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# Oracle TSAM 10*g* Release 3 (10.3) Release Notes

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#### **Table 1 Revision History**

Revision Date	Summary of Change
January 15, 2009	Initial Release

#### This topic contains the following sections:

- About This Oracle TSAM Release
- Oracle TSAM Software Components
- Installation Notes
- Upgrade Consideration
- Interoperability
- Oracle TSAM Platform Support
- Known and Resolved Issues
- Online Documentation

#### **About This Oracle TSAM Release**

Oracle Tuxedo System and Application Monitor (TSAM) 10g Release 3 (10.3) provides comprehensive monitoring and reporting for the Oracle Tuxedo system and applications. It includes two components: Oracle TSAM Agent and Oracle TSAM Manager. For more information, see Oracle TSAM Agent and Oracle TSAM Manager in the *Oracle TSAM Administration Guide*.

The Oracle TSAM Agent enables collection of various performance metrics for applications, including call path, transactions, services, system servers. Oracle TSAM Manager provides a graphical user interface to correlate and aggregate performance metrics collected from one or more Tuxedo domains and display it in real time.

Oracle TSAM major features are:

- Call Path Monitoring and Analysis
- Service Monitoring and Statistics
- System Server Monitoring and Statistics
- Transaction Monitoring
- Event Alerts
- Open Plug-in Framework
- Dynamic Monitoring Policy Management
- Web-based Reporting and Management

#### **What's New and Improved**

The current Oracle TSAM release provides the following new features:

- TSAM Manager: Oracle WebLogic Server and Oracle OC4J support
- TSAM Agent: IPv6 support

## **Oracle TSAM Software Components**

Oracle TSAM software consists of the following components:

Oracle TSAM Agent

Oracle TSAM agent enables collection of various performance metrics for applications. It includes the following sub-components:

- Oracle TSAM Framework
- Oracle TSAM Default Plug-in
- Local Monitor Server (LMS)
- Oracle TSAM Manager

Oracle TSAM Manager provides a graphical user interface to correlate and aggregate performance metrics collected from one or more Tuxedo domains and displays them in real time. It includes the following sub-components:

- Oracle TSAM Console
- Oracle TSAM Data Server

### **Installation Notes**

Oracle TSAM 10g Release 3 (10.3) includes two components: Oracle TSAM Agent for Tuxedo 10g Release 3 (10.3) and Oracle TSAM Manager. For more information, see the Oracle TSAM Installation Guide.

Notes: Oracle TSAM Manager installation is not required on a machine running Tuxedo.

You must ensure that Oracle TSAM Agent is properly installed and configured on each monitored node in order to use in conjunction with Oracle TSAM Manager

## **Upgrade Consideration**

If you upgrade TSAM Manager from release TSAM 1.1 to 10g Release 3 (10.3), TSAM 10g Release 3 (10.3) Manager can reuse the database used in release 1.1.

Monitored policy sets defined in TSAM 1.1 can be exported to policy set definition files on the TSAM 1.1 Console, and then imported to TSAM 10g Release 3 (10.3)via TSAM Console.

# **Interoperability**

TSAM 10g Release 3 (10.3) Manager can work with TSAM 1.1 Agent for Tuxedo 8.1, 9.1 and 10.0.

TSAM 10g Release 3 (10.3) Agent for Tuxedo 10g Release 3 (10.3) can work with TSAM 1.1 Agent in MP and Domain mode.

# **Oracle TSAM Platform Support**

Oracle TSAM 10g Release 3 (10.3) supported platforms are listed in Oracle TSAM 10g Release 3 (10.3) Supported Platforms in the 'Oracle TSAM Installation Guide.'

#### **Known and Resolved Issues**

The following table lists known limitations with Oracle TSAM 10g Release 3 (10.3) software and include recommended workarounds. The limitations are listed by the bug number. The bug number is provided to facilitate the tracking of these problems.

Table 2 Oracle TSAM 10g Release 3 (10.3) Known Issues

7675297	Problem	The Call Path monitoring status is always pending if a service call is timed out and RCVLEN is not initialized.
	Platform	All
	Workaround	Initialize the output buffer length of tpcall() or tpgetrply().

The following table lists the problems that have been fixed in the 10g Release 3 (10.3). Issues are listed by the Change Request (CR) number.

Table 3 Problems Fixed in Oracle TSAM 10g Release 3 (10.3)

CR Number	Problem Description
CR340185	The Call Path monitoring status is always pending if a $tpacall()$ service request is cancelled by $tpcancel()$ .

### **Online Documentation**

The Oracle TSAM 10g Release 3 (10.3) product documentation is available at:

http://www.oracle.com/technology/documentation/index.html

#### See Also

Oracle TSAM Product Overview

- Oracle TSAM Installation Guide
- Oracle TSAM Administration Guide
- Oracle TSAM Deployment Guide