

SecurityServer 4.55.0 for CryptoServer SeGen2/CSe Release Notes

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1 Introduction

SecurityServer 4.55.0 introduces various enhancements and fixes issues found in previous releases. Please consult the following sections for details.

If you have a valid maintenance contract for CryptoServer Se-Series Gen2 and/or CryptoServer CSe-Series Hardware Security Module(s), you are eligible to upgrade your HSM which are covered by this maintenance contract to SecurityServer 4.55.0. The SecurityServer 4.55.0 product bundle is available to you for download in our customer portal.

If you do not have a valid maintenance contract, or not all your CryptoServer Se-Series Gen2 and/or CryptoServer CSe-Series Hardware Security Module(s) are covered by this maintenance contract, you may not update these HSM(s) to SecurityServer 4.55.0. Please contact Utimaco Sales staff if you wish to update your HSM(s) to SecurityServer 4.55.0.

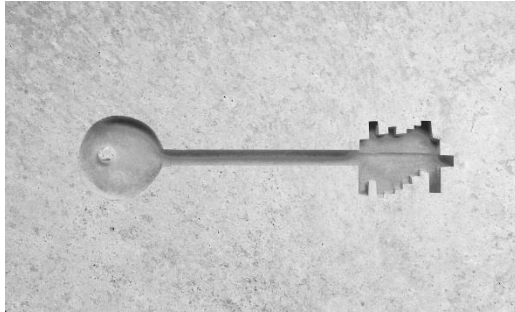
Please review this document to be informed of any new features and changes introduced by this new release, and especially any pre-conditions to notice. Please take special care to the installation instructions in chapter 6.

2 New Features and Improvements

2.1 PKCS#11 Vendor Defined Function and Mechanism for ECDH Key Agreement

Former Utimaco PKCS#11 R2 provider supports a Vendor Defined Mechanism CKM_ECKA that performs ECDH Key Agreement and returns the calculated shared secret. This mechanism was invoked via C_Sign.

PKCS# R3 provider now adds a Vendor Defined Function CS_AgreeSecret that calculates a shared secret from two ECDH or ECDSA keys as described in [BSI TR 03116-1](#). Please consult the “CryptoServer PKCS #11 R3 Developer Guide” section 10.2 “Handling CKM_ECKA” for details.



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2.2 Extensions to KeyAgreement class in JCE

Utimaco JCE provider class KeyAgreement has been extended and supports

- key algorithm 'ECDH' for public keys
- CryptoServerECAAlgorithmParametersSpi: Implementation of the Service Provider Interface (SPI) for the AlgorithmParameters class, which is used to manage algorithm parameters for EC key generation. Supported AlgorithmParameterSpecs:
CryptoServerJCE.CryptoServerECKeyGenParameterSpec
java.security.spec.ECGenParameterSpec
java.security.spec.ECParameterSpec
sun.security.util.ECKeySizeParameterSpec

2.3 Miscellaneous improvements

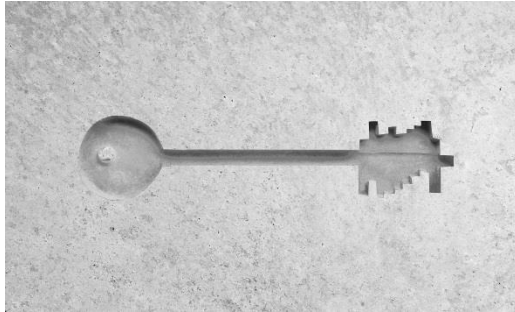
- HSM administrator can change his user credentials while the HSM is in alarm state.

3 Legacy Features

None

4 Discontinued Features

None



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5 Release Details

5.1 CryptoServer models

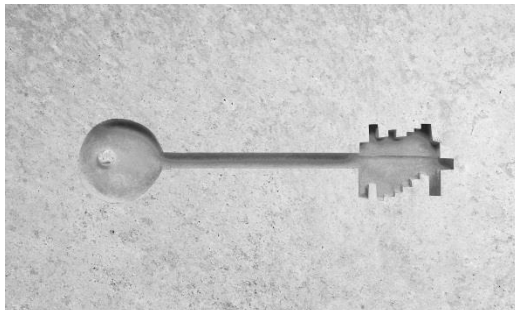
The following table lists CryptoServer models supported by SecurityServer 4.55.0:

