HP StorageWorks M-Series Switch SMI-S Provider for HP Systems Insight Manager

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About this document

HP Systems Insight Manager (HP SIM) uses CIM/WBEM servers and providers that conform to the Storage Management Initiative Specification (SMI-S). Before HP SIM can manage and report on a storage system, the appropriate SMI-S provider must be installed and configured.

Models supported

This SMI-S provider enables HP SIM support for the following HP StorageWorks M-Series (McDATA OEM) switches:

- HP StorageWorks Director 2/140
- HP StorageWorks Director 2/64
- HP StorageWorks Edge Switch 2/12
- HP StorageWorks Edge Switch 2/2
- HP StorageWorks Edge Switch 2/32

Requirements

- HP SIM 5.0 or later must be installed on the central management server (CMS).
- The SMI-S provider must be installed on a Windows ¹or Solaris host that is connected to the switch.

Installing the SMI-S provider

- Open a web browser and go to http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Product.j sp?prodTypeId=12169&prodCatId=304609&locale=en_US&tas kId=135.
- 2. Click the link for your switch in the M-Series Switches section.
- If the switch you selected requires an additional model selection, click the appropriate link in the Select Your Product section.
- Click the Cross operating system (BIOS, Firmware, Diagnostics, etc.) link in the Select Operating System section. The Download Drivers and Software page appears.
- Find SMI-S CIM Providers for M-Series Fibre Channel Switches for your operating system in the Software section, and click Download.
- Install the provider. See the provider documentation for instructions.

Limitations

 HP SIM may experience a slight delay in discovering the switches while the SMI-S provider gathers information from the switches for the first time.

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Helpful tips

The switch documentation says you can configure the SMI-S provider to communicate with the switches directly, or through EFCM/HAFM. HP recommends configuring the SMI-S provider to use an EFCM/HAFM server.

Links

- HP SIM overview: http://h18013.www1.hp.com/products/servers/management/hp sim/index.html
- HP SIM SMI-S provider information: http://h18013.www1.hp.com/products/servers/management/hpsim/smi-s-providers.html