



Operations Alert Bulletin

Third-Party Applications Require Recompile for NGP Set-Tops

Background

All third-party applications that are intended to run on Next Generation Platform (NGP) Explorer® set-tops must be recompiled with a Linux-based operating system. This recommendation includes, but is not limited to, applications that support VOD, Caller ID, portals, games, and so forth.

Recommendation

You should contact your application vendor to verify that they have created an NGP version of each application for Linux-based set-tops. Applications compiled for legacy set-tops will *not* run on the new Linux-based set-tops.

Platforms Affected

As of this writing, the following set-tops require a recompile of each third-party application:

- 154x platform: 1540, 1542
- 16xx platform: 1640, 1642, 1650, 1652
- 46xx platform: 4640, 4642, 4650, 4652
- 86xx platform: 8640, 8642, 8650, 8652

About This Bulletin

Audience

This document is written for DBDS system administrators, Cisco® Services engineers, and application developers who create applications for NGP set-tops.

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This is the second formal release of this document.

For More Information

If you have technical questions, call Cisco Services for assistance. Follow the menu options to speak with a service engineer.



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