

BigFix Inventory Catalog 20250811 Release Notes

This table provides information about the BigFix Inventory software catalog update 20250811. The update is cumulative and contains changes that were provided in the previous updates.

Name of the component	Version	Updated in this Release
BigFix Inventory Discovery Site	24	Yes
BigFix Inventory Server Software Catalog	20250811	Yes
BigFix Inventory Scanner Software Catalog - Major	2638955	Yes

License Mapping & Software Categorization through Artificial Intelligence

Now the catalog includes Software product license types & Software component categories details. This data is powered by Artificial Intelligence (AI) and verified in-house for selected vendors to provide accuracy close to 90%.

The BigFix Inventory v11.0.2.0 reports are enhanced with this information to help with license compliance and optimization scenarios.

For more information, refer to user documentation:

https://help.hcl-software.com/bigfix/11.0/inventory/Inventory/Discovery/license_types_software_category.html

and BigFix Inventory 11.0.2.0 release notes:

<https://support.bigfix.com/bfi/BigFix-Inventory-11.0.2.0-ReleaseNotes.pdf>


Software Catalog

This release includes Software Catalog with capability to discover 50+ new software versions including but not limited to the following software manufacturers like Avaya, Citrix, Microsoft, RED HAT & SAS.

New template signatures included in this release:


Template signature is a method of discovery where the version of a component is detected automatically, and a specific version is dynamically added to the catalog. Such template signatures include all component versions. They are used when the software is frequently updated, and the deployment method has not changed. One template covers 10+ software versions.

Publisher Name	Component Name	Platform
Ansys	ANSYS Mechanical	WINDOWS
Dassault Systemes	CATIA	WINDOWS

 Changes made to the software component definition in catalog (e.g., modification of component name, version, or publisher) may cause creation of new definition of the component and removal of previous one. This leads to loss of Tagging, Classification and custom EOS information.

Additionally, when discovery is based on a signature evaluated on an endpoint, previous discovery results temporarily disappear until the next software scan and related data import. New catalog must be propagated to the endpoints before the scan execution.

Updated discovery mechanism for specific software with this behavior includes specific notes (for details and impacted software title refer to the list of enhancements, ideas implemented and list of defects).

Note: this information relates only to entries enlisted with the icon: 

For more information, refer to:

Catalog Change List:

https://software.bigfix.com/download/tema/catalog/changelist/BFI_catalog_changelist_2025_08.pdf

Deleted old software signatures to optimize standard catalog processing

This release includes improvement for catalog processing which is done by removing old software signatures from BigFix Inventory main catalog which results in better overall performance. Deleted signatures refer to software and versions with a very low probability of being active or deployed.

Additionally, the number of deleted versions has been streamlined to support transformation into a single template, enabling one signature to efficiently cover the discovery of multiple versions.

Deleted signatures are still available as custom catalog content for customers who request specific titles and versions through the standard support channel. For the list of deleted signatures, refer to the change list.



Modified content

The following fixlets were updated and should be run to install the latest versions of the specific components:

- Server Software Catalog Update – version 20250811, 11/08/2025

Enhancements and important changes

The following table lists enhancements and changes that are introduced in this update.

