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1 Preface

This section provides information about HCL BigFix CLM Troubleshooting Guide and includes the following topics.

- Intended Audience
- About This Guide
- Related Documents
- Conventions

1.1 Intended Audience

This document is intended for users like developers and administrators who will be responsible for the following:

- Developing service request forms
- Using APIs to consume HCL BigFix CLM services
- Defining process workflows in the tool
- HCL BigFix CLM Configuration
- HCL BigFix CLM Installation

1.2 About This Guide

This guide provides instructions to troubleshoot some of the commonly occurring issues along with steps to resolve the issues. The guide has the following sections:

- HCL BiaFix CLM Features
- Troubleshooting of HCL BigFix CLM components
- Availability Tests-Command Prompt
- Troubleshooting of HCL BigFix CLM Portal components
- Troubleshooting for CSS Issues
- Availability Tests of Middleware components
- Troubleshooting of Middleware components

1.3 Related Documents

The following documents can be referenced in addition to this guide for further information on HCL BigFix CLM.

- HCL BigFix CLM Introduction Guide
- HCL BigFix CLM Installation Guide
- HCL BigFix CLM Configuration Guide Admin Module
- HCL BigFix CLM Configuration Guide Provider Module Part 1
- HCL BigFix CLM Configuration Guide Provider Module Part 2
- HCL BigFix CLM User Guide
- HCL BigFix CLM Developer Guide
- HCL BigFix CLM API Guide

- HCL BigFix CLM V3 API Guide

1.4 Conventions

The following typographic conventions are used in this document:

Table 1 – Conventions

Convention	Element
Boldface	Indicates graphical user interface elements associated with an action, or terms defined in text or the glossary
Underlined blue	Indicates a cross-reference and links
Courier New (Font)	Indicates commands within a paragraph, URLs, code in examples, and paths including on screen text and text input from users
Numbered lists	Indicates steps in a procedure to be followed in a sequence
Bulleted lists	Indicates a list of items that is not necessarily meant to be followed in a sequence

2 HCL BigFix Cloud Lifecycle Management (CLM) Overview

Today, many enterprises see cloud-based applications as an effective way to optimize IT-related costs, by leveraging the pay-as-you-go model. Some organizations also realized the benefits that liberalization of IT deployment and management across departments brings to the table, agility being of prime importance.

At the same time, the approach of having a decentralized, unregulated, cloud-based IT ecosystem poses new challenges around managing costs, visibility, and others. There is a need to have a hybrid cloud management platform that gives them the flexibility to manage a complex and fast-changing cloud environment.

HCL BigFix Cloud Lifecycle Management is a hybrid cloud management product that empowers organizations to optimally govern, provision, monitor, and manage cloud infrastructure. It combines data exploration and data visualization in an easy-to-use product that enables effective analysis and generates actionable insights for IaaS, PaaS resources, and multi-machine blueprints. BigFix Cloud Lifecycle Managament_10.9.0data-driven recommendations and advisories ensure continuous optimization of enterprise cloud environments across areas, including cost, performance, security, and utilization.

2.1 HCL BigFix CLM Features

Self Service Catalog based Provisioning and Auto-decommissioning

Self Service Catalog based Provisioning & Auto-decommissioning – Provisioning of IaaS, PaaS, and multi-machine blueprints in a multi-cloud environment, through an intuitive self-service catalog and auto-decommissioning post a defined interval to avoid cost leakages.

Metering & show back

Track utilization of resources across BUs, enabling transparency and visibility.

Dynamic User Interface

Flexibility to customize the service request form templates to capture configuration parameters while placing provisioning requests.

- Dynamic Process Workflows

Enables automation of generic & custom tasks like installing agents, machine cloning etc. with support for parallel execution.

Script Library

Create new or leverage out-of-the-box scripts in process workflows across environments.

- Forecasting & RI recommendation

Enables cost optimization and resource utilization by analyzing the past usage patterns & recommending the most optimal resource types on AWS and Azure.

Role Based Access Control

Manage user privileges based on their roles, eligibility and policies.

Policy Driven Orchestration

Be in control of your cloud orchestration ecosystem aligned to your organizational policies.

Rich Integration Ecosystem

Enables integration with industry leading third party tools through REST APIs and CLI.

Enterprise-Grade Security

Ensure security of end-to-end cloud management and orchestration ecosystem through various mechanisms.

3 Troubleshooting Procedures

3.1 Troubleshooting of HCL BigFix CLM Components

This section describes the procedure for troubleshooting the most commonly occurring issues along with their resolution steps. The issues have been categorized based on various components of HCL BigFix CLM as listed below:

3.1.1 Troubleshooting Steps for HCL BigFix CLM Installer

3.1.1.1 Issues related to Installer EXE

Table 2 - Installer Not Running

Track	Description
Issue	Installer exe is not running
Modules Impacted	HCL BigFix CLM Installer
Resolution Steps	 Check, whether the antivirus is not restricting the "exe" file from running. Ensure that the installer zipped file has been unzipped as per the defined procedure and all contents have been extracted successfully. Refer to the log and exception files (available, where the installer has been unzipped) for more information.

3.1.1.2 Check Connection Failure in Database

Table 3 - Database Details - Check Connection Failure

Track	Description
Issue	Database Details - Check connection failure
Modules Impacted	HCL BigFix CLM Installer
Resolution Steps	 Check the connectivity to the database server. Ensure that the DB port (1443) is open for communication. Ensure that the username and password are entered correctly. Refer to the log and exception files (available, where the installer has been unzipped) for more information.

3.1.1.3 Check User Validity Failure for Server Configuration

Table 4 - Server Configuration – Check User Validity Failure
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Track	Description
Issue	Server Configuration – Check User Validity failure
Modules Impacted	HCL BigFix CLM Installer
Resolution Steps	 Check if all details have been entered correctly. Ensure that the user has the administrator rights. Refer to the log and exception files (available, where the installer has been unzipped) for more information.

3.1.1.4 Pre-requisite Software Checking Failure

Table 5 - Pre-Requisite Checker - Pre-requisite Software Checking Failure

Track	Description
Issue	Pre-Requisite Checker – Pre-requisite software checking failure
Modules Impacted	HCL BigFix CLM Installer
Resolution Steps	 Ensure that all the pre-requisites, i.e. software, are installed under Registry (under the Local System). Then, press Win+R and type regedit.msc to open the Registry. To check the exact path in Registry, refer to the installer logs under the log folder inside the installer. If a user does not have access to Registry, then check-in installed programs.

3.1.1.5 HCL BigFix CLM Component Failure

Table 6 - HCL BigFix CLM Component Installation Failure

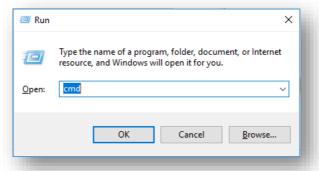
Track	Description
Issue	HCL BigFix CLM component installation failure
Modules Impacted	HCL BigFix CLM Installer
Resolution Steps	 If a failure occurs due to the database, then resolve the issue depending on the error message. If a failure occurs due to the components, ensure that all the pre-requisites are completed. To check the exact error, find the executed command in installer logs under the log folder inside the installer.

3.1.2 HCL BigFix CLM Portal

3.1.2.1 Availability Tests- Command Prompt

Table 7 - Availability Tests Using Command Prompt

Track	Description
Type of Test	Availability tests using the Command Prompt
Resolution Steps	 Open run command window by pressing Window key + R. Type cmd and click OK.



3.