CryptoServer Model	Hardware Platform
CryptoServer Se12/52/500/1500 PCIe	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CryptoServer Se-Series Gen2 PCIe card, hardware version \geq 5.1.0.0, Bootloader \geq 5.00.0.0
CryptoServer Se12/52/500/1500 LAN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CryptoServer LAN V5, UTISYS003-AC, 19" / 1U housing; redundant power supply, integrated CryptoServer Se-Series Gen2 PCIe card
CryptoServer CSe10/CSe100 PCIe	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CryptoServer CSe-Series PCIe card, hardware version \geq 4.0.2.0, Bootloader \geq 4.0.0.0
CryptoServer CSe10/CSe100 LAN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CryptoServer LAN V5, UTISYS003-AC, 19" / 1U housing; redundant power supply, integrated CryptoServer CSe-Series PCIe card

5.2 Operating Systems

The following table lists the Operating Systems supported by SecurityServer 4.55.0.

Operating System	Version
Windows	
Windows	10, 11
Windows Server	2016, 2019, 2022
Linux	
Red Hat Enterprise Linux	8
CentOS	7
SUSE Linux Enterprise Server	12, 15
Ubuntu	18.04 LTS, 20.04 LTS



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Notice: Only 64-bit versions of these Operating Systems are supported. 32-bit applications running on such 64-bit Operating Systems are still supported, but 32-bit libraries (e.g., PKCS#11 provider, CNG provider) are not shipped with the product bundle anymore and instead provided as separate download on our customer support portal.

5.3 Java Runtime Environments

The following table lists the Java Runtime Environments supported by SecurityServer 4.55.0.

Java Runtime Environment	Version
Oracle Java	8, 11, 15
OpenJDK	8, 11, 15

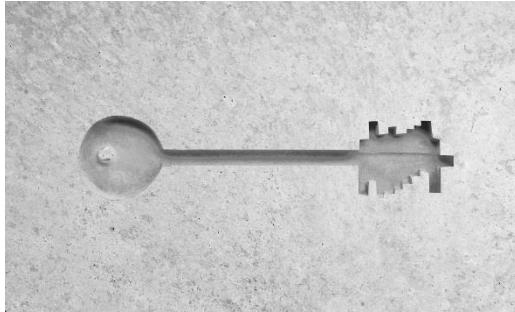
Please notice:

When encountering an exception "java.awt.AWTError: Assistive Technology not found: org.GNOME.Accessibility.AtkWrapper" on Linux when starting CAT or P11CAT please check that full JDK/JRE is installed and not just the headless version. Alternatively, delete or comment the line 'assistive_technologies' in file /etc/java-X-openjdk/accessibility.properties.

5.4 Firmware packages and modules

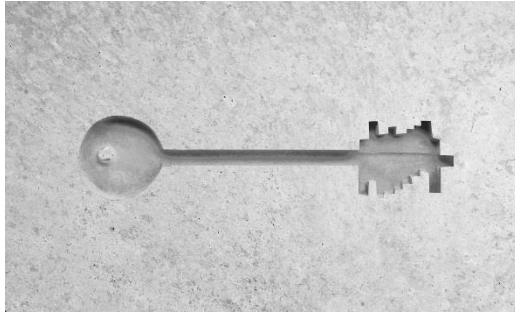
The following table shows the version of each firmware module included in the SecurityServer 4.55.0 firmware packages. Firmware modules are listed by ascending FunctionCode, as shown by a 'csadm listfirmware' command or executing Show Firmware in the administration tool CAT:

Firmware Package	SecurityServer-Se2-Series-4.55.0.0.mpkg	SecurityServer-CSe-Series-4.55.0.0.mpkg
CryptoServer Model	CryptoServer Se12/52/500/1500	CryptoServer CSe10/100
Firmware Module	PCIe / LAN	PCIe / LAN
SMOS	5.6.9.0	4.6.9.0
POST	2.2.6.0	2.2.6.0