Abstract Story	Description	Available since
Added software License type information	Added software License type data for 41 software products.	20250811
Added software Categories information	Added software Categories data for 41 software components.	20250811
Enhanced the discovery for Kusto Explorer	Enhanced the signature of Kusto.Explorer for version 1.0 to collect the usage information. Discovery is updated for WINDOWS Platform.  <i>Old discovery records will be closed, and new ones will be opened.</i>	20250811
Added discovery for DataFlux Data Management Studio	Added discovery for DataFlux Data Management Studio for version 2.7. Discovery is added for WINDOWS Platform.	20250811
Added discovery for SAS OpRisk VaR	Added discovery for SAS OpRisk VaR for version 6.1. Discovery is added for WINDOWS Platform.	20250811
Deleted a few existing signatures for Microsoft Publisher	Deleted the existing signatures for the following Microsoft components and its versions, as they are outdated, not main components, are part of the Windows OS, and have been out of support for an extended period. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Microsoft DaRT - 8.0, 8.1, 10.0 • Microsoft Data Access - ODBC Driver Configuration Program - 3.5 • Microsoft Database Compact Utility - 1.0, 4.0 • Microsoft Draw 98 - 8.1, 8.2 • Microsoft Enterprise Library for .NET - 1.1, 2.0, 3.0, 3.1, 4.1, 5.0 • Microsoft Internet Information Server - 1.0, 2.0, 3.0, 4.0, 5.0, 6.0 • Microsoft Linker Stub - 2.6, 6.0 	20250811
Deleted discovery for Dependency Walker	Signature for Dependency Walker for versions 2.0, 2.1 and 2.2 are deleted to avoid false discovery.	20250811
Updated discovery for Deployment Toolkit	Enhanced the existing template signature for Deployment toolkit for accurate discovery.  <i>Usage information is not supported.</i>	20250811

Added discovery for Microsoft Visual C++ 2022 Redistributable	Added discovery for Microsoft Visual C++ 2022 Redistributable for version 14.4. Discovery is added for WINDOWS Platform.	20250811
Added discovery for Citrix ICA Client	Added discovery for Citrix ICA Client for version 25.3. Discovery is added for WINDOWS Platform.	20250811
Added discovery for Citrix Online Plug-in	Added discovery for Citrix Online Plug-in for version 25.3. Discovery is added for WINDOWS Platform.	20250811
Added discovery for Citrix Tools for Virtual Machines	Added discovery for Citrix Tools for Virtual Machines for version 9.3. Discovery is added for WINDOWS Platform.	20250811
Deleted discovery for Citrix Application Security	Signature for Citrix Application Security is deleted for versions 4.0 and 5.00 as the components are outdated.	20250811
Added discovery for Altair HyperWorks	Added discovery for Altair HyperWorks for version 2017, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024 and 2025. Discovery is added for WINDOWS Platform.	20250811
Added discovery for ANSYS Mechanical	Added a new template signature for ANSYS Mechanical. Discovery is added for WINDOWS platform.	20250811
Added discovery for CATIA	Added 2 new template signatures for CATIA. Removed signatures for CATIA versions 5.16, 5.18, 5.19, 5.22, 5.23, 5.26, 5.27, 5.29, 5.30, 5.31, 6.215, 6.417 and 6.423 to avoid false discovery. Discovery is added for WINDOWS platform.	20250811
Added discovery for WildFly	Added discovery for WildFly version 35. Discovery is added for WINDOWS and UNIX platforms.	20250811

End of Support dates



The following table lists changes that are introduced in this update related to End of support dates.

Abstract	Description	Source	Available since
Added End of Support information for BMC components	End of Support dates are newly added for 5 BMC components.	BMC Official website	20250811
Updated End of Support information for BMC components	End of Support dates are updated for 3 BMC components.	BMC Official website	20250811
Added End of Support information for SAP components	End of Support dates are newly added for 15 SAP components.	SAP Official website	20250811

Defect fixes

For the list of known defects please refer to [HCL Knowledge Base](#).

The following table lists BigFix Inventory **Catalog** APARs and other defects that are fixed in this update.

ID	Symptoms	Behavior after you install the update	Available since
KB0122727	Real Time Attendance Monitor is incorrectly discovered as TDV Server.	Updated Real Time Attendance Monitor 2.0 Signature to avoid false positive discovery.  <i>Old discovery records will be closed, and new ones will be opened.</i>	20250811
KB0122617	Duplicate Discovery of Avaya One-X Communicator.	Updated the Component Name for Avaya one-X® Communicator to Avaya one-X Communicator for the template based signature to avoid false positives.  <i>Old discovery records will be closed, and new ones will be opened.</i>	20250811

Documentation

For more information about how to install, maintain, and use this application refer to BigFix Inventory user documentation:

https://help.hcl-software.com/bigfix/11.0/inventory/welcome/BigFix_Inventory_welcome.html