Figure 1 – Run Window

- 4. The command window appears.
- Execute the command below to test the website availability:

```
Ping <ip>/<WebsiteURL>
```

6. If we received a reply from <ip>/<WebsiteURL> then HCL BigFix CLM Portal is available else follow the steps detailed in <u>Troubleshooting of HCL BigFix CLM Components</u> and as shown in Figure 2 - Ping Response.

```
Pinging Torrisoror with 32 bytes of data:
Reply from Torrisoror: bytes=32 time=9ms TTL=125
Reply from Torrisoror: bytes=32 time=7ms TTL=125
Reply from Torrisoror: bytes=32 time=8ms TTL=125
Reply from Torrisoror: bytes=32 time=11ms TTL=125
Ping statistics for Torrisoror:
Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
Minimum = 7ms, Maximum = 11ms, Average = 8ms
```

Figure 2 - Ping Response

3.1.2.2 Availability Tests- Browser

Table 8 - Availability Tests Using Browser

Track	Description
Type of Test	Availability tests using Browser
Resolution Steps	 Open Google Chrome/ Mozilla/ IE browser and enter the HCL BigFix CLM Portal URL in the address bar. If HCL BigFix CLM Portal Login Page appears, then the portal is available otherwise follow the troubleshooting steps in <u>Troubleshooting of HCL BigFix CLM Components</u> and as shown in Figure 3 – HCL BigFix CLM Portal Login Page

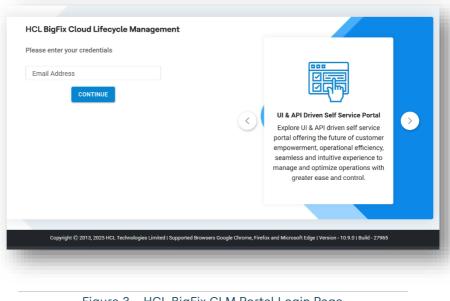


Figure 3 - HCL BigFix CLM Portal Login Page

3.1.2.3 Troubleshooting of HCL BigFix CLM Portal Components

3.1.2.3.1 To Check whether Website & AppPool in IIS Responding or Not

Table 9 - Check Website & AppPool in IIS Responding or Not

Track	Description
Issue	Check whether Website & AppPool in IIS are responding or not
Resolution Steps	 Open the run command window by pressing Window key + R. Type inetmgr and click OK.
	Type the name of a program, folder, document, or Internet resource, and Windows will open it for you. Open: inetmgr OK Cancel Browse
	Figure 4 - Run Window



Figure 5 - IIS Console Home Page

5. The Manage WebSite section on the right navigation bar of HCL BigFix CLM Portal will be in Start state. If it is in Stop state, then click on Start link, as shown in Figure 6 - IIS Console HCL BigFix CLM Portal Node Selected.

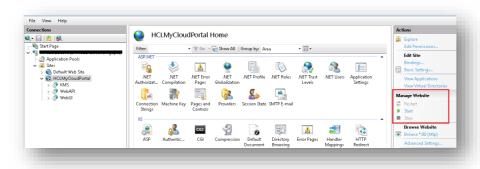
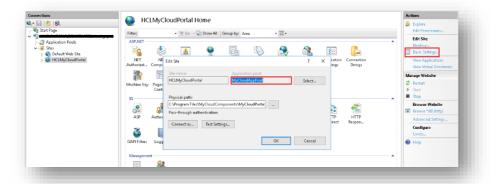
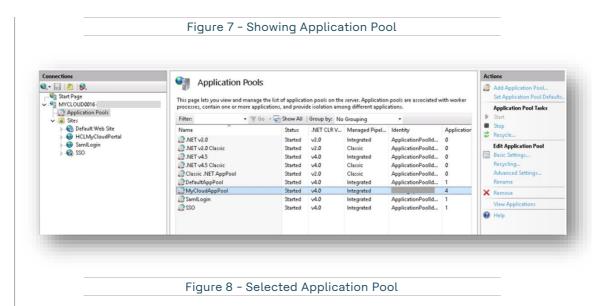


Figure 6 - IIS Console HCL BigFix CLM Portal Node Selected

- 6. To check App Pools,
 - a. Select HCL BigFix CLM Portal, then under Edit Site heading, on the Actions panel, click Basic Settings.
 - The **Edit Site** pop-up window appears.
 - You can see the Application Pool name in the **Application Pool** field as shown in Figure 7 Showing Application Pool.
 - b. Click the **Application Pool** below **Server Name** node in the left section.
 - c. Select the Application Pool from the Application Pools Section.
 - d. "Application Pool Tasks" section of selected Application Pool should be in Start state. If in Stop state, then click on "Start" link, as Shown in Figure 8 Selected Application Pool





3.1.2.3.2 To Check Key Rotation Service is Up and Running

Table 10 - Check Key Rotation Service is Up and Running

Track	Description
Issue	Check Key Rotation Service is Up and Running
Resolution Steps	1. Open Google Chrome/ Mozilla/ IE browser and type the UR http:// <ip>/KMS/KeyManagement.svc 2. URL in the address bar as shown in Figure 9 - Key Rotation Service Home Page.</ip>
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	This will generate a configuration file and a code file that contains the client class. Add the two files to your client application and use the generated client class to call the Service. For example: CF class Test { static void Main() { KeyManagementClient client = new KeyManagementClient(); // Use the 'client' variable to call operations on the service. // Always close the client. client.Close(); } }
	Figure 9 - Key Rotation Service Home Page

3.1.2.3.3 Website is Not Available

Table 11 - Website is Not Available

Track	Description
Issue	Website is not available

Resolution Steps

- 1. Open run command window by pressing Window key + R.
- 2. Type inetmgr. And then click OK.

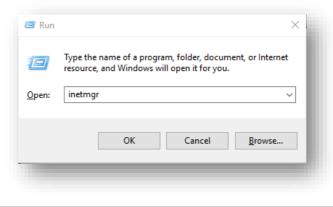


Figure 10 - Run Window

- 3. The IIS Console appears.
- 4. Expand the **Server Name** node > **Sites** node > HCL BigFix CLM Portal node.
- 5. Right-click on the WebUI node and click Explore.
- 6. Open HCL BigFix CLM Logger folder and then open the latest HCL BigFix CLM Logger-xxxx-xx-xx file to view the website logs as shown in Figure 11 HCL BigFix CLM Logger Base Path with Log Files.

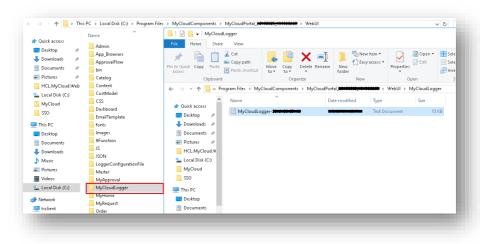


Figure 11 - HCL BigFix CLM Logger Base Path with Log Files

- 3.1.2.4 Troubleshooting Steps for HCL BigFix CLM Portal (Web Application)
- 3.1.2.4.1 Troubleshooting for CSS Issues
- 3.1.2.4.1.1 CSS is not loading for the Website

Table 12 - CSS is Not Loading for the Website

Track	Description	
Issue	CSS is not loading for the website	
	1. Open Google Chrome/ Mozilla/ IE browser and enter the HCL BigFix CLM Portal URL in the	
	address bar.	
	The HCL BigFix CLM Portal Login screen appears.	

2. Observe that Page CSS has not been loaded.

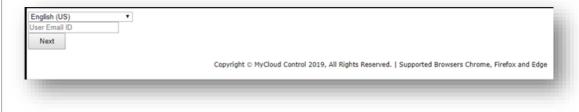


Figure 12 - HCL BigFix CLM Portal Login Screen without CSS

Modules Impacted

HCL BigFix CLM Portal

Resolution Steps

- 1. Open the run command window by pressing **Window key** + **R**.
- 2. Type ServerManager and click OK.

