

IBM Endpoint Manager Starter Kit for Security and Compliance

Version 9.2.0



Quick Start Guide

This guide describes a quick and easy way to install the product.

National Language Version: To obtain the Quick Start Guide in other languages, print the language-specific PDF from the installation media.

Product overview

IBM® Endpoint Manager, built on BigFix® technology, delivers endpoint lifecycle and security management through a single, lightweight, extensible infrastructure. This solution enables organizations to proactively manage their servers, desktops, and laptops. IBM Endpoint Manager provides a clear path for improving control and compliance with clear, accurate reporting, and easy integrations with adjacent management infrastructures. For details about IBM Endpoint Manager, see Getting Started.

Version 9.2.0 includes significant improvements to the capabilities in the individual applications built on the IBM Endpoint Manager platform:

- New role-based access controls to allow IBM Endpoint Manager administrators greater control over operator permissions.
- Expanded agent coverage for heterogeneous platform support. New platforms on UNIX and Linux include Red Hat Enterprise Linux (RHEL) 7, Power Linux (RHEL, big endian), and Ubuntu 14.

IBM Endpoint Manager Starter Kit for Security and Compliance V9.2.0 provides a select subset of IBM Endpoint Manager for Security and Compliance features including:

- Management and real-time visibility of the health and compliance status of vendor-acquired endpoint security clients such as anti-virus spyware tools.
- Customizable automatic quarantine actions to isolate malware attacks or out-of-compliance endpoints and protect against zero-day malware and vulnerability attacks until remediation is complete.
- Asset discovery and reporting across heterogeneous operating systems.

IBM Endpoint Manager for Security and Compliance ensures endpoint security across an organization. It consolidates a suite of capabilities, including vulnerability management, automated security configuration management, and patch management to cut costs, reduce complexity, and lower security risks. IBM Endpoint Manager for Security and Compliance brings together management of multiple endpoint protection tools, network self quarantine, and removable device control under a single infrastructure. This means one management and reporting console, one management server, and one endpoint agent.

IBM Endpoint Manager for Security and Compliance V9.2.0 includes the following enhancements:

- Security configuration checklists are updated to align with the most up-to-date Center for Internet Security (CIS) and Defense Information Systems Agency (DISA) security benchmarks.
- New application assessment capability including coverage for:
 - CIS security checklists for IBM DB2 and Oracle databases.
 - CIS security checklists for IIS and SQL Server.

1 Step 1: Access the software and documentation



The IBM Endpoint Manager software can be accessed from Passport Advantage® or from DVD.

If you download your product from Passport Advantage, follow the instructions in the download document available at <http://www.ibm.com/support/docview.wss?rs=1015&uid=swg21683421>

The IBM Endpoint Manager package includes the following product DVDs:

- IBM Endpoint Manager Platform Install V9.2.0 for Multiplatforms
- IBM Endpoint Manager Platform Install V9.2.0 for Linux and DB2
- IBM DB2® Workgroup Server Edition 10.5 - Linux 64-bit - Limited Use

For complete documentation, see http://www-01.ibm.com/support/knowledgecenter/SS6MCG_9.2.0/com.ibm.tem.seccomp.doc_9.2/welcome/iem_seccomp92_welcome.html.

2 Step 2: Evaluate the hardware and system configuration



See the IBM Endpoint Manager System Requirements at <http://www-01.ibm.com/support/docview.wss?rs=1015&uid=swg21684809>.

3 Step 3: Get started and install IBM Endpoint Manager



A complete IBM Endpoint Manager installation is composed of installation and registration of the platform, followed by the configuration of the applications:

1. For an introduction to the product platform and applications, see *Getting Started*
2. To learn about the installation of the platform and the product components, see *Installation Guide*.

More information



For more information, see the following resources:

- IBM Endpoint Manager Support Site at: http://www.ibm.com/support/entry/portal/Overview/Software/Tivoli/Tivoli_Endpoint_Manager
- IBM Endpoint Manager wiki at: https://www.ibm.com/developerworks/mydeveloperworks/wikis/home?lang=en#/wiki/Tivoli_Endpoint_Manager/page/Home
- Knowledge Base at: <http://www-01.ibm.com/support/docview.wss?uid=swg21584549>
- Forums and Communities at: <http://www.ibm.com/developerworks/forums/category.jspa?categoryID=506>