

CM-UG Meeting Minutes – 3.21.2012

Agenda:

1. Upcoming CM-UG Events
2. BBICA signed channel cert update
3. March 2012 discussion details
4. BMC: BBICA 8.2.02 discussion
5. Issues/Concerns
6. User Interaction
7. ADDM Users?

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CM-UG.com (BMC Marimba Users Group)

Upcoming CM-UG Events

Reminder:



The CM-UG call is normally the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 12 noon central time.

The CM-UG calendar is also located here > <http://calendar.cm-ug.com>

Upcoming Events

April User Group Call

Wednesday April 18th, 2012 - 1PM Eastern / Noon Central
Monthly Feature: BBICA 8.2.02 discussion

May User Group Call

Wednesday May 16, 2012 - 1PM Eastern / Noon Central
Monthly Feature: BBICA RoadMap or TBD

Upcoming CM-UG Events

Potential Meeting Topics/Demos

Open to presentations from CM-UG Members and Vendors.

- Member Presentations:
 - [Stopping channel shopping \(Josh L\)](#)
 - [Custom inventory scanning \(Jason M\)](#)
 - Custom Reporting interfaces
 - Custom ARS interfaces
- Vendor Presentations:
 - [Marimba 8.2 Roadmap \(BMC\)](#)
 - [AdminStudio Info \(Flexera\)](#)
 - Marimba/Matrix42 VDI Solutions
 - BMC Product Roadmaps

Suggest a topic:

If you have a topic you would like to discuss as a monthly feature please

send an email to

Chris@CM-UG.com

March 2012 discussion details

This is revoked, BMC resolved and it does not apply.
Channel Cert Change –

no need to update cert after all
8.2.01 - expected mid may 2012



Steps to deploy new VeriSign Certificate from BBCA

matrix42

NOTE - Starting in 8.2.01.xxxxx - Warning for those who depend on channel certs alone.

- ▶ Before deploying latest channels to your BBCA infrastructure, select a test tuner and apply the latest Infrastructure Service on it. Accept the grant/deny popup that appears when starting Infrastructure Service.
- ▶ After the test tuner upgrades, do the following:
 - ▶ Copy the certDB from the upgraded tuner into the Infrastructure Service profiles using the Edit Profile page in Setup and Deployment screen.
 - ▶ Using the same profile settings page, set the tuner property:
`marimba.security.trusted.certs=cn\=Marimba, Inc.|o\=VeriSign, Inc.;ou\=VeriSign Trust Network|cn\=BMC Software, Inc.|o\=VeriSign, Inc.;ou\=VeriSign Trust Network|cn\=BMC SOFTWARE, INC.|o\=VeriSign, Inc.;ou\=VeriSign Trust Network|cn\=BMC Software, Inc.;o\=BMC Software, Inc.;ou\=Digital ID Class 3 - Microsoft Software Validation v2+2101 CityWest Blvd;|=\Houston;sp\=Texas;c\=US|cn\=VeriSign Class 3 Code Signing 2010 CA;o\=VeriSign, Inc.;ou\=VeriSign Trust Network+Terms of use at https://www.verisign.com/rpa (c)10;c\=US`
- ▶ Do a "profile" update using Infrastructure Service so that all your BBCA components get the new certificate and property setting.
- ▶ Once your BBCA components are upgraded in this way, you should be able to apply the channels signed with the new BBCA certificate without a popup appearing on your BBCA components.

Q-Best practices for collections.

Running on a master schedule vs. individual schedules.

1. 70 collections that run dont always complete fast enough that AD delete recreate is occurring.

Brian D (Vzn) - Several cases with collections slow, willing to have session with Sbox.

March 2012 discussion details

Deployment Manager – DM

Q-Deployment Manager performance, we're not very impressed with the performance of Deployment Manager when trying to target more than 1000 endpoints. * About an hour to process 1000 endpoints, simple command on endpoint. Slowness is when they hit start and the upload of 1000 targets occurs.

Process:

Text file (IP:Hostname) > Import > creates server list.

Actions/notes:

1. Devendra - BMC built DM more as a server solution, small targets. 1000 should be fine. The solution is only being patched, last major v is 7.5
2. Look into the "active server limit"
3. DM targeting a query build in CMS/RC is even slower.

Feb 2012 discussion details

- Inf status monitor, used for lots of clients, is network overhead for all the endpoints an issue?

No strong reports of use

- 8.2.002 - MESH, who is using it/success etc?

John - repeaters cut in 1/2 by using mesh.

8.101.008b - file scanning property - set number of peers to use/service.

File peer phase enabled - increased disk i/o and cpu. slower than repeaters in some cases.

VZN liked mesh with file peer phase property disabled better.

VZN:

45k subnets, no throttling in sbrp

MESH - ALL

80% get code via mesh

No seeding ahead of time, do use update.vary

Feb 2012 discussion details

Jason (HM)

- 8.2.02 - repeaters going into storage offline

Multiple:

- 2311 errors in all TX Admin logs

**BMC removing segments for solaris/unix...
Supporting windows/linux/mac only 8.2.01 forward**

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- Deployment Manager (DM)**
Subgroup for those who use the Deployment Manager feature in BMC Marimba.
- App Packagers**
Subgroup for Application Packagers.
- FDCC/USGCB**
FDCC: Federal Desktop Core Configuration (FDCC)
OMB-mandated in March 2007.
USGCB: US Government Configuration Baseline (USGCB)

A further clarification of the Federal Desktop Core Configuration (FDCC); specifically, the USGCB initiative falls within FDCC and comprises the configuration settings component of FDCC



CM-UG - User Interaction

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CM-UG - User Interaction

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Actions

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BMC ADDM Users group

If you are actively using or just interested in BMC ADDM please let me know:

ADDM@CM-UG.com

Expect to start monthly meetings for the ADDM community very soon, would love to have you involved.



BMC Atrium Discovery and Dependency Mapping

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