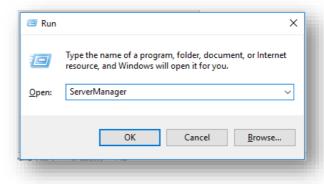


Figure 13 - Run Window

The Server Manager window appears.

3. Click on Add roles and features.

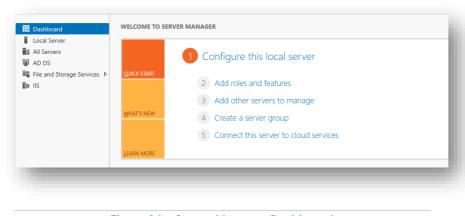


Figure 14 - Server Manager Dashboard

4. On the **Before you begin** window, click **Next**.

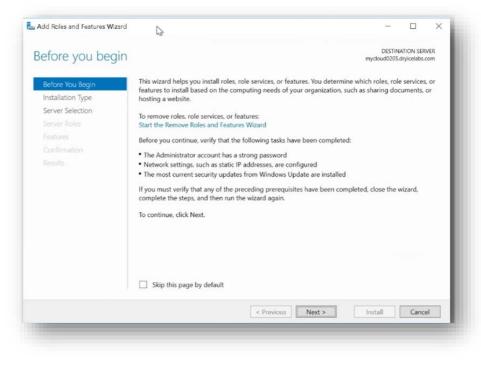


Figure 15 - Before You Begin Screen

5. On the Select installation type window, select Role-based or feature-based installation, and then click Next.

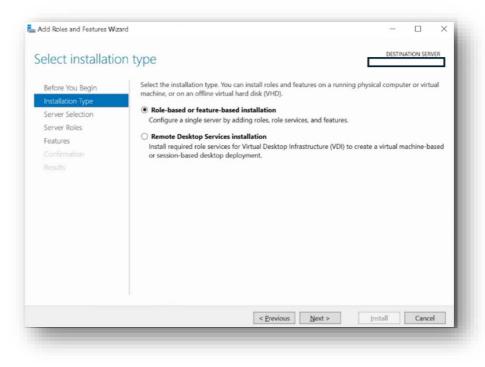


Figure 16 - Installation Type Screen

- 6. On the Select destination server window, select 'Select a server from the server pool' and then select the Machine Name under the Server Pool group.
- 7. Click Next.

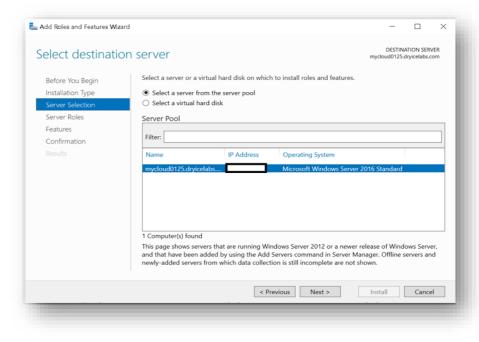


Figure 17 - Server Selection Screen

8. On the Select Server Roles window, select Server Roles > Web Server (IIS) > Static Content.

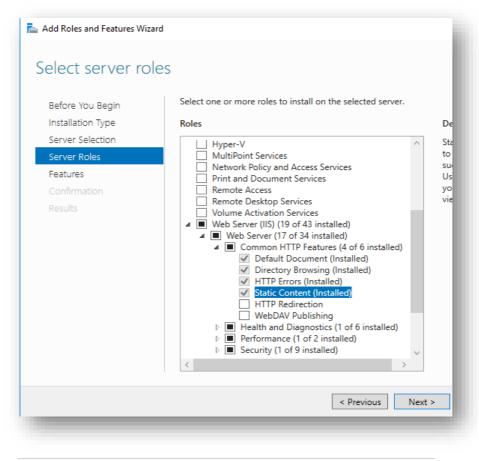


Figure 18 - Select Static Content

3.1.2.4.2 Long Response Time of HCL BigFix CLM Website

Table 13 - Long Response Time of HCL BigFix CLM

Track	Description

Issue

Long response time of HCL BigFix CLM

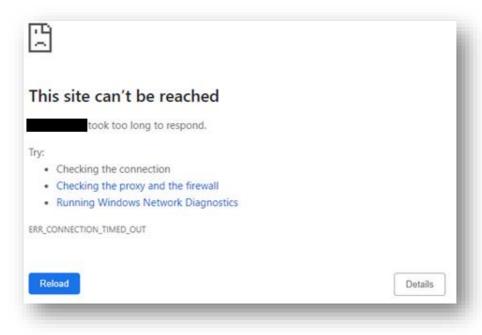


Figure 19 - Long Response Time of HCL BigFix CLM

Modules Impacted	Web Application
Probable Root Cause	Issue with connectivity to the environment
Resolution Steps	Please ensure that the user has proper internet connectivity and access to the website.

3.1.2.4.3 Invalid Login Attempt in HCL BigFix CLM Portal

Table 14 - Invalid Login Attempt in HCL BigFix CLM Portal

Track	Description	
Issue	Invalid Login Attempt in HCL BigFix CLM Portal	
Modules Impacted	Web Application	
Probable Root Cause	Incorrect Password entered by user	
Resolution Steps	 Ensure that the correct User ID and Password are entered as the login credentials. Ensure that the installer zipped file has been unzipped as per the defined procedure and all contents have been extracted successfully. Refer to the log and exception files (available, where the installer has been unzipped) for more information. 	

3.1.2.4.4 User Not Found

Table 15 - User Not Found while Logging into the Application

Track	Description
Issue	User Not Found while logging into the application
Modules Impacted	Web Application
Probable Root Cause	Issue with the User ID used for login
Resolution Steps	1. Login to HCL BigFix CLM using the provider's admin credentials.
	2. Go to Organization and then click User Management.

3.1.2.4.5 Error message SOAP Certificate Negotiation Failure

Track	Description
Issue	Error message SOAP Certificate Negotiation Failure appears in the Component Log screen of HCL BigFix CLM portal
Modules Impacted	Web Application
Probable Root Cause	HCL.HCL BigFix CLM certificate is not present in MMC > Local Machine > Trusted People and MMC > Local Machine > Personal.
Resolution Steps	 Get a valid HCL.HCL BigFix CLM certificate from the team concerned or get a copy of the certificate from HCL BigFix CLM Installation Guide (refer the Pre-requisite section in Installation Guide). Double-click on the HCL BigFix CLM certificate, select the Local Machine, and their click Next.
	Welcome to the Certificate Import Wizard This wizard helps you copy certificates, certificate trust lists, and certificate revocation lists from your disk to a certificate store. A certificate, which is issued by a certification authority, is a confirmation of your identity and contains information used to protect data or to establish secure network connections. A certificate store is the system area where certificates are kept.

