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Introduction

This release notice lists the Resolved BUGs for Tekelec HLR Router 4.1.0.0.0-41.8.0.

Release Notices are distributed to customers with a new software release at the time of Software Availability. They are updated for each Maintenance Release.

BUG Severity Definitions

The BUG sections in this document refer to BUG severity levels. Definitions of these levels can be found in the following publication:

TL 9000 Quality Management System Measurement Handbook

Upgrade Paths

HLRR 4.1 supports the following upgrade paths for c-Class blades and Rack Mount servers

	From	То
HLRR	4.0.0	4.1.0

Notes:

HLRR 4.1 is supported as a new/fresh installation.

Load Lineup

Application Lineup 4.1.0 GA				
HLRR 4.1.0.0.0-41.8.0				
Platform Lineup				
TPD 7.0.3.0.0-86.40.0* (HLRR Baseline; Oracle Linux 6.7)				
TVOE 3.0.3.0.0-86.45.0				
PMAC 6.0.3.0.2-60.28.0				
Comcol 6.4-p430				
Appworks 6.0.1-60.54.0				
Exgstack 7.2.0-72.18.0				
HP FUP 2.2.9 (minimum)				

^{*}Note: TPD 7.0.3.0.0-86.40.0 should be used to IPM HLRR systems. As part of successful installation of the HLRR 4.1 GA version, the TPD version is upgraded to 7.0.3.0.0-86.45.0. PMAC is also built on TPD 7.0.3.0.0-86.45.0.

Media Pack

Components available for download from the Oracle Software Delivery Cloud (https://edelivery.oracle.com/) are listed in Table RN-1 Media Pack Contents.

Note: This list is accurate at the time of release but is subject to change. Please view the Oracle Software Delivery Cloud (OSDC) site for the latest information.

Table RN-1. Media Pack Contents, Tekelec Home Location Register Router (4.1.0.0.0) v1

Part Number	Description			
V270131-01	Oracle Communications HLRR 4.1.0.0.0-41.8.0			
V270132-01	Oracle Communications HLRR 4.1.0.0.0-41.8.0 MIBS			
V106309-01	Oracle Communications Tekelec Platform Distribution 7.0.3.0.0-86.40.0			
V138361-01	Oracle Communications Tekelec Virtual Operating Environment 3.0.3.0.0-86.45.0			
V266925-01	Oracle Communications Tekelec Platform Management and Configuration 6.0.3.0.2-60.28.0			

Note: Search for "Tekelec Home Location Register Router" on OSDC for Platform and Application software.

Feature Descriptions

Database Capacity Improvements

HLR Router Support for 1 Billion Routing Entities (IMSI / MSISDN) on HP G6 and HP Gen9 RMS Hardware (BUG #22244442)

• The HLR Router database supports 1 billion IMSIs or DNs entries in any combination.

Feature Constant Upgrade

HLR Router Support of HP Gen9 RMS Hardware (BUG #22175497)

• The HLR Router supports the HP Gen9 hardware for the NOAMP, the SOAM, and the MP.

HLR Router Support for IPv6 on HP Gen9 RMS Hardware (BUG #22244415)

• IPv6, as well as IPv4, is supported on the specific interfaces listed below.

Table RN-2. List of Interfaces that support IPv4 as well as IPv6

Interface	Definition	
PDB Provisioning	A provisioning link typically but not necessarily only from SDS	
PDB Provisioning (secure)	Secure provisioning link to any server	
Remote Import Server	Interface to import bulk provisioning data	
Remote Export Server	Interface for exporting bulk provisioning data	
PDE	Performance Data Export – Old version of Data Export obsoleted by APDE	
MySQL client queries	Interface supporting mysql coming in to the Query Server	
APDE	Platform supported Automatic Performance Data Export for logs, measurements, KPIs etc.	
LDAP	Platform supported Lightweight Directory Access Protocol Server	
DNS	Platform supported Domain Name Server	
SNMP	Platform supported Simple Network Management Protocol managers for sending traps to addresses that are registered to receive them	

