note that there are no registry schema changes between versions.

Follow the steps below as needed to complete the migration process.

1. Download Identity Server 5.5.0 and unzip it in the <NEW\_IS\_HOME> directory.
2. Take a backup of the existing database used by Identity Server 5.4.0. This backup is necessary in case the migration causes issues in the existing database.
3. Make the following database updates as indicated below.
  - a. Download the [migration resources](#) and unzip it to a local directory. This folder is referred to as <IS5.5.0\_MIGRATION\_TOOL\_HOME>.
  - b. Copy the org.wso2.carbon.is.migration-5.5.0.jar and the snakeyaml-1.16.0.wso2v1.jar found in the <IS5.5.0\_MIGRATION\_TOOL\_HOME> folder, and paste it in the <NEW\_IS\_HOME>/repository/components/dropins directory.
  - c. Copy migration-resources folder to the <NEW\_IS\_HOME> root folder.
  - d. Ensure that the following property values are as follows in the migration-config.yaml file found in the <NEW\_IS\_HOME>/migration-resources folder.

```
migrationEnable: "true"

currentVersion: "5.4.0"

migrateVersion: "5.5.0"
```

4. Copy any custom OSGI bundles that were added manually from the <OLD\_IS\_HOME>/repository/components/dropins folder and paste it in the <NEW\_IS\_HOME>/repository/components/dropins folder.
5. Copy any added JAR files from the <OLD\_IS\_HOME>/repository/components/lib folder and paste it in the <NEW\_IS\_HOME>/repository/components/lib folder.
6. Copy the .jks files from the <OLD\_IS\_HOME>/repository/resources/security folder and paste them in <NEW\_IS\_HOME>/repository/resources/security folder.
7. If you have created tenants in the previous WSO2 Identity Server version and if there are any resources in the <OLD\_IS\_HOME>/repository/tenants directory, copy the content to the <NEW\_IS\_HOME>/repository/tenants directory.
8. If you have created secondary user stores in the previous WSO2 IS version, copy the content in the <OLD\_IS\_HOME>/repository/deployment/server/userstores directory to the <NEW\_IS\_HOME>/repository/deployment/server/userstores directory.
9. You can use one of the following approaches to migrate depending on your production environment.

- **Migrate by applying custom configurations to 5.5.0**

**This approach is recommended if:**

- You have done very few configuration changes in your previous version of WSO2 IS. These configuration changes have been tracked and are easy to redo.

**Steps:**

- a. If you have made configuration changes to the config files in your previous version of WSO2 IS, update the files in the <NEW\_IS\_HOME>/repository/conf folder with your own configurations.
- b. Proceed to [step 10](#) to run the migration client.

- **Migrate by updating existing configurations with what's new in 5.5.0**

**This approach is recommended if:**

- You have done many configuration changes in your previous version of WSO2 IS.
- These configurations have not been tracked completely and/or are difficult to redo.

**Steps:**

- a. Make a copy of the <OLD\_IS\_HOME>/repository/conf folder. (Do not change the original configs. You may use it as a backup in case there are any issues)
- b. Copy the following configuration files from the <NEW\_IS\_HOME> and paste it in the copy of the <OLD\_IS\_HOME> in the relevant path.
  - <IS\_HOME>/repository/conf/carbon.properties
  - <IS\_HOME>/repository/conf/consent-mgt-config.xml
- c. The table below lists out all the configuration changes from IS 5.4.0 to IS 5.5.0. You can scroll through the table and change the relevant configurations according to the features you are using.



**Tip:** Scroll left/right to view the entire table below.

**Note:** The configuration changes listed below will not affect the existing system because these configurations are applied only at first start up and new tenant creation.  
If you wish to change the configurations for the existing tenants, configure it through the management console user interface.

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- d. Replace the <NEW\_IS\_HOME>/repository/conf folder with the modified copy of the <OLD\_IS\_HOME>/repository/conf folder.
- e. Proceed to [step 10](#) to run the migration client.

10. Start the Identity Server 5.5.0 with the following command to perform the data migration for all components.

a. Linux/Unix:

```
sh wso2server.sh -Dmigrate -Dcomponent=identity
```

b. Windows:

```
wso2server.bat -Dmigrate -Dcomponent=identity
```

11. Once the migration is successful, stop the server and start using the appropriate command.

a. Linux/Unix:

```
sh wso2server.sh
```

b. Windows:

```
wso2server.bat
```