Figure 20 – Error Message SOAP Certificate Negotiation Failure Appears

♦ Next

Cancel

3. Specify the file that needs to be imported and click **Next**.

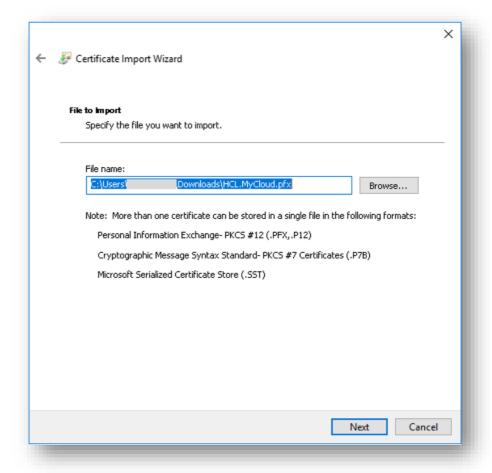


Figure 21 - Error Message SOAP Certificate Negotiation Failure Appears

4. Enter the certificate password in the **Password** field and click **Next**.

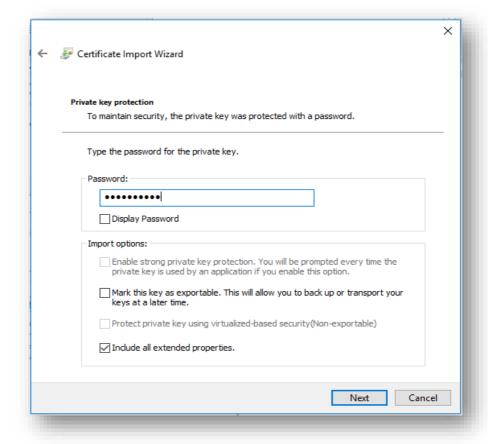


Figure 22 - Error Message SOAP Certificate Negotiation Failure Appears

- 5. Select the option i.e. Place all certificates in the following store and then select Trusted People.
- 6. Click **OK** and then click **Next**.

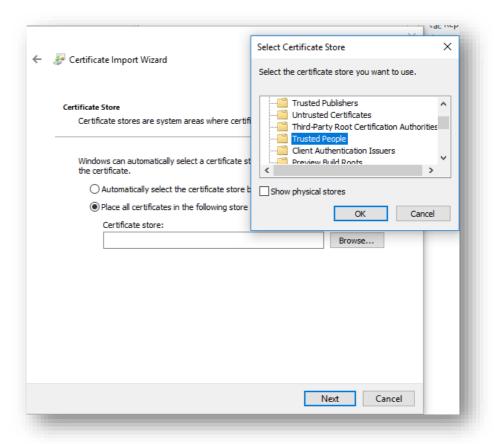
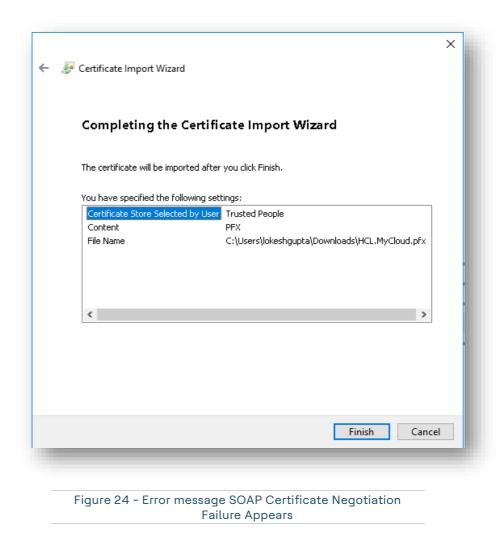


Figure 23 - Error Message SOAP Certificate Negotiation Failure
Appears

7. Click Finish.



3.1.2.4.6 User is Not Authorized to Access HCL BigFix CLM

Table 17 - User is Not Authorized to Access HCL BigFix CLM

Track	Description
Issue	User is not authorized to access HCL BigFix CLM
Modules Impacted	Web Application
Probable Root Cause	Key Rotation Service (KRS) may not be working
Resolution Steps	Refer to the <u>Troubleshooting Steps for Key Rotation System (KRS) (Web API component)</u> for more details.
	To validate whether KRS is working, check if KRS WSDL is loading by going to the URL <a href="http://<LB IP>:<port>/KMS/KeyManagement.svc.">http://<lb ip="">:<port>/KMS/KeyManagement.svc.</port></lb>



Figure 25 - User is Not Authorized to Access HCL BigFix CLM

2. If the user receives a message **Bad Request**, it means that KRS is not working.

Refer to <u>Troubleshooting Steps for Key Rotation System (KRS)</u> for more information.

3.1.2.4.7 Localhost Redirected

Table 18 - Localhost Redirected You Too Many Times

Track	Description
Issue	Localhost redirected you for multiple times
	This page isn't working
	localhost redirected you too many times.
	Try clearing your cookies.
	ERR_TOO_MANY_REDIRECTS
	Reload
	Figure 26 - Localhost Redirected You Too Many Times
Modules Impacted	Web Application
Probable Root Cause	HCL BigFix CLM. pfx certificate is not present
Resolution Steps	 Refer to the file global.aspx to see the exact error. Either HCL BigFix CLM.pfx certificate is not present in MMC > Local Machine > Trusted
	People or the certificate is corrupted. Then go to step 4.3. If the certificate is present, delete the certificate and import it again (Refer to the step
	below).
	4. Refer to SOAP Certificate Negotiation Failure resolution steps to import the certificate.

Table 19 - Site is Not Working or Getting Java Script Error

Track	Description
Issue	Site is not working or getting Java script error
Modules Impacted	Web Application
Probable Root Cause	HCL BigFix CLM.pfx certificate is not present
Resolution Steps	 Refer to the file global.aspx to see the exact error. Either HCL BigFix CLM.pfx certificate is not present in MMC > Local Machine > Trusted People or the certificate is corrupted (refer step 4). If the certificate is present, delete the certificate and import it again. (Refer the step below). Refer to the SOAP Certificate Negotiation Failure resolution steps to import the certificate.

3.1.2.4.9 Login not working with SAML authentication

Table 20 – Login Not Working with SAML Authentication

Track	Description
Issue	Login not working with SAML authentication
Modules Impacted	Web Application
Probable Root Cause	SameSite cookies/sessions are null after SAML authentication
Resolution Steps	 Login into HCL BigFix CLMDB database using SQL Management Studio See logs in Log4net table for WebSite Component. Check if any of the following errors are present: "Cookies do not exist" "Cache does not exist" "saml session does not exist" If errors present in #3 then Update the following keys in the web.config of Website Set "requireSSL" attribute to "true" in httpCookies tag Set "cookieSameSite" attribute to "None" in sessionState tag

3.1.2.5 Troubleshooting Steps for Key Rotation System (KRS)

3.1.2.5.1 KRS is not working as it's unable to provide the key: Server Error

Table 21 - KRS is Not Working as it's Unable to Provide the Key: Server Error

Track	Description
Issue	KRS is not working as it's unable to provide the key: Server Error

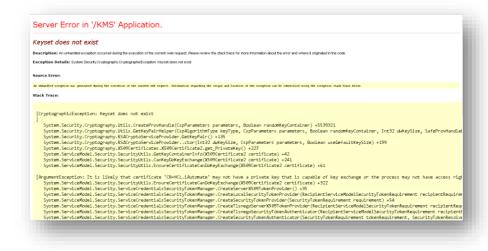
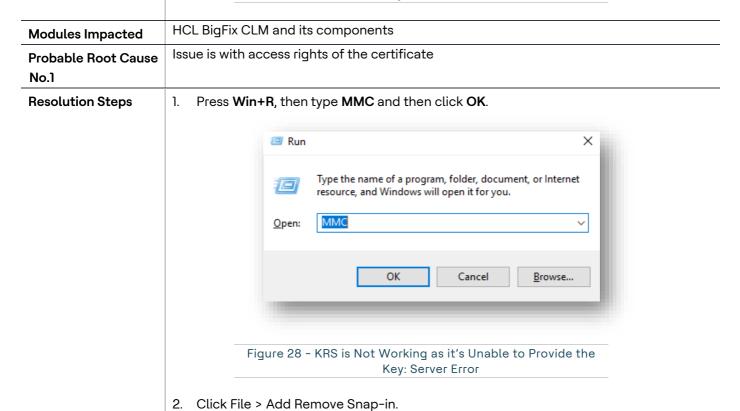


