

NOTICE # FN-PRD-PA-SD 6.1-1-043014-01

| | |
|--------------------------|---|
| Type | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Product Announcement (PA) <input type="checkbox"/> Product Support (PS) <input type="checkbox"/> End of Life (EoL) <input type="checkbox"/> Pricing (PRC) <input type="checkbox"/> Sales & Marketing (S&M) <input type="checkbox"/> Training (T) |
| Region Applicable | <input type="checkbox"/> APAC <input type="checkbox"/> EMEA <input type="checkbox"/> NAM <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All |
| Subject | System Director v6.1-1 |
| Field Notice Date | May 6, 2014 |
| Effective Date | May 6, 2014 |
| Notice Number: | FN-PRD-PA-SD 6.1-1-043014-01 |

Notice

This field notice is provided on an “as is” basis and does not imply any kind of guarantee or warranty, including the warranty of merchantability. Your use of the information on the field notice or materials linked from the field notice is at your own risk. Meru reserves the right to change or update this field notice at any time.

Summary

General availability of System Director v6.1-1

Description of Field Notice

This notice is to provide information regarding release and general availability of System Director 6.1-1.

Feature Enhancements:

1. **TxBF Support for AP832/AP822** - Transmit Beamforming (TxBf) is now supported on the AP832 and AP822. TxBf improves signal strength and data rate for a given client at medium ranges.
2. **AP822 Support** – a dual-radio/dual-band, 802.11a/b/g/n/ac WLAN access point with a 2x2:2ss design. The access point is offered with a choice of internal or external antenna models.
3. **Mesh support for AP433** – Mesh supports backhaul connectivity from the AP to controller, single and multiple hops, encrypted backhaul, and automatic discovery.
4. **Dynamic VLAN support for AP433 & AP1020 in Bridge Mode** – This feature allows VLAN tag assignments done dynamically through RADIUS server messages when the AP is in bridge mode. It is supported on the AP433e, AP433i, OAP433e, AP433is, AP1010e, AP1010i, AP1020e, AP1020i.

5. **DFS on AP433** – Dynamic Frequency Selection (DFS) is now supported. DFS switches AP's radio to a fallback channel when radar is detected on the AP's operating channel. It is supported on the following AP models: AP433e, AP433i, OAP433e, AP433is.
6. **Heartbleed Vulnerability** – This release includes a fix to resolve the vulnerability issue due to the heartbleed bug (Ref: CVE-2014-0160) in the OpenSSL cryptographic library. We recommend that customers running the following versions upgrade to v6.1-1:
 - System Director versions 6.0-x, 6.1-0-3

Prior versions of System Director used an earlier version of OpenSSL that is not vulnerable. Meru's EzRF Network Management and IDM Guest Access/Device Provisioning applications are not affected.

Solution: We recommend all customers affected by this vulnerability to upgrade to this version as soon as it becomes available.

NOTE: If you upgrade to SD 6.1-1 and also use EzRF to manage your network, you will need to upgrade to EzRF 6.1.1-5.

Software can be obtained on Meru's support site: <http://support.merunetworks.com>

Supported Access Points:

All access points supported in the SD v6.x releases are supported with the addition of support for the AP822.

Trademarks

Meru and Meru Networks are trademarks or registered trademarks of Meru Networks in the United States. Other company and product names may be trademarks of the respective companies with which they are associated.

Copyright

© 2014 Meru Networks, Inc. All rights reserved.