

RSA® Authentication Manager 8.3 Patch 1 Web Tier Readme



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Prerequisite Release:
RSA Authentication Manager 8.3 Patch 1 or later

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Purpose

This Authentication Manager 8.3 Patch 1 web tier version includes changes that resolve several security vulnerabilities related to Java and Oracle WebLogic used by the web tier.

Note: This web tier version is compatible with RSA Authentication Manager 8.3 Patch 1 and later.

Before Installing this Web Tier Version

Before installing this web tier version, review the following guidelines:

- You must install RSA Authentication Manager 8.3 Patch 1 or later to the primary and replica instances. See the *RSA Authentication Manager 8.3 Patch 1 Readme* for details.

Installing the Web-Tier Package

A link to the web-tier package is on the RSA Link downloads page for Authentication Manager 8.3 Patch 1 Web Tier. The web tier download page includes:

- a ZIP file (**am-webtier-8.3.0.1.0.zip**) containing the web-tier software
- a corresponding text file (**am-webtier-8.3.0.1.0.zip.sha256.rtf**) containing a SHA256 hash value for validating the downloaded web-tier zip file

A separate link for the Web Tier Readme is located on the RSA Link documents page for Authentication Manager 8.3 Patch 1 Web Tier.

Procedure

1. Download the web-tier package and corresponding SHA256 file from RSA Link.
2. Calculate the SHA256 hash of the zip file and ensure the result matches the value in the downloaded SHA256 file.
3. Reinstall the web tier using the downloaded package. Follow the instructions in the “Reinstall the Web Tier” section of the *RSA Authentication Manager 8.3 Setup and Configuration Guide*.

New Features and Enhancements in Patch 1

Web Tier Qualification for Windows Server 2016 Standard

RSA has qualified the Authentication Manager 8.3 Patch 1 web tier for compatibility with Windows Server 2016 Standard.

Defects Fixed in This Patch

8.3 Patch 1

AM-31754 – The versions of Java and Oracle WebLogic used by Authentication Manager and the web tier were vulnerable to several security exploits. If your deployment includes a web tier, you must reinstall the web tier with the latest version for this fix to work. See “Reinstall the Web Tier” in the *RSA Authentication Manager 8.3 Setup and Configuration Guide* for instructions.

Support and Service

You can access community and support information on RSA Link at <https://community.rsa.com>. RSA Link contains a knowledgebase that answers common questions and provides solutions to known problems, product documentation, community discussions, and case management.

The RSA Ready Partner Program website at www.rsaready.com provides information about third-party hardware and software products that have been certified to work with RSA products. The website includes Implementation Guides with step-by-step instructions and other information on how RSA products work with third-party products.

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