Figure 27 - KRS is Not Working as it's Unable to Provide the Key: Server Error



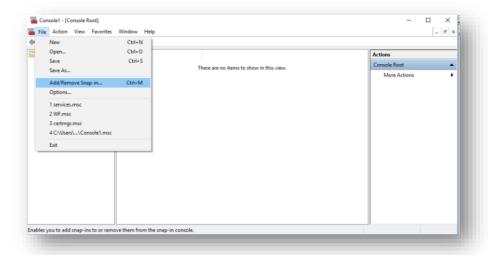


Figure 29 - KRS is Not Working as its Unable to Provide the Key: Server Error

3. Select Certificates and then click Add.

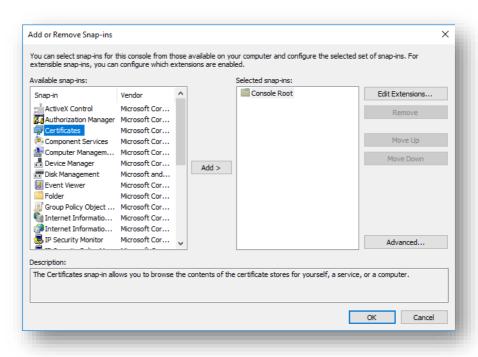


Figure 30 - KRS is Not Working as it's Unable to Provide the Key: Server Error

4. Select Computer Account and then click Next.

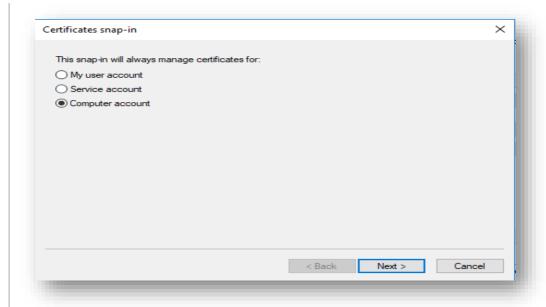


Figure 31 - KRS is Not Working as it's Unable to Provide the Key: Server Error

5. Click Finish.

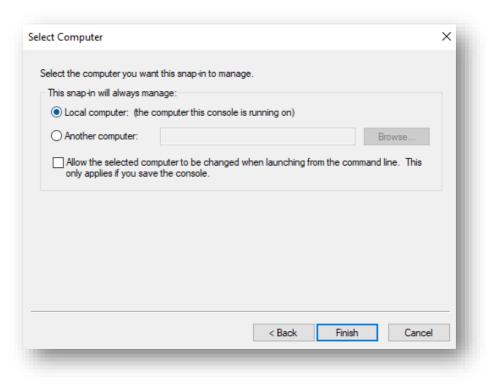


Figure 32 - KRS is Not Working as it's Unable to Provide the Key: Server Error

- 6. Click OK.
- 7. Expand **Certificates > Personal**. Double-click on the certificates inside **Personal** folder.

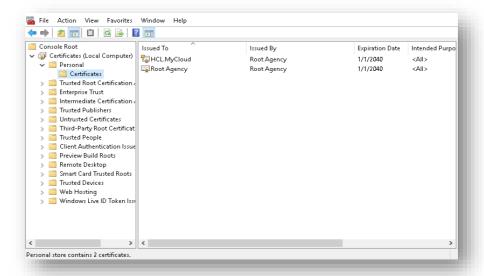


Figure 33 - KRS is Not Working as it's Unable to Provide the Key: Server Error

8. Right-click on the certificate used in HCL BigFix CLM, for e.g. HCL BigFix CLM. Select All Tasks > Manage Private Keys.

