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Summary of Enhancements in Version 9.x

Version 9.2

FLEXLM LICENSE MANAGER EVENT LOGGING

- Support is available to log actionable FLEX*lm* license manager events via the Microsoft Windows event-logging service.
- For more information see the FLEXIm Programmers Guide.

INTERNATIONALIZATION SUPPORT FOR FLEXIM PARAMETER NAMES

- Internationalization support is now available for the full complement of FLEX*lm* parameters. FLEX*lm* v9.1 adds support for the following parameters:
 - Host names
 - User names
 - File names

These parameters can contain characters in any language and any codepage, including the UTF-8 encoding of Unicode.

• See the *FLEXIm Programmers Guide* for complete details regarding internationalization support in FLEX*Im*.

UNIVERSAL NAMING CONVENTION (UNC) SUPPORT IN FLEXLM

• FLEX*lm* recognizes path name specifications using the Universal Naming Convention (UNC). As an example, the UNC path name specification for lmgrd would be:

\\myserver\c\Program Files\flexlm\i86_n3\lmgrd

NEW OPTIONS FILE KEYWORDS

- GROUPCASEINSENSITIVE controls case sensitivity for user name and hostname lists in GROUP or HOST_GROUP keywords.
- MAX_BORROW_HOURS provides a way to change the maximum borrow period of a feature.
- For further details, see the FLEXIm End Users Guide.

NEW PLATFORM SUPPORT

• Support added for Red Hat Linux v9.0 on Intel x86 processors.

REVISED LMSTRIP UTILITY FOR WINDOWS PLATFORMS

• The utility, lmstrip, has been revised for Windows platforms.

New Vendor Daemon Variable

• A new vendor daemon variable, ls_hud_hostid_case_sensitive, is introduced in this release. It provides case sensitivity control for HOSTNAME, DISPLAY, and USER hostid types in served, node-locked licenses.

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COMPOSITE HOSTIDS

- A new hostid type, composite hostid, is provided in this release. A composite hostid allows the vendor to combine one or more FLEX*lm* simple hostids together, in a manner that is not apparent to the end user, providing a more secure hostid.
- A composite hostid can be used anywhere a simple hostid is used.
- Use COMPOSITE= for this hostid type in the license file.
- For more information, see the chapter entitled "Composite Hostids" in the *FLEXIm Reference Manual*.

New FLEXIBLE API FUNCTIONS

- lc_borrow_return(): this function provides support for early return of borrowed licenses.
 - This new FLEXible API function is used to return a borrowed license to the pool of available licenses before the borrow period expires.
 - Provides you with the means to include support for early return of borrowed licenses from your proprietary interface.
- lc_init_simple_composite(): this function initializes a composite hostid in the current job.
- See the FLEXIm Reference Manual for more information.

NEW ENVIRONMENT VARIABLE

- A new environment variable, FLEXLM_TIMEOUT, is introduced in this release. This variable sets the timeout value a FLEX*lm*-licensed application uses when attempting to connect to a license server port in the range 27000-27009. The default setting is 100000 microseconds.
- See the FLEXIm End Users Guide for more information.

SUPPORT FOR FLEXLM JAVA V9.0 (PACKAGED SEPARATELY)

• FLEX*lm* Java v9.0 (packaged separately) requires FLEX*lm* v9.0.

Resolved Problems

Version 9.2

Problem Number	Description
P6576	In certain circumstances, lc_vsend() does not connect to the second license server in a colon separated list of servers.
P6742	The utility, lmstrip, is not properly stripping some FLEX <i>lm</i> internal symbols. This causes subsequent linking to have unresolved references.
P7014	A checkout filter is called duplicate times, in some circumstances, for the same license file line when license file is accessed via port@host. This causes undefined results for the FLEX <i>lm</i> -enabled application.
P7190	Contrary to the documentation, the value of a HOSTNAME hostid is treated as case sensitive.
P7266	A request to borrow one or more package components fails if the package uses CRO authentication.
P7341	The license server does not append to an existing debug log, if configured to do so, if started as a service at boot time.
P7342	When using lc_auth_data() on a FEATURE/INCREMENT line within a PACKAGE, the NOTICE= field is returned as NULL.
P7359	When ls_use_all_feature_lines is set to 1, multiple FEATURE lines for a given feature within a PACKAGE are ignored.
P7404	The options file keyword, BORROW_LOWWATER, incorrectly evaluates the number of available licenses for borrowing.
P7148	When a queued license request is made to a component of a package suite, the request pends forever.