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Firmware Package	SecurityServer-Se2-Series-4.55.0.0.mpkg	SecurityServer-CSe-Series-4.55.0.0.mpkg
CryptoServer Model	CryptoServer Se12/52/500/1500 PCIe / LAN	CryptoServer CSe10/100 PCIe / LAN
Firmware Module		
HCE	3.0.4.0	---
EXAR	2.2.1.3	---
CXI	2.4.14.0	2.4.14.0
VDES	2.2.6.0	2.2.6.0
PP	1.4.4.0	1.4.4.0
CMDS	3.8.9.0	3.8.9.0
VRSA	2.2.6.0	2.2.6.0
SC	1.2.3.0	1.2.3.0
UTIL	3.0.11.0	3.0.11.0
ADM	3.1.8.0	3.1.8.0
DB	2.0.3.0	2.0.3.0
HASH	2.2.6.0	2.2.6.0
STUN	1.0.3.0	1.0.3.0
AES	2.2.6.0	2.2.6.0
DSA	2.2.6.0	2.2.6.0
LNA	2.2.6.0	2.2.6.0
ECA	2.2.6.0	2.2.6.0



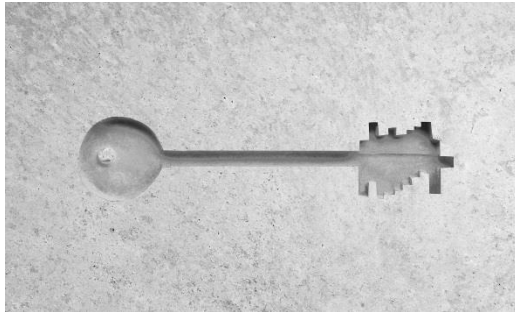
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Firmware Package	SecurityServer-Se2-Series-4.55.0.0.mpkg	SecurityServer-CSe-Series-4.55.0.0.mpkg
CryptoServer Model	CryptoServer Se12/52/500/1500 PCIe / LAN	CryptoServer CSe10/100 PCIe / LAN
Firmware Module		
ASN1	2.2.6.0	2.2.6.0
MBK	2.5.5.0	2.5.5.0
NTP	1.2.4.0	1.2.4.0
ECDSA	2.2.6.0	2.2.6.0
CRYPT	2.2.6.0	2.2.6.0
OSCCA	1.1.3.0	1.1.3.0

5.5 Administration Tools

The following table lists the administration tools shipped with SecurityServer 4.55.0:

Tool	Version
Command-line administration tool "csadm"	2.10.0
GUI administration tool "CAT"	2.2.10.0
PKCS #11 command-line administration Tool "p11tool2"	3.4.0
PKCS #11 GUI administration tool "P11CAT"	3.06
CNG Key Management Tool "cngtool"	1.6.0
CXI Key Management Tool "cxitool"	1.14.0
Remote PIN Pad Daemon (PPD)	1.6.0



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5.6 Cryptographic Interface Libraries

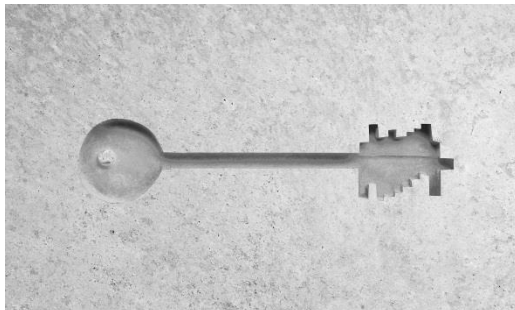
The following table lists the cryptographic interface libraries shipped with SecurityServer 4.55.0:

Cryptographic Interface Libraries	Version
PKCS #11 R3 library "cs_pkcs11_R3.dll" (Windows), "libcs_pkcs11_R3.so" (Linux)	1.29
JCE Provider "CryptoServerJCE.jar" (Windows, Linux)	1.77
CSP Provider "cs2csp.dll" (Windows)	3.2.5
CNG Provider "cs2cng.dll" (Windows)	2.6.0
MS SQL Extensible Key Management Provider "cssqlekm.dll" (Windows)	2.0.4.0
CXI library for C/C++ "cxi.dll" (Windows), "libcxi.so" (Linux)	1.12.0
CXI library for Java "CryptoServerCXI.jar" (Windows, Linux)	1.87

5.7 Driver

The following table lists the PCIe card driver shipped with SecurityServer 4.55.0:

Driver	Version
Windows driver	5.1.1
Linux driver	5.19.0



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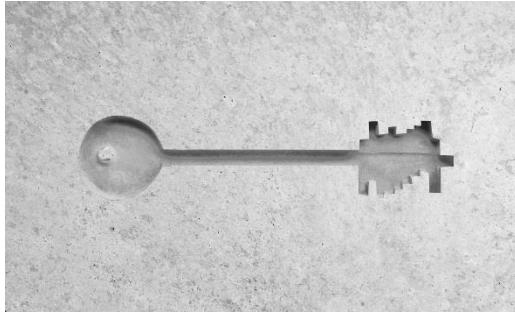
6 Installation

Follow the steps described in the CryptoServer Administration Manual section 'Setup' for installation of the product bundle.