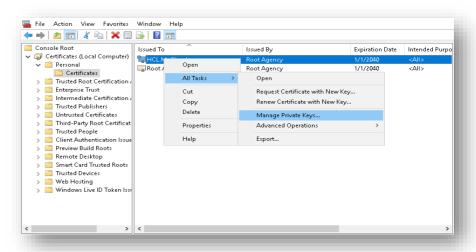


Figure 34 - KRS is Not Working as it's Unable to Provide the Key: Server Error

9. Click Add.

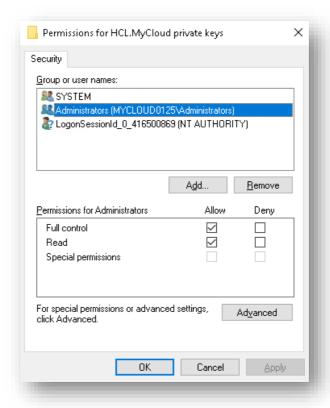


Figure 35 - KRS is Not Working as it's Unable to Provide the Key: Server Error

10. Enter **Everyone** in Enter the object names to select text box and click **Check Names**.

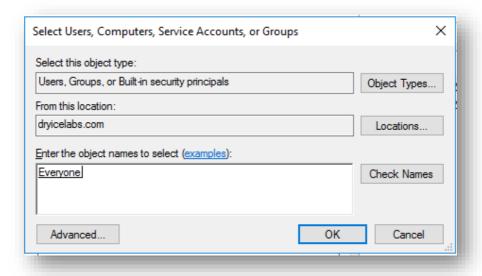


Figure 36 - KRS is Not Working as it's Unable to Provide the Key: Server Error

11. Select Everyone to add everyone to the Group/Usernames and then click OK.

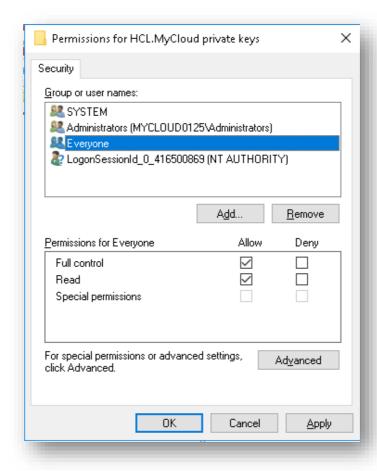


Figure 37 - KRS is Not Working as it's Unable to Provide the Key: Server Error

12. Copy the certificate and paste it into **Trusted People** folder.

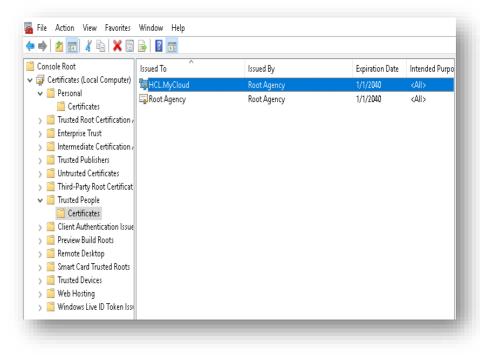


Figure 38 - KRS is Not Working as it's Unable to Provide the Key: Server Error

Table 22 - KRS is Not Working as it's Unable to Provide the Key: HTTP Error

Track	Description
Issue	KRS is not working as it's unable to provide the key: HTTP Error
	HTTP Error 404.17 - Not Found
	The requested content appears to be script and will not be served by the static file handler.
	Most likely causes: The request matched a wildcard mime map. The request is mapped to the static file handler. If there were different pre-conditions, the request will map to a different handler.
	Things you can try:
	If you want to serve this content as a static file, add an explicit MIME map.
	Detailed Error Information:
	Nodule Statisfiatedule Requested URL Manifestation Executive Management ava Noducation Executive Republication of Physical Path Handler Statisfia Lagan Netbad Annoymous Exercice Octobrology Lagan Stephanoperous Lagan Stephanoperous Statisfia Company Statisfia Comp
	Erry Case Construction Construc
	More Information: Sometimes preceditions and a wildcard MIME map can unintentionally cause serving script source. Xies micros differentiation.
	Figure 39 - KRS is Not Working as it's Unable to Provide the
	Key: HTTP Error
Modules Impacted	HCL BigFix CLM along with all components
Probable Root Cause	MIME Type Error – IIS has not been configured properly
Resolution Steps	Go to the Control Panel and turn on Windows Features.
nesolution oteps	 Click Next until the user finds .Net Framework 4.6 Features (Installed). Expand it and
	find WCF Services.
	3. Expand WCF Services and enable HTTP Activation.
	■ NET Framework 3.5 Features (2 of 3 installed)
	✓ .NET Framework 3.5 (includes .NET 2.0 and 3.0) ✓ HTTP Activation (Installed)
	Non-HTTP Activation
	 ✓ .NET Framework 4.6 Features (Installed) ✓ .NET Framework 4.6 (Installed)
	✓ ASP.NET 4.6 (Installed)
	✓ WCF Services (Installed) ✓ HTTP Activation (Installed)
	✓ Message Queuing (MSMQ) Activation (Inst
	✓ Named Pipe Activation (Installed)
	 ✓ TCP Activation (Installed) ✓ TCP Port Sharing (Installed)
	☐ BitLocker Drive Encryption ☐ BitLocker Network Unlock
	☐ BranchCache
	☐ Client for NFS ☐ Containers
	Containers
	Figure 40 - KRS is Not Working as it's Unable to Provide the
	Key: HTTP Error
	4. Install and check for WSDL again.

Table 23 - KRS is Not Working as it's Unable to Provide the Key: MIME Type Error

Track	Description
Issue	KRS is not working as it's unable to provide the key
Modules Impacted	Issue with IIS
Probable Root Cause	MIME Type Error – IIS has not been configured properly
Resolution Steps	 If the steps mentioned in KRS is not working as its unable to provide the key: HTTP Error are performed and WSDL of KRS is still not loading properly, it implies that the issue is with IIS. Press Win+R, then type inetmgr, and then click OK. Go to IIS and check whether KRS is working properly or not. If there is any issue in IIS, try to host KRS on different ports and then try running the WSDL. If WSDL runs successfully, it implies that issue is with IIS. Please drop a mail at bigfixclm-prodsupport-team@hcl-software.com for further help.

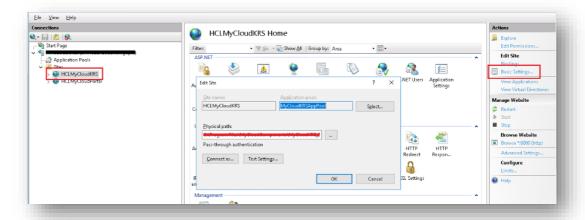
3.1.2.5.4 KRS WCF Service Virtual Application is Shutting Down

Table 24 - KRS WCF Service Virtual Application is Shutting Down

Track	Description
Issue	KRS WCF service virtual application is shutting down.
	Error Message:
	Error:
	<traceidentifier>http://msdn.microsoft.com/en-</traceidentifier>
	US/library/System.ServiceModel.Diagnostics.EventLog.aspx
	<description>Wrote to the EventLog.</description>
	<pre></pre>
	132398725998634259 <extendeddata< td=""></extendeddata<>
	<pre>xmlns="http://schemas.microsoft.com/2006/08/</pre>
	ServiceModel/DictionaryTraceRecord">
	<categoryid.name>EventLogCategory</categoryid.name>
	<categoryid.value>5</categoryid.value>
	<pre><instanceid.name>EventId</instanceid.name></pre>
	<pre><instanceid.value>3221356547</instanceid.value></pre>
	Value0>System.ServiceModel.ServiceHostingEnvironment
	+HostingManager/49357705 <value1></value1>
	System.ServiceModel.ServiceActivationException: Request to the
	service at '~/KeyManagement.svc' cannot be dispatched because
	the virtual application at '/KRS' is shutting down>
	System.InvalidOperationException: Request to the service at
	'~/KeyManagement.svc' cannot be dispatched because the virtual
	application at '/KRS' is shutting down.
	End of inner exception stack trace"

Issue with IIS **Modules Impacted** Application pool is rejecting the requests to KRS Probable Root Cause Resolution Press Win+R, then type inetmgr, and then click OK. 1. **Steps** Expand the Server Name node > Sites node > select HCL BigFix CLMPortal

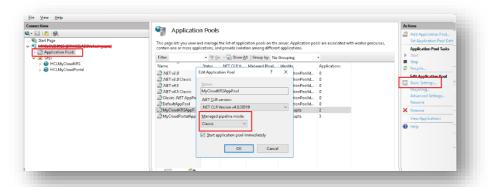
- 3. Check the state of the selected website. It should be in Start state. If it is not, then change the status to Start.
- 4. Check Application Pool associated to HCL BigFix CLMKRS and verify the status which should be in Start mode.
- 5. Steps to locate **HCL BigFix CLMKRS** Application Pool
 - a. Select HCL BigFix CLMKRS from the Connections Panel.
 - b. Now Click on **Basic Settings** in the Action Panel.
 - c. Edit Site Popup will appear. Application Pool Name is present on this popup.



6.

Figure 41 - IIS - Find KRS Application Pool

- d. Now Click Application Pools in the Connections Panel.
- e. The application Pool Page will open.
- Now select the Application pool of HCL BigFix CLMKRS. f.
- g. Click on Basic Settings on the Action Panel.
- h. Edit Application Pool gets open.
- Now change the Managed Pipeline mode to Classic.



7.

Figure 42 – Edit Application Pool

Now after changing the Managed Pipeline Mode from Integrated to Classic, check the KRS.

- 9. If the problem persists then please drop a mail at bigfixclm-prodsupport-team@hcl-software.com for further support.
- 3.1.2.6 Troubleshooting Steps for HCL BigFix CLM Web API (Web API component)

3.1.2.6.1 WEB API is Not Running

Table 25 - WEB API is Not Running

Track	Description
Issue	WEB API is not running
Modules Impacted	Web API
Resolution Steps	 Press Win+R and type inetmgr. Click OK to open IIS.

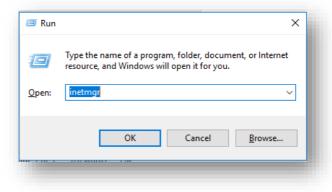


Figure 43 - WEB API is Not Running

3. Expand Sites and click **HCL BigFix CLMPortal**.

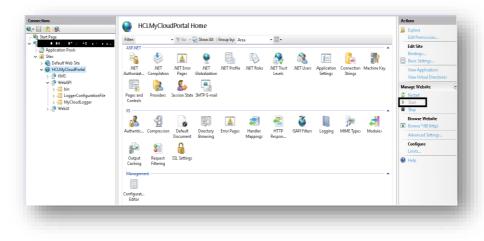


Figure 44 - WEB API is Not Running

- 4. If "Start" under Manage Website section is enabled, then click Start to initiate the services.
- 5. If the issue persists, please drop a mail at bigfixclm-prodsupport-team@hcl-software.com for further help.