Version 9.0

Problem Number	Description
P6140	FLEX <i>lm</i> gives an invalid license error in some circumstances where a decimal license is used inside of a START_LICENSE/END_LICENSE block.
P6380	lmnewlog returns failure even though report logs were successfully switched.
P6594	With identically named features from different vendors, a SUPERSEDE line affects the feature from the wrong vendor.
P6666	The UPGRADE keyword does not follow the standard license-file sorting rules.
P6931	A request for an early-borrowed-license-return FLEXible API function.

Problem Number	Description	
P6960	With one node-locked and one floating license for the same feature, FLEX <i>lm</i> always looks at the node-locked license first. If it is denied, it won't continue to check out the floating license.	
P6984	In some instances, queued license requests are not dequeued when the licenses become available.	
P7000	The command line help for lmgrd does not match the documentation.	
P7001	The command line help for lmstat does not match the documentation.	
P7008	FLEX <i>lm</i> gives an invalid license error if the first word after a continuation character inside a quoted string is a license keyword.	
P7034	An application with a borrowed license continues to run after the license has expired.	
P7054	On Windows Itanium platforms, a checkout request specifying the LM_CHECK_BADDATE policy modifier crashes the application.	
P7067	The lmremove command does not give the appropriate error message for a feature that was not checked out.	
P7082	The EXCLUDEALL and INCLUDEALL options file keywords do not have an effect.	
P7101	Cannot return a borrowed license early if a semicolon (;) is used to delimit multiple pathnames in LM_LICENSE_FILE or VENDOR_LICENSE_FILE.	
P7106	lc_hostid() is undefined in lmgr8c.dll.	
P7113	A Windows service not able to create a C:\Documents and Settings\All Users\Application folder with SafeCast installed.	
P7118	When the LM_CO_QUEUE policy is specified in lc_checkout() and a checkout data string is set, a subsequent checkin labeled with the checkout data string can fail in some circumstances.	

Platform Notes

The following operating systems are supported in this version of $FLEXlm^{\textcircled{@}}$. See "Detailed Platform Information" for more information on each platform.

Operating System	Hardware Platform
AIX 32-bit	PowerPC generalPowerPC, RS6000
AIX 64-bit	• PowerPC, RS6000
Compaq Tru64 UNIX	DEC Alpha
DEC Alpha OSF	DEC Alpha
HP-UX 32-bit	Intel Itanium HP 32-bit
HP-UX 64-bit	Intel Itanium HP 64-bit
Intel FreeBSD	• Intel x86
IRIX 32-bit	• SGI 32-bit
IRIX 64-bit	• SGI 64-bit
Mac OS	• PowerPC
Microsoft Windows 95/98/NT/2000/ XP/ME	• Intel x86
Microsoft Windows XP Professional, Win 64, Windows 2000 Server, Windows Server 2003	Intel Itanium
Red Hat Linux	DEC AlphaIntel x86Intel Itanium
Siemens Nixdorf RM400 Sinux	Siemens Nixdorf RM400 (mips)
Solaris 32-bit	Sun 32-bitIntel x86
Solaris 64-bit	• Sun 64-bit

Detailed Platform Information

The following sections list the operating systems and their associated hardware platforms for which support is provided by FLEX*lm*. Each platform entry contains the following information:

Platform

The specific hardware platform for which support is provided.

OS

The specific operating system version or versions supported on the platform.

• FLEX*lm* platform name

This code specifies both the binary base name of the installer and the installation folder that contains the platform-specific FLEX*lm* components.

· Built with

The compilation and linkage command lines used to build the FLEX*lm* client library and other components included in the Software Development Kit.

Notes

Additional notes and caveats specific to that platform, which are useful for developing your FLEX*lm*-enabled product.

AIX 32-BIT

Platform: PowerPC, RS6000

OS: AIX 3.2 to 4.3

FLEXIm Platform rs6000 u3

name:

Built with: cc: /bin/cc -D_BSD -D_BSD_INCLUDES

link: /bin/cc -lbsd

Notes: • Multi-threaded heartbeats not supported.

Platform: PowerPC, RS6000
OS: AIX 4.x or higher

FLEX*lm* Platform ppc_u4

name:

Built with: /bin/cc -DRS6000 -D_BSD -D_BSD_INCLUDES -DAIX_PPC

Notes: • uname -a: AIX sysxxx 1 4 00FFFFFF4D00

AIX 64-BIT

Platform: PowerPC, RS6000

OS: AIX 4.3 to 5.x

FLEX*lm* Platform

name:

rs64_u4

Built with: cc: /bin/cc -DRS64 -DRS6000 -D_BSD \

-D_BSD_INCLUDES -qnolm -q64

link: /bin/cc -lbsd -q64 -lpthreads

Notes: • uname -a: AIX sysxxx 3 4 000687724C00

• You have to use ar -X64 and strip -X64 on this platform.