Resolved BUGs

Table RN-3. HLR Router 4.1.0.0.0 Resolved BUGs

		Found		
Bug ID	SR	Release	Severity	Title
22175497		N/A	Enhancement	HLR Router Support of HP Gen9 RMS Hardware
				HLR Router Support for 1 Billion Routing
22244442		N/A	Enhancement	Entities
22244415		N/A	Enhancement	HLR Router Support for IPv6
				IDB not recovering properly from the update
20801137	3-10471786711	4.0	2	log after being taken down
				Further investigation and a fix for the new
20801117	3-10471786711	4.0	2	inetsync abterms
	3-10471786711			Configure process watchdog timers
20801065	3-10476818691	4.0	2	Configure process watchage timers
				[218315]Hidden "dot" files are displayed on
19090036		3.1	3	HLRR 3.1 GUIs
				[239259]Security Logs are not properly
				displayed on the active NOAMP GUI at screen -
19116527		4.0	3	"Main Menu: Security Log -> View History "
				[238976]Read Only User able to modify data
19116175		4.0	3	on active SOAM GUI
				[238700]Day interval measurement report
19115788		4.0	3	does not display last complete day
				HLRR cannot process -1 "Invoke Id" value from
23206882	3-12522192311	4.0	3	the TCAP incoming message
				AssocConfigSet_SS7_ <timestamp>.csv file not</timestamp>
21226128	3-10544738251	4.0	4	being exported
20426765	3-10095721291	4.0	4	Error Code 003 appears but no duplicate seen

Customer Known BUGs

Table RN-4. HLR Router 4.1.0.0.0 Customer Known BUGs

BUG#	Sev	Release	Title	Customer Impact / Workaround
22922233	3	4.1	CSRF security violation seen on GUI when using "Backup All" button	Customer Impact: No operational impact. Intermittent issue, if it occurs the user should simply try the operation again and it will be successful.
22618619	3	4.1	Failed to Start Manual Audit	Customer Impact: No operational impact. Database checksum validation is being continuously performed on the Comcol database and any checksum discrepancies are automatically corrected. Intermittent Comcol database stability issues can occur if a database audit is executed in parallel with the automated Comcol database checksum validation process. To prevent this from happening the database audit functionality has been purposely disabled in HLRR 4.1. As a result, the Status & Manage > Database > Manual Audit GUI function will fail if the user attempts to start or suspend a manual database audit.
23335740	3	4.1	In-progress compare could result in subsequent compare or restore failures	Customer Impact: No operational impact. If DB restore procedural instructions are followed, this condition cannot occur. If executed accidentally, the system will error out before damage occurs leaving the user free to retry per instruction. This issue only occurs when restoring from a large (1G or greater) bzipped DB file and the user clicks "Ok" a second time after starting the restore with the initial "Ok" on the Status & Manage > Database > Restore GUI. Workaround is to not click "Ok" a second time once you have started the restore from the Database Restore GUI until the initial restore has been completed.
23507908	3	4.1	LRGSYS: Status&Manage -> Processes screen takes longer time to display	Customer Impact: No operational impact. On larger HLRR systems with many SOAMs and multiple GUI sessions running, the user may have to wait 90+

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				seconds for the Status & Manage ->
				Processes GUI to displayed. This
				screen is an informational screen
				which displays process information
				executing on the HLRR servers.
19110629	3	4.0	[234673]Upgraded Standby NO	Customer Impact: No operational
			server becomes HA active before	impact. This issue could possibly
			Primary NO server go	happen during upgrade and will be
				managed by the Oracle install team
				when it occurs.
19112042	3	4.0	[235825]HLRR 4.0 NO GUI -	Customer Impact: No Operational
			LockoutWindow option under	Impact. This is an intermittent issue
			Administration -> General Options	affecting disabled user accounts.
			does not work properly	
19114447	3	4.0	[237668]Unable to see more than	Customer Impact: No operational
			2 days Alarm History Logs on GUI	impact. Can view logs 2 days at a time
			at screen - "Main Menu: Alarms &	back for 7 days on the GUI. Logfile with
			Events -> View History"	all 7 days can be exported and
				downloaded to an excel spreadsheet.
19115285	3	4.0	[238308]PdbiPeakMsgsReceived	Customer Impact: No Operational
			PDBI measurement records	Impact. The NOAM gives priority to DB
			incorrect value	replication/syncing and therefore may
				intermittently cause queuing of the
				PDBA process in relation to handling of
				PDBI messages.
				When such queuing occurs, the peak
				value seen as the "PdbiMsgsReceived"
				value for a given 5 minute period may
				be the result of incoming messages
				received plus previously queued
				messages resulting in a higher than
				anticipated Measurement value.
19115830	3	4.0	[238734]TPD Server Core File	Customer Impact: No Operational
			Detected - Software Program	Impact. Problem occurs when
			Abnormally Terminated	attempting to view a very large
				exported file thru the link generated on
				the [Main Menu: EAGLE XG Database ->
				Maintenance - > PDBI -> Export Status]
				page. File may be downloaded for
				viewing outside of the GUI without
				issue.
19116260	3	4.0	[239043]Got 'Access Denied' while	Customer Impact: No operational
			Logout from GUI Path Main	impact. This issue occurs intermittently
1			Menu:Logout menu option	with Internet Explorer 8.