Table 26 - WEB API Service is Running, yet there is No Response Received

Track	Description
Issue	WEB API service is running, yet there is no response received
Probable Root Cause	Authentication Failure
Resolution Steps	 Ensure the credentials that are used for calling the APIs are correct. Ensure that the input (in JSON) which is provided to API is in correct format.
	Sample JSON request - '{
	"JobId": 92,
	"JobState": 2,
	"PlatformCode": "ARM",
	"ComponentCode": "SYNC",
	"StepExecuted": "ExecuteJob",
	"StepRemarks": "Start ExecuteJob",
	"JobRunDate": "2019-09-11 07:51:46",
	"RequestId": "766d3803-80ce-49e0-be9b-1b53cc25cc9c"
	} <i>'</i>
	Ensure all the parameters are correct.
	} '

3.1.3 Troubleshooting of HCL BigFix CLM App Components

3.1.3.1 Availability Tests of App components

The Middleware Components are listed below:

- HCL BigFix CLM.ADService
- HCL BigFix CLM.AllXaaS
- HCL BigFix CLM.Billing
- HCL BigFix CLM.GenericExecutor
- HCL BigFix CLM.ITSMExecutor
- HCL BigFix CLM.Listener
- HCL BigFix CLM.Performance
- HCL BigFix CLM.SyncService
- HCL BigFix CLM.WorkFlow

3.1.3.2 Availability Tests using HCL BigFix CLM Portal

Table 27 - Availability Test Using HCL BigFix CLM Portal

Track	Description
Type of Test	Availability test using HCL BigFix CLM Portal
Modules Impacted	HCL BigFix CLM Portal

Resolution Steps

- 1. Open **Google Chrome/ Mozilla/ IE browser and** type the HCL BigFix CLM Portal URL in the address bar.
- 2. The HCL BigFix CLM Login Page appears.

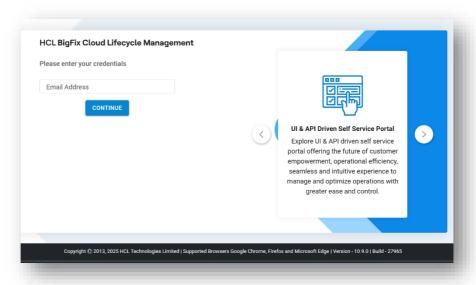


Figure 45 - HCL BigFix CLM Portal Login Screen

- 3. Enter the admin user's login credentials to access HCL BigFix CLM.
- 4. Go to Master > Component URL Configuration. The Configuration Module appears.
- 5. Select Base from the Provider's dropdown list and click Go.
- 6. Check the following service's availability test by clicking Test URL.
 - HCL BigFix CLM.WorkFlow (Workflow Service)
 - HCL BigFix CLM.Billing (Data Collector Billing and Advisory)
 - HCL BigFix CLM.ITSMExecutor (ServiceNow Executer)
 - HCL BigFix CLM.GenericExecutor (Generic Service)

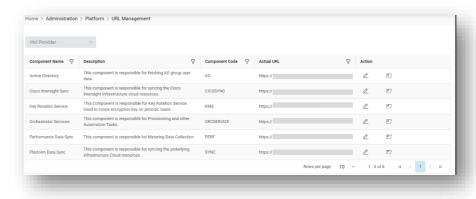


Figure 46 - Component URL Configuration Screen

- 7. Select ProviderName from the Provider's dropdown list and then click Go.
- 8. Check the following services by clicking the Test URL.
 - HCL BigFix CLM.ADService (Active Directory)
 - HCL BigFix CLM.AllXaaS (Orchestrator Services)
 - HCL BigFix CLM.Performance (Performance Data Sync)
 - HCL BigFix CLM.SyncService (Platform Data Sync)

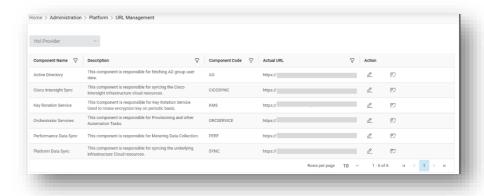


Figure 47 - Component URL Configuration Screen

If any of the Service Test URL shows the message as Fail, please follow the troubleshooting steps mentioned in <u>Troubleshooting of Middleware components</u>.

3.1.3.3 Component URL and Service Host URL are not responding

Table 28 - Component URL and Service Host are Not Responding

Track	Description		
Issue	Component URL and Service Host are not responding		
Modules Impacted	HCL BigFix CLM Portal		
Resolution Steps	 URL in the Component URL Configuration module should be the same a ServiceHostURL key present in the services config file. Steps to check the Component URL and ServiceHost URL. a. Open Google Chrome/ Mozilla/ IE browser and type the HCL BigFix 		
	CLMPortal URL in the address bar. b. The HCL BigFix CLM Login Page appears.		
	HCL BigFix Cloud Lifecycle Management Please enter your credentials Email Address CONTINUE UI & API Driven Self Service Portal Explore UI & API driven self service portal offering the future of customer empowerment, operational efficiency, seamless and intuitive experience to manage and optimize operations with greater ease and control.		
	Copyright © 2013, 2025 HCL Technologies Limited Supported Browsers Google Chrome, Firefox and Microsoft Edge Version - 10.9.0 Build - 27965 Figure 48 – HCL BigFix CLM Portal Login Screen		

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6. Select Base from the Provider's dropdown list and then click Go.

4. Go to Master > Component URL Configuration.

5. The Configuration Module appears.

7. See the URL for HCL BigFix CLM. WorkFlow service from URL Column.

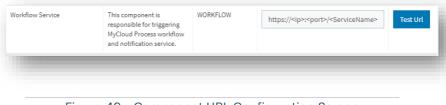


Figure 49 - Component URL Configuration Screen

- 8. This URL must match the combination of the keys mentioned below keys in **the HCL BigFix CLM.WorkFlow** configuration file.
 - ServiceHostURL
 - ServiceEndPoint

```
<add key="ServiceHostURL" value="https://<ip>:<port>" />
<add key="ServiceEndPoint" value="ServiceName"/>

Figure 50 - Workflow Configuration File Screen
```

- 9. Navigating to the HCL BigFix CLM. WorkFlow configuration file.
 - a. Open run window by pressing the Window key + R.
 - b. Type services.svc and click OK.

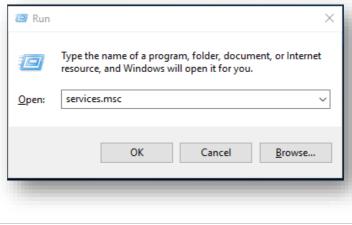


Figure 51 - Run Window

c. For HCL BigFix CLM.WorkFlow service: (Select the **Service**, then right-click and select **Properties**.)

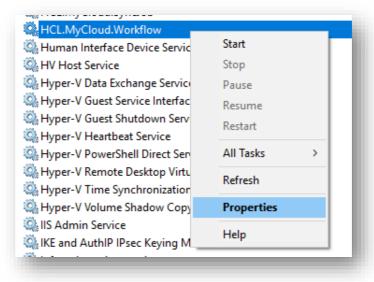


Figure 52 - Properties Selection of a Service

The **Service Property** window appears.

d. Navigate to the selected Path to executable as shown below.

