



HP Network Node Manager i 8.0

HP Network Node Manager i 8.0 is a major new version of HP's widely-used network management product based on a new architecture and new technology. HP Network Node Manager is part of HP Network Management Center, which helps customers increase service levels to business users, align IT with business objectives and decrease IT cost structures.

HP Network Node Manager provides core technology for HP's business service management (BSM) solution, which helps IT organizations monitor and manage business services to mitigate business risk, and reduce the potential costs of service downtime.

New enhancements to HP Network Node Manager i 8.0 provide technology to help customers:

- Automatically view on their console-only network problems that require operator action. These problems are determined based on changes in the network and root cause analysis to reduce false alarms and increase efficiency for operators;
- Rapidly find the root cause of a network problem even when the topology of the network changes frequently with the Causal Engine, which keeps the system up to date without the need for compile runs through automatic continuous spiral discovery of the network;
- Understand the underlying conditions the system uses to automatically determine the root cause of a problem. This transparency in the software helps increase trust in the results;
- Minimize mean time to resolution by implementing and automating event management as described in IT Infrastructure Library (ITIL) v3;
- Access the system remotely through a new convenient AJAX-based rich web client;
- Correlate and store events 15x faster than the previous version; and
- Quickly install and get up to speed on the product. Rather than having to wait for days or even weeks, customers are typically able to manage their network within two hours of beginning the installation process.

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