Older 32-bit binaries run fine on this OS.Multi-threaded heartbeats not supported.

Platform: PowerPC, RS6000

OS: AIX 5L 5.0 or higher

FLEX*lm* Platform rs64_u5

name:

Built with: cc: -DAIX5 -DRS64 -DRS6000 -D_BSD \

-D_BSD_INCLUDES -qnolm -q64

link: -lbsd -q64 -lpthreads

Notes: • uname -a: AIX sysxxx 1 5 000687724C00

• You have to use ar -X64 and strip -X64 on this platform.

• Older 32-bit binaries run fine on this OS.

• Multi-threaded heartbeats not supported.

COMPAQ TRU64 UNIX

Platform: DEC ALpha

OS: OSF 3.2 or higher

FLEX*lm* Platform alpha_u3

name:

Built with: /usr/bin/cc -std -DDEC_UNIX_3

Notes: • uname -a: OSF1 sysxxx V3.2 17 alpha

DEC ALPHA OSF

Platform: DEC ALpha

OS: OSF 3.2 or higher

FLEXIm Platform

name:

alpha_u3

Built with: cc:/usr/bin/cc -std -DDEC_UNIX_3

Notes: • uname -a: OSF1 sysxxx V3.2 17 alpha

HP-UX 32-BIT

Platform: HP 32-bit

OS: HP-UX 10.20 to 11.20

FLEX*lm* Platform

name:

hp700_u10

Built with: cc: /bin/cc -Aa -D_HIUX_SOURCE -D_HPUX_SOURCE

+DA1.0 +DS1.0

Notes: • uname -a: HP-UX sysxxx B.10.20 A 9000/715 2005771344

• Hostid note: we no longer recommend using ethernet address as a hostid. It may

fail on some HP-UX 11.x systems.

• No multi-threaded heartbeat support (use hp700_u11 if needed)

Platform: HP 32-bit

OS: HP-UX 11.20 or higher

FLEX*lm* Platform hp700_u11

name:

Built with: cc: /bin/cc -Aa -D_HIUX_SOURCE -D_HPUX_SOURCE

+DA1.0 +DS1.0

Notes: • uname -a: HP-UX sysxxx B.11.00 A 9000/780 2013810305

two-user

• Hostid note: we no longer recommend using ethernet address as a hostid. It may

fail on some HP-UX 11.x systems.

Platform: Intel Itanium

OS: HP-UX 11.20 or higher

FLEX*lm* Platform it32_hp11

name:

Built with: cc: /bin/cc -DHP -DHP64 -DHPINTEL_64

-D_HIUX_SOURCE-D_HPUX_SOURCE +DD64

Notes: • uname -a:

HP-UX sysxxx B.11.20 U ia64 2625004313 unlimited-user license

unlimited-user license

 hostid note: Use lmhostid from the FLEXIm platform directory to determine the hostid. This returns the machine identification and is equivalent to the identification returned by the HP-UX command:

getconf CS_PARTITION_IDENT

- For example:
 - > lmhostid
 - > The FLEX1m host ID of this machine is

"ID_STRING=9c766319-db72-d411-af62- 0060b05e4c05"

- Older methods of obtaining the hostid which return the ethernet address are still supported, but may fail on some systems. The older methods include:

 - > lmhostid -long (returns hexidecimal hostid)
 The FLEX1m host ID of this machine is
 "9c766319"

HP-UX 64-віт

Platform: HP 64-bit

OS HP-UX 11.00 or higher

FLEX*lm* Platform hp64_u11

name:

Built with: cc: /bin/cc -D_HIUX_SOURCE -D_HPUX_SOURCE

+DA2.0W +DS2.0W

Notes: • uname -a: HP-UX sysxxx B.11.00 A 9000/780

2013810305 two-user license

Platform: Intel Itanium

OS: HP-UX 11.20 or higher

FLEX*lm* Platform ite

name:

it64_hp11

Built with: cc: /bin/cc -DHP -DHP64 -DHPINTEL_64

-D_HIUX_SOURCE -D_HPUX_SOURCE +DD64

Notes: • uname -a:

```
HP-UX sysxxx B.11.20 U ia64 2625004313 unlimited-user license
```

 hostid note: Use lmhostid from the FLEXIm platform directory to determine the hostid. This returns the machine identification and is equivalent to the identification returned by the HP-UX command:

