BMC is releasing version 2.4.05 of the Installation System.

**Note**

Before you begin installation, BMC recommends that you check the Support Central website at [http://www.bmc.com/support](http://www.bmc.com/support) for:

- Updated product documentation (for example, flashes and technical bulletins)
- Product downloads, patches, and fixes (PTFs)
- Product availability and compatibility (PAC) data

These release notes supplement and supersede the product documentation and discuss product enhancements and resolved problems.

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**What's new**

These topics describe the changes or new features in this release.

**Added support for solutions**

Version 2.4.05 of the Installation System has added support for the following new solutions:
Running from target libraries

Starting with version 2.4.00 of the Installation System, products are now configured to execute from runtime data sets.

BMC no longer supports executing from SMP/E target data sets.

Installing products into existing libraries

BMC does not recommend installing into existing target and distribution zones that were created with version 2.3.90 or earlier of the Installation System due to changes in the SMP/E target libraries.

Granular DDDEFs for MainView products

Starting with version 2.4.00 of the Installation System, most MainView products now use granular DDDEFs in the SMP/E target libraries. The remaining MainView products will transition to granular DDDEFs as quickly as possible.

Configuring MainView products

Starting with version 2.4.00 of the Installation System, all MainView product installations must complete the installation and configuration processes by using the version 2.4.00 or later Installation System to correctly install the products.

Creating and running the configuration jobs builds a runtime environment, which is required to correctly run the products.
Corrected problems

The following problems were corrected. The Installation System uses the QMnnnnnnnnnn format to identify defect and request for enhancement (RFE) tracking IDs.

**Note**
Reinstall the Installation System for these corrections to take affect.

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<td>QM001867076</td>
<td>Hardcoded values used in the SMS classes in the allocation of the SYSMDUMP data set causes problems.</td>
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<td>QM001867099</td>
<td>Missing JCL skeletons prevent building the JCL for setting up a bootstrap RTCS.</td>
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<td>QM001867666</td>
<td>The SYSUT2 DD statement in the Installation System image does not include a space parameter causing an allocation error.</td>
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<td>QM001869831</td>
<td>Checking for Installation System updates results in an FTP error.</td>
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<td>QM001869990</td>
<td>When installing an APPLICATION RESTART CONTROL product by itself, unable to select option 8, <strong>Proceed to JCL Generation</strong>, from the Configure Products or Components panel.</td>
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<td>QM001870651</td>
<td>A DB2 value of 1110 is not accepted when configuring the BMC MainView <strong>for DB2 Management solution.</strong></td>
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<td>QM001871012</td>
<td>Converting the bootstrap RTCS to a permanent RTCS abends.</td>
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Known issues

The following issue remains open in this release. The Installation System uses the QMnnnnnnnnnn format to identify defect and request for enhancement (RFE) tracking IDs.
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<td>QM001872012</td>
<td>When configuring a MainView product, the JCL for the OSZINIT procedure is generated incorrectly. Until this problem is corrected, use the following procedure to work around the problem:</td>
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1. Open the OSZINIT member in your Installation System JCL library.  
2. Scroll to the end of the member.  
   You will see a DISP=SHR statement. The DISP statement should be preceded by a DD statement, but the DD statement is missing.  
   Insert the following DD statement on the line before the DISP statement:  
   ```
   //PARMLIB DD DSN=yourUserDataSetHLQ.UBMCSAMP
   ```  
3. Save and close the OSZINIT member.  
4. Open the OSZINITxx member in your Installation System JCL library.  
   The xx is the SYSCLONE value for the system on which you did the installation.  
5. Search for `SREGVLDS`.  
   The SREGVLDS statement will look similar to this:  
   `SREGVLDS=vsamDataSetHLQ..RTCSRGRY`  
   The two periods are incorrect.  
6. Between the two periods, add the sysplex name for your systems. The revised statement should look similar to this:  
   `SREGVLDS=vsamDataSetHLQ.sysplexName.RTCSRGRY`  
7. Save and close the OSZINITxx member.  

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**Installation**

The Installation System is obtained and installed the first time you install a BMC product. From time to time, BMC upgrades the Installation System, and you can install the new version at any time. Installing or upgrading a particular product might require the upgraded Installation System. In that case, the Installation System indicates that you need to upgrade it.
Note

To download the latest version of the Installation System, complete these steps:

1. Go to http://www.bmc.com/support/reg/installation-system.html, or navigate to the “BMC data management for DB2 and IMS, MainView, and cost optimization products installation and maintenance” section of the BMC Support Central website.
   A BMC support user ID and password are required.

2. Click Installation.

3. Follow the procedures.

To request physical shipments, contact your BMC sales representative. Contact information is available on the BMC website.

The Installation System includes the following utilities and installs them when you install a product:

- BMC Internet Service Retrieval (BMC ISR)
  Use BMC ISR to request, retrieve, and apply product maintenance.

- BMC Support Tool
  Use this tool to provide diagnostics information to BMC Customer Support.

For more information about using the Installation System, see the Installation System Quick Start or Installation System Reference Manual.

Support status

You can find the support status for specific product versions on the Support Central website. Selecting a product from the “A – Z Supported Product List” shows:

- All versions of the product and their current support levels (full or limited)
- Dates on which support ends

For more information about the latest support policies, see the Support Central website at http://www.bmc.com/support.
Product documentation

From the Support Central website (http://www.bmc.com/support), you can:

- Link to the BMC Documentation Center (https://webapps.bmc.com/infocenter/index.jsp) to browse documentation sets

- View Quick Course videos (short overviews of selected product concepts, tasks, or features), which are available from the following locations:
  - Documentation Center
  - Support Central (at http://www.bmc.com/support/mainframe-demonstrations)
  - BMC Mainframe YouTube channel (https://www.youtube.com/user/BMCSoftwareMainframe)

- View individual product documents (books and notices) within the “A – Z Supported Product List”

You can order hardcopy documentation from your BMC sales representative or from the support site. You can also subscribe to proactive alerts to receive e-mail messages when notices are issued.

Customer support

If you have problems with or questions about a BMC product, see the support website at http://www.bmc.com/support. You can view or download product documents, find answers to frequently asked questions, and download products and maintenance. If you do not have access to the web and you are in the United States or Canada, contact Customer Support at 1 800 537 1813. Outside the United States or Canada, contact your local BMC office or agent.

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