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Read Before Installing VMS License Management Facility Version 1.1

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Digital™is pleased to announce a functional update to the License Management Facility of the VMS™ Operating System. The release of LMF V1.1 complements Digital's user-based license architecture. Digital has announced Personal Use licenses and has increased the number of products offering Concurrent Use licenses.

This update incorporates widely requested ease-of-use enhancements, and supports Digital's new Personal Use licenses. The following new features are included:

- New commands for frequently performed license management operations (LICENSE DELETE, LICENSE MOVE, LICENSE COPY)
- New RESERVE_UNITS option, to support Digital's Personal Use licenses.
- Support for reservation lists for all license sytles
- More consistent and intuitive command qualifiers
- Support for wildcards for operations on groups of licenses
- Improved reporting defaults

For more information about these enhancements, see the *VMS License Management Utility Manual*.

Installation

Installation of this kit is required in the following situations:

- to register Digital's Personal Use License PAKs
- to take advantage of the ease-of-use enhancements

LMF V1.1 can be installed on VMS systems running VMS Version 5.2 to 5.4, inclusive.

NOTE: A system shutdown automatically occurs when the VMS License Management Facility (LMF) Version 1.1 is installed. The installer is required to reboot the system after this shutdown.

Also, once you install the VMS LMF Version 1.1, you must reinstall LMF Version 1.1 whenever you upgrade your VMS operating system to a higher version number. See Section 1.2 in the release notes for additional information.

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Documentation

The following new manual is included in this kit:

VMS License Management Facility Installation Guide

The following revised manual is included in this kit:

VMS License Management Utility Manual

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