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getconf CS_PARTITION_IDENT
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- For example:
 - > lmhostid
 - > The FLEX1m host ID of this machine is

"ID_STRING=9c766319-db72-d411-af62- 0060b05e4c05"

- Older methods of obtaining the hostid which return the ethernet address are still supported, but may fail on some systems. The older methods include:

 - > lmhostid -long (returns hexidecimal hostid)
 The FLEX1m host ID of this machine is
 "9c766319"

INTEL FREEBSD

Platform: Intel x86

OS: FreeBSD 3.4 or higher

FLEXIm Platform i86 f3

name:

Built with: cc: /usr/bin/cc

link: -pthread

Notes:

• This is the FreeBSD platform. We no longer support i86 f2, which is

incompatible with i86_f3. i86_f3 however, is completely compatible with i86_f4

(freebsd 4.x)

• uname -a:

FreeBSD sysxxx 3.4-RELEASE FreeBSD 3.4
-RELEASE #0: Mon Dec 20 06:54:39 GMT 1999
jkh@time.cdrom.com:/usr/src/sys/compile/
GENERIC i386

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IRIX 32-BIT

Platform: SGI 32-bit

OS: IRIX 6.2 or higher

FLEX*lm* Platform sgi32_u6 (mips3)

name: sgio32_u6 (-o32 compiler option, for mips2)

Built with: cc: /bin/cc -DSGI6 -DSGI32 -DSGI {-n32 -mips3 | -o32 }

link: /bin/cc {-n32 -mips3 | -o32 } -lpthread

Notes: • uname -a: IRIX sysxxx 6.2 03131015 IP22

• Note that -o32 format is in liblmgr_o32.a in the platform directory.

IRIX 64-BIT

Platform: SGI 64-bit

OS: IRIX 6.5 or higher

FLEX*lm* Platform sgi64_u6

name:

Built with: cc: /bin/cc -DSGI6 -DSGI -DSGI64 -64 -mips3

link: /bin/cc -64 -mips3 -lpthread

Notes: uname -a: IRIX64 sysxxx 6.5 05190003 IP26

MAC OS

Platform: PowerPC

OS: Mac OS X 10.1 or higher

FLEX*lm* Platform ppc_mac10

name:

Built with: cc: /usr/bin/cc

Notes: • uname -a:

Darwin sysxxx 1.4 Darwin Kernel Version 1.4:

Sun Sep 9 15:39:59 PDT 2001; root:xnu/xnu-201.obj~1/RELEASE_PPC

Power Macintosh powerpc

MICROSOFT WINDOWS 95/98/NT/2000/XP/ME

Platform: Intel x86

OS: Windows 95/98/NT/2000/XP/ME

FLEXIm Platform

i86_n3 (installer name is flexlm.exe)

name:

Built with: cl: Microsoft Visual C++ v6

Notes: • genlic GUI license generator utility support not available, please use lmcrypt

or makekey command-line utilities.

• FLEXlock changes have occurred in this release of FLEXlm. Please see FLEXlm

Programmers Guide for additional information.

MICROSOFT WINDOWS XP PROFESSIONAL, WIN 64, WINDOWS 2000 SERVER, WINDOWS SERVER 2003

Platform: Intel Itanium

OS: Windows XP Professional, 64-bit, Microsoft 2000 server, or Microsoft Server

2003

FLEX*lm* Platform

name:

it64_n (installer name is flexlmia64.exe)

Built with:

Microsoft Platform SDK July 2002, 64-bit

• Microsoft C/C++ compiler version 13.10.2154.8 for IA-64

• Microsoft Incremental Linker version 7.10.2154.8

• Microsoft Program Maintenance Utility version 7.10.2154.8

Notes: • Itanium CPU B3 Stepping or greater

• BIOS Firmware revision 89 or greater

Memory RAM, 500 MB or greater

• Hard Disk, 25 MB space free or greater

• genlic GUI license generator utility support not available, please use Imcrypt or makekey command-line utilities.

• Parallel or USB Dongle (FLEXid) support not available.

- CPU Serial number support (Pentium III) not available on Itanium Chip.
- The following situation can occur while building a vendor daemon in it64_n:

```
if exist lm_new.c del lm_new.c
lmnewgen.exe demo.exe -o lm_new.c
Verify failed, 0xc6f8 != 0x30f8NMAKE :
    fatal error U1077:
'lmnewgen.exe' : return
code '0xffffffff'
Stop.
```

The workaround for this error is to run nmake again. This error may occur many times before a successful build.