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19116459	3	4.0	[239196]HLRR 4.0 Status & Manage GUI screen refreshing issue	Customer Impact: Screen refresh rates for the [Main Menu: Status & Manage] GUI screens on large systems (80+ servers) may take up to 60 sec to auto refresh. The user may manually refresh if a faster status update is required.
23295603	4	4.1	TM/SS7 Maintenance screens always display timestamps in UTC	Customer Impact: No operational impact. UTC time is displayed on the SOAM's Transport Manager Maintenance's Transport GUI and the SS7/Sigtran Maintenance 's Local SCCP Users, Remote Signaling Points, Remote MTP3 Users, Linksets, and Links Screens GUIs regardless of the time zone selected for the HLRR system.
23279651	4	4.1	Opcode and MP fields should be marked as mandatory in Throttling->Rule Test	Customer Impact: No operational impact. Opcode and MP Name fields should be labeled as mandatory fields in the Tekelec HLR Router -> Configuration -> Throttling -> Rule Test GUI.
23256653	4	4.1	Meas Report Tooltip for "TmTrEnaNotUp" is truncated	Customer Impact: No operational Impact. The full description of this measurement can be seen in the online help.
23239650	4	4.1	Transport Disable warning message popup is shown even when transport is disabled	Customer Impact: At the Transport Manager -> Configuration -> Transport GUI, when the user attempts to delete a transport, a warning message will be displayed telling the user that the transport is not disabled even when it is disabled. Selecting the OK button on the warning popup message permits the user to delete the transport.
23146148	4	4.1	Tekelec HLR Router->Configuration menu not pruned when view permission disabled	Customer Impact: No operational impact. User will see erroneous Tekelec HLR Router > Configuration Menu suboptions. These GUI options are not operational and do not impact functionality of the system.
23102407	4	4.1	Invalid instance for backup started/complete/failure events	Customer Impact: No operational impact. The instance field in the Info Alarm for Start/Complete/Failure of backups displays a "-m" instead of the name of the instance. It also is reported incorrectly in the Alarm export file. User will have to look at the

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				server field of the Info Alarm message to determine on what server the backup action occurred.
23100688	4	4.1	Server report shows IPv6 IP address in expanded format.	Customer Impact: No operational impact. The Server Report displays IPv6 addresses in expanded format rather than the preferred compact format.
23074450	4	4.1	SIG Repl Status and Repl Audit Status should be removed from Database screen	Customer No operational impact. On the Status & Manage > Database GUI, the "Repl Audit Status" is not functional on the HLRR product and should be removed from the GUI to improve readability. The "SIG Repl Status" field reports status for MPs only.
22922571	4	4.1	incorrect message in warning (event number 32532)	Customer Impact: No operational impact. Event message reports that more information is available in the failed_log file but the additional details are not logged in the file.
22371880	4	4.1	User can delete Network entity which is assigned to Exception Routing record	Customer Impact: User should never delete a Network Entity that is assigned to an Exception Route. Otherwise, the user will not be able to delete or modify the exception route associated with the deleted Network Entity.

Table RN-3 represents Customer Known Bugs for HLRR 4.1 at GA Release.

Oracle References and Services

My Oracle Support (MOS)

MOS (https://support.oracle.com) is your initial point of contact for all product support and training needs. A representative at Customer Access Support (CAS) can assist you with MOS registration.

Call the CAS main number at **1-800-223-1711** (toll-free in the US), or call the Oracle Support hotline for your local country from the list at http://www.oracle.com/us/support/contact/index.html. When calling, make the selections in the sequence shown below on the Support telephone menu:

- 1. Select 2 for New Service Request
- 2. Select 3 for Hardware, Networking and Solaris Operating System Support
- 3. Select 2 for Non-technical issue

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- A total system failure that results in loss of all transaction processing capability
- Significant reduction in system capacity or traffic handling capability
- Loss of the system's ability to perform automatic system reconfiguration
- Inability to restart a processor or the system
- Corruption of system databases that requires service affecting corrective actions
- Loss of access for maintenance or recovery operations
- Loss of the system ability to provide any required critical or major trouble notification

Any other problem severely affecting service, capacity/traffic, billing, and maintenance capabilities may be defined as critical by prior discussion and agreement with the My Oracle Support Center.

Customer Training

Oracle offers a variety of technical training courses designed to provide the knowledge and experience required to properly provision, administer, operate, and maintain Oracle products. To enroll in any of the courses or for schedule information, contact Oracle University.

Appendix A: Firmware Components

HP FUP

The Oracle Communications HP Solutions Firmware Upgrade Pack, Software Centric Release Notes 2.2.9 lists the firmware versions approved for this HP Solutions Firmware Upgrade Pack release to assist customers with upgrading their HP hardware. Also, additional instructions and guidance on the firmware upgrades has been provided where possible.

The Release Notes are available on Oracle Help Center (OHC) at http://docs.oracle.com/cd/E57832 01/index.htm.