IPCommute

Phone Operations Manager

Release Notes

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1.1.100	Initial Version		
1.2.100	Added some keyboard (0-9*# and Cursors) to Phone Remote		
	Task Feedback in Phone Remote, Minor GUI Improvements		
	Ability to change HTTP server TCP Port		
	Dynamic Context Menus – hides unavailable actions		
	Logging Improvements		
	Ability to export Screen Shots from phones		
1.2.200	Automatic Phone Device Association Management		
Support Cycle Management			
	Switch to non-Matisse GUI development for cross-platform compatibility		
	Multi-Node RIS Queries – Optimisation for Large Clusters		
1.2.300	Bug Fixes		
1.2.400	CUCM Permissions requirement simplification		
	Bug Fixes		
5.0.100	New Licensing subsystem		
5.0.105	Bug Fixes (New user setups; proxies)		
5.0.110	Cisco 8945 Image Push support		
	Cisco 8831 Support		
	License management/migration improvements		
6.0.120 CUCM 10.x Support, Cisco 88x1 and 78x1 handset support			
	Phone Profiler, Test JTAPI Support		
	Improved CUCM service location and load balancing; AXL Failover, Win		
	8.x Support		
6.0.130	Improved large cluster support		
6.0.135	Improved large cluster performance; RIS/CCM optimisation		
	Fix for failure to save some preferences		
6.0.140	Fix for RIS/CCM service location issues.		
6.0.150	Fix for RIS 10x inaccuracy due to matched timestamps		
6.0.160	88xx Phone Background Support; Bug Fixes		
7.0-110	CUCM 11.x Support		
8.0-100	CUCM 12.x Support; Bug Fixes		
9.0-100	CUCM 14.x Support; Bug Fixes; Log4J Related Updates		
10.0-100	Expanded JRE/JDK Compatibility/Auto Location		
	Bug fixes and performance enhancements		

Revision/Feature History

Compatibility

This software has been tested again CallManager 6.1 through to the current release – Communications Manager 14.x (hereafter referred to as CUCM collectively). Some features are not available in older versions, and many rely on phone firmware features and may require upgrades or configuration changes on CUCM. Known limitations are:

Background Deployment – 'Push' Deployment is available from Communications Manager 6.1 with phone models that support the capability and requires up-to-date firmware.

Clear ITL – The feature is only required, and only works on phone loads supporting ITL that have been used on a CUCM8 system. Currently, the clear ITL function operates only on phones that are able to access the authentication URL on CUCM.

Known Issues

Linux/MAC Issues – Currently some GUI elements do not display well in non-Windows environments. Additionally, the application is not currently tested on non-Windows platforms, or with non-Sun/Oracle JDEs. The application is therefore only supported on Windows; use on other platforms at your own risk and we are unable to provide support for issues encountered.

Development Features

JTAPI Support – Use of JTAPI for phone control features (such as Macros, ITL Delete and Remote Control) is typically faster and more reliable than direct XML control of the phones. The ability to clear ITL and CTL files is more reliable when using this mode. In 6.x of Phone Operations Manager, this is considered in development. You may use JTAPI by launching the application from the command line as follows:

java -jar PhoneOperationsManager9.0-100.jar jtapi

Phone Profiler – The phone profiler feature may be used to generate a report of the capabilities of a new type of phone or version of firmware. It will generate log files and other information as a result of testing all types of commands and calls against the phone that you select. This feature may cause unpredictable behaviour of the target phone – based on the configuration of your CUCM system, features may be invoked, or calls may be made. Use this at your own risk, with a phone that you can physically see and reach in order to cease any calls or reset to factory configuration if necessary.

The output files would be sent to IPCommute Support to assist with the addition of support for new phone models to the application.

To use this feature; enable 'Test Mode' in the Preferences menu, and then from the right-click/context menu of the phone you wish to profile select 'Profile Phone...'. Once complete, the Log folder will contain a folder named Profiler-<DeviceName>. Zip this and send it to us.

Feature Roadmap

Expected Release/Timeline	Description
11.0	More comprehensive EM cluster data and inventory data model
11.0	Improved demo mode (dynamic selection of appropriate phones with registered status)
11.0	Cross Platform (Linux and Mac) Support
11.0	CTI-based Remote Control (Default)
11.0	'Listen-In' Remote Control Function
11.0	Improved text/graphical phone messaging
11.0	User-defined 'Phone Groups' for messaging and other functions

Any feature requests should be directed to info@ipcommute.co.uk