When updating an existing installation prior SecurityServer 4.40.0, you should first uninstall your existing installation to cure the vulnerability described in CVE-2020-26155: Right click on the Windows Start button, then select 'Apps & Features'. Start typing "CryptoServer" in the search field of the Apps & Features window, and Windows will find the CryptoServer app. Click on the CryptoServer app and press the 'Uninstall' button to uninstall the current installation. Alternatively, you may open the Control Panel, and select 'Uninstall a program' from the 'Programs' section, and Windows will find the CryptoServer program. Either double-click on the CryptoServer program or press the 'Uninstall' button to uninstall the current installation. When being asked whether you want to uninstall the previous installation, select "Yes" to uninstall the previous version. To be sure that a possible exploitation of the vulnerability gets fixed, it is important that the previous installation is removed completely. You should therefore open Windows File Explorer, a command shell or PowerShell and check that the previous installation has been removed completely, i.e., there is no more directory "Utimaco" in "C:\Program Files". In case the "Utimaco" directory has not been removed, delete it manually. Configuration files will not be removed from directory C:\ProgramData\Utimaco during uninstallation. Then run the MSI installer that will guide you through the installation process. You find it on top-level of the SecurityServer 4.55.0 product bundle.

Important notice:

Loading a new firmware package SecurityServer-<platform>-4.55.0.0.mpkg with CryptoServer Administration Tool CAT or the command line tool csadm of a SecurityServer version prior 4.45.0 will throw an error. You must use CAT or csadm from the SecurityServer 4.55.0 product bundle for updating the firmware of your HSM(s) with the current firmware package.



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7 Resolved issues

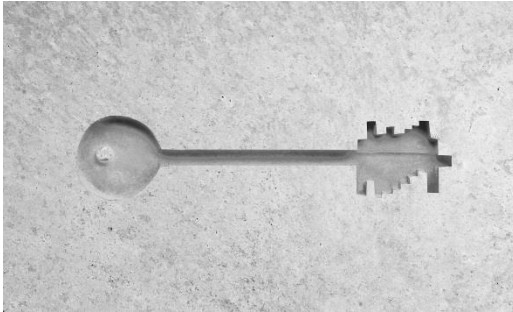
The following issues have been resolved in SecurityServer 4.55.0:

Reference	Component	Issue
PHX-592	JCE	Example states "Bug" for selected Elliptic Curves although they work
PHX-388	PKCS#11	Error in call to C_Verify with all-zero input values
PHX-386	CAT	CAT Backup: Crashes when trying to backup a directory on cHSM with default template
PHX-106	cxitool	Self-signed certificates contain (unnecessary) NULL value
PHX-101	CXI	Documentation misses clear description about CXI (c/Java) findkey/key_open parameters
EGL-188	Simulator	SecurityServer V4.50.0.1 Linux Simulator outputs "crypt.so -1" errors on startup
DOC-414	Documentation	ustrust_Anchor_Manual_Administrators.pdf missing description of .msi installer
DOC-369	Documentation	Error in example for cxitool ConfigODBC

8 Known issues

The following issues are known with SecurityServer 4.55.0:

Reference	Component	Issue
HSM-14404	JCE	Exception in thread "main" java.lang.IllegalAccessError: superinterface check failed: class CryptoServerJCE.CryptoServerKey ... on Java 19. Workaround: start your Java application with "java --add-opens=java.base/sun.security.util=ALL-UNNAMED -jar <your Java application>"



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9 Technical support

You can find technical support for Utimaco products in any of these ways:

Download product information from <https://hsm.utimaco.com/cryptoserver/> .

Contact us at <http://hsm.utimaco.com/contact/> .

Send an email to support@utimaco.com , including your hardware serial number(s), software version number(s), operating system(s) and patch level(s), and the text of any error messages.

Contact our support hotline: EMEA +49 800-627-3081, Americas +1-844-UTIMACO (+1 844-884-6226), APAC +81 800-919-1301

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