

Product Update Notification

NiagaraAX v3.8 WebUI: Java Unlimited Strength Policy Files

DATE: March 10, 2014 PRODUCT: NiagaraAX v3.8

APPLICATION: Internet Browser CONCERNING: Improvements/Bug Fixes

NEW VERSION: N/A **RELEASE DATE** March 10, 2014

DESCRIPTION:

Due to the security enhancements provided in NiagaraAX v3.8, Niagara now relies on Java Cryptography standards for its browser interface. When connecting to a NiagaraAX v3.8 station in a browser for the first time, a pop-up window shown in Figure 1 below will warn you that the required Java Cryptography Extension (JCE) Unlimited Strength Policy File is not installed. The wbApplet will not load unless this is resolved.

Unlimited Strength Policy Files Required

It appears that you do not have the unlimited strength policy files installed in your Java VM. This will prevent the applet from loading correctly.

They are available for download:

Java Cryptography Extension (JCE) Unlimited Strength Jurisdiction Policy Files http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javase/downloads

To install:

1. Download the Unlimited Strength Jurisdiction Policy Files, found at the bottom of the download page.
2. Extract the files from "UnlimitedJCEPolicyJDK7.zip"
3. Copy "local_policy.jar" and "US_export_policy.jar" to your "java_home\lib\security folder", replacing any older versions.

Redirect To Download Page

Do Not Redirect

Figure 1 - Unlimited Strength Policy Files Required Pop-up Warning

A button titled "Redirect To Download Page" will take you directly to the download page.

Note: The instructions on the warning should be observed to prevent re-downloading the latest Java release. The JCE Unlimited Strength Policy Files are not included in typical Java releases and need to be installed separately.

SOLUTION:

When redirected to http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javase/downloads, users need to scroll to the bottom of the page to the *Additional Resources* table shown below in Figure 2 to find the download for the *JCE Unlimited Strength Jurisdiction Policy Files 7* underlined in RED. Click on the "Download" button circled in RED.

Additional Resources Java SE 7 Documentation DOWNLOAD ± Java SE 7 Documentation Does Installation Instructions Java SE 7 Documentation License 61 Java API Documentation Updater Tool 1.3 DOWNLOAD ± Java API Documentation Updater Tool repairs-in-place Java API Documentation created with javadoc versions included with JDK 5u45, 6u45, 7u21 and earlier. See the 7u25 release notes for more information. Java Time Zone Updater Tool 1.3.62
The TZUpdater tool is to enable an Oracle JDK 7 or JRE 7 user to patch their installation with the most recent timezone data. DOWNLOAD • Learn More Readme Java Access Bridge
Java Access Bridge is a technology that exposes the Java Accessibility API in a Microsoft Windows DLL, enabling Java applications and applets that implement the Java Accessibility API to be visible to assistive technologies on Microsoft Windows systems. DOWNLOAD ± Java Cryptography Extension (JCE) Unlimited Strength Jurisdiction Policy Files 7

Figure 2 - Additional Resources

The license agreement shown below in Figure 3 must be accepted to enable the download link. Click on the radial button titled "Accept License Agreement" and then click on the link titled "UnlimitedJCEPolicyJDK7.zip" circled in **RED** to download the file to your desktop.

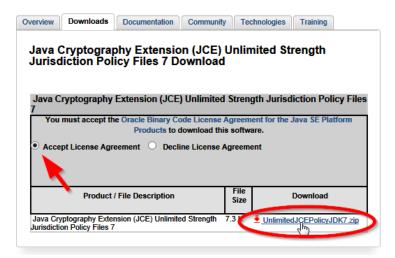
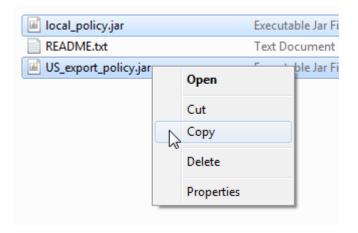


Figure 3 - Download Prompt

Unzip the "UnlimitedJCEPolicyJDK7.zip" file and then copy *the local_policy.jar* and *us_export_policy.jar* files shown in Figure 4 below.

Figure 4 - UnlimitedJCEPolicyJDK7.zip



Paste the files in the Security folder located at C:\Program Files (x86)\Java\jre7\lib\security circled in RED in Figure 5.

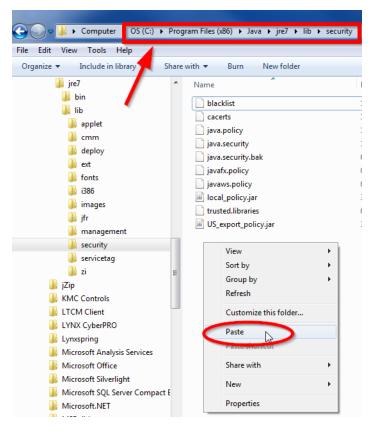


Figure 5 - Security Folder Location

Note: The path can vary depending on where Java is installed. If you are unsure of the location of this folder, open the *Java Control Panel* from the *Windows Control Panel*, click on the *Java* tab, and the *View* button. The location of this folder is displayed in the *Path* column.

A "Copy File" pop-up warning window will appear shown in Figure 6 below. Choose to *Copy and Replace* both files, and restart your browser. The installation of the Java Cryptography Extension (JCE) Unlimited Strength Policy File is complete.

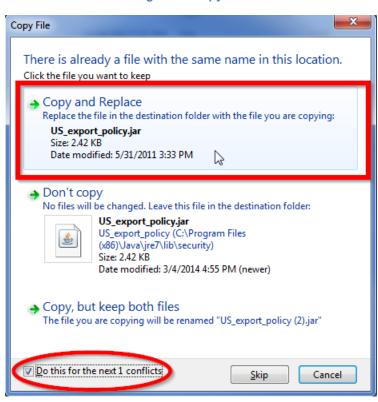


Figure 6 - Copy File

URGENCY:

Any users accessing a NiagaraAX v3.8 station with a web browser will need to follow this Product Update Notification.

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