RED HAT LINUX

Platform: DEC Alpha

OS: Red Hat Linux 6.2 or higher

FLEXIm Platform

name:

alpha_r6

Built with: cc: /usr/bin/cc -DLINUX -DALPHA_LINUX

Notes: • uname -a: Linux sysxxx 2.2.14-6.0 #1 Tue Mar 28

16:56:56 EST 2000 alpha unknown

Platform: Intel x86

OS: Red Hat Linux 5.2 or higher

FLEX*lm* Platform i86_g2 - Red Hat 5 name: i86_r6 - Red Hat 6

i86_r9 - Red Hat 9

Built with: cc: /usr/bin/cc -DLINUX -DGLIBC -DREDHAT

Notes: • uname -a: Linux sysxxx 2.2.5-15 #1 Mon

Apr 1922:21:09 EDT 1999 i586 unknown

• i86_g2 binaries will run fine on Red Hat 6, but mixing objects and libraries between Red Hat 5 and 6 will not behave correctly when linked and run,.

• Multi-threaded heartbeats supported with Red Hat 6 and Red Hat 9 only.

Platform: Intel Itanium

OS: Red Hat Linux 7.0 or higher

FLEX*lm* Platform it64_lr2

name:

Built with:

cc:/usr/bin/gcc -DLINUX -DLINUX64 -DRHLINUX64

Notes: • uname -a: Linux sysxxx 2.4.0-0.43smp #1 SMP Mon

Dec 4 18:37:06 EST 2000 ia64 unknown

SCO UNIXWARE

Platform: Intel x86

OS: UnixWare 3.2 to 7.5

FLEXIm Platform

name:

sco_u3

Built with: cc: /bin/cc

Notes:

• If CRO is used, you will get lots of warnings during link. These are harmless and

should be ignored.

• Multi-threaded heartbeats not supported.

Platform: Intel x86

OS: UnixWare 7.5 or higher

FLEX*lm* Platform

name:

i86_u7

Built with: cc: /bin/cc -Dsco -Dsco -Dsco5

Notes: • uname -a: UnixWare sysxxx 5 7 i386 x86at SCO UNIX_SVR5

SIEMENS NIXDORF RM400 SINUX

Platform: Siemens Nixdorf RM400 (mips)

OS: SINIX-N 5.41 or higher

FLEX*lm* Platform

name:

rm400_u5

Built with: cc: /bin/cc -Dsinix -DSINIX -DSINIX_MIPS

link: /bin/cc -lsocket -lnsl

Notes: • uname -a: SINIX-N sysxxx 5.41 C0005 RM400 1/64 R3000

SOLARIS 32-BIT

Platform: Intel x86

OS: Solaris 2.4 or higher

FLEX*lm* Platform

name:

i86_x5

Built with: cc: /bin/cc -DSUNOS5 -Dsun

Notes: • uname -a: SunOS sysxxx 5.4 generic i86pc i386

Platform: Sun 32-bit

OS: Solaris 2.5 to 2.6

FLEXIm Platform

name:

sun4_u5

Built with: cc: /usr/ucb/cc -DSUNOS5

link: /usr/ucb/cc -lsocket -lnsl -lintl -lpthread

Notes: • uname -a: SunOS sysxxx 5.5 Generic_103093-27 sun4m

sparc SUNW,SPARCstation-4

• Supports synchronous I/O multiplexing, via select(), for up to 1024 file

descriptors.

Platform: Sun 32-bit

OS: Solaris 2.7 or higher

FLEXIm Platform sun4_u7

name:

Built with: cc: /opt/SUNWspro/SC5.0/bin/cc -DSUNOS5 -DFD_SETSIZE=65535

link: /opt/SUNWspro/SC5.0/bin/cc -lsocket -lnsl \

-lintl -lpthread

Notes: • uname -a: SunOS ultra5 5.7 Generic_106541-17 sun4u sparc

SUNW, Ultra-5_10

• Supports synchronous I/O multiplexing, via select(), for up to 65535 file

descriptors.

SOLARIS 64-BIT

Platform: Sun 64-bit

OS: Solaris 2.7 or higher

FLEXIm Platform

name:

sun64_u5

Built with: cc: /usr/ucb/cc -DSUNOS5 -DSUN64 -xarch=v9

link: /usr/ucb/cc -lsocket -lnsl -lintl -xarch=v9

-xildoff -lpthread

Notes: • uname -a: SunOS sysxxx 5.7 Generic_106541-02 sun4u

sparc SUNW, Ultra-5_10

• Older, 32-bit binaries run fine on this OS.

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