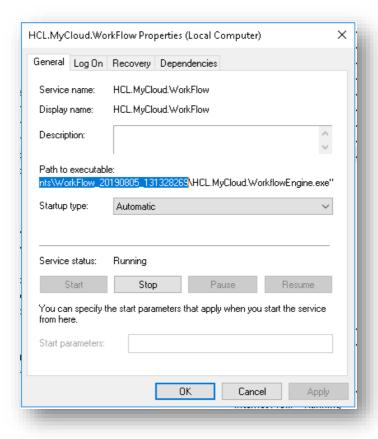
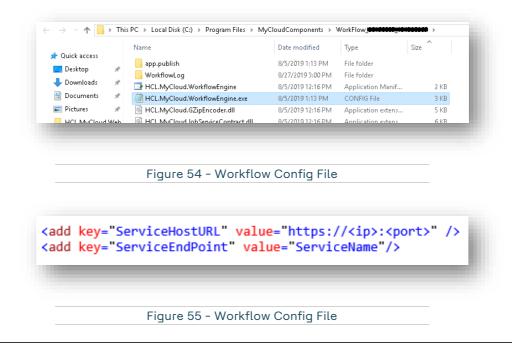


Figure 53 - Service Property Window

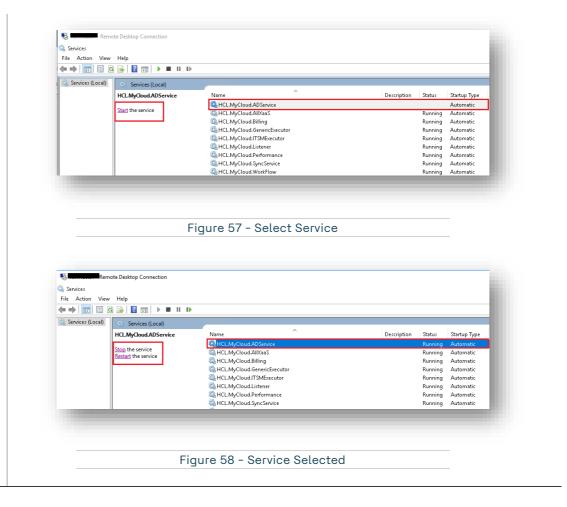
10. Open the service config file to find the keys.



3.1.3.4 AD Service is Not Running

Table 29 - AD Service is Not Running

Track	Description	
Issue	AD Service is not running	
Modules Impacted	AD Services component	
Resolution Steps	Availability test for HCL BigFix CLM.ADService and repeat all the steps for other components.	
	 Open run command window by pressing Window key + R. Type services.msc and then click OK. 	
	Type the name of a program, folder, document, or Internet resource, and Windows will open it for you. Open: services.msc OK Cancel Browse	
	Figure 56 - Run Window	
	 The Services window appears. Select HCL BigFix CLM.ADService service from the list of services and check if the Status is updated as Running or not. If the Status appears empty next to the selected service, then start the service using the Start link provided on the left side under the Services window. 	



3.1.3.5 Troubleshooting Steps for Generic Task Executor

3.1.3.5.1 HCL BigFix CLMPurgeData: Logs are Not Deleted from Log Table

Table 30 - Logs are Not Deleted from Log Table

Track	Description
Issue	Logs are not deleted from Log table
	Home > Administration > Platform > Logs
	Component Code * Level Code API Name Include Token* ① Web API (NEBAPI) NFO AI NO
	Date Range Type* 07/17/2025 18:08 - 07/17/2025 18:23 60
	All dates are in mm/dd/yyyy H-Rmmcas format Displaying only last 15 minutes data.
	Level Code
	> INFO 10.1.140.134 https://Show More 07/17/2025 18:11:27 > INFO 10.1.140.134 https://Show More 07/17/2025 18:10:59
	> NFO 10.1.140.124 https://
	> INFO 10.1.140.134 https://Show More 07/17/202518:10.47
	> NFO 10.1.140.134 https:// Show More 07/17/2025 10:10.46
	> INFO 10.1.140.154 https:// Show More 07/17/822518:10.45
	Rows per page 10 v· 1-6 of 6 H < 1 > H
	Figure 59 – Logs are Not Deleted from Log Table
Tables Impacted	Log4NetLog, JobExecutionLog, JobExecutionRequestDetails
Resolution Steps	Go to the job and ensure that the job is enabled. Enable the job, if it isn't alr

Table 31 - The Log Reads 'Not Able to Reach the Component'

Track	Description
Issue	Log reads Not able to reach the component
Tables Impacted	Log4NetLog, JobExecutionLog, JobExecutionRequestDetails
Probable Root Cause	'Not able to reach the component'
	■ Enabled ▼ Name ▼ Organization ▼ Status ▼ Service Name ▼ Module Name ▼ Component Name ▼ Next Run Action □ Yes VutomatePurgeData N/A Falled N/A N/A Generic Service 08/21/2019 06:31:29 □ ❖ ❖
	Figure 60 - The Log Reads 'Not Able to Reach the Component'
Resolution Steps	 Go to HCL BigFix CLMPurgeData job and open the job log. If the log reads Not able to reach the component, then check the status of Generic service by following the step below: a. Go to the server where services are installed, then press Win+R, and then type services.msc.
	Type the name of a program, folder, document, or Internet resource, and Windows will open it for you. Open: services.msc
	OK Cancel Browse
	b. Click OK to open Windows Services .

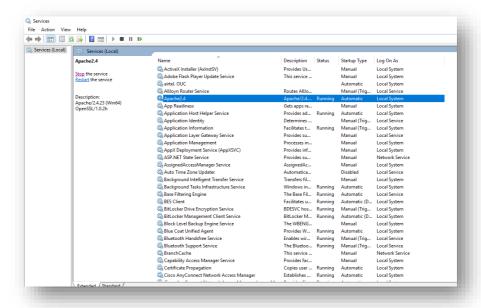


Figure 62 - The Log Reads 'Not Able to Reach the Component'

- c. Click on any of the listed services, then Type H to search for HCL BigFix CLM.GenericExecutor and select it.
- d. Click **Start** to initiate the service if it's not running already.
- 2. To check if the service is running fine, perform the following steps:
 - a. Load the WSDL of Generic Service by entering the URL on browser. For e.g. http://<ipaddress>:<port>/GenericService
 - b. If the following page appears, it implies that either the service is not running or there is some issue with Generic Service. Please drop a mail at bigfixclm-prodsupport-team@hcl-software.com for further help.

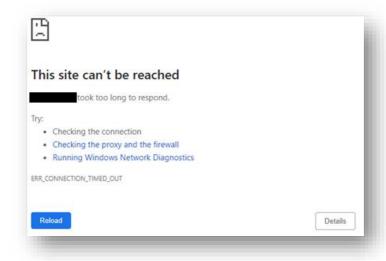


Figure 63 - Logs are Not Deleted from Log Table

c. If the following page appears, it implies that service is running fine.



3.1.3.5.3 HCL BigFix CLMPurgeData: Service is Running and WSDL gets Loaded Successfully but still Issue Persists

Table 32 - Service is Running and WSDL gets Loaded Successfully but still Issues
Persist

Track	Description
Issue	Service is running and WSDL gets loaded successfully but still issue persists
Tables Impacted	Log4NetLog, JobExecutionLog, JobExecutionRequestDetails
Resolution Steps	 Check the logs on Component Log page corresponding to the APIWindowServices. If the error does not appear on Component Log page, then check the log file. The log file is located within the folder in which service has been installed. If a user has database access, then execute the command below: exec getjobtorundetails 'Gen','Y' If the above command doesn't provide any data, then please drop a mail at bigfixclm-prodsupport-team@hcl-software.com for further help.

3.1.3.5.4 HCL BigFix CLMPurgeData: Job Failure

Table 33 - Job Failure

Track	Description
Issue	Job Failure
Resolution Steps	 Check the logs on Component Log page corresponding to the Main Listener. Check whether listener can call Generic Service or not. If it is responding but unable to return data, then check whether the request JSON is correct or not.

3.1.3.6 Troubleshooting Steps for Job Listener

3.1.3.6.1 Error Message Not able to Reach the Component Appears in Manage Job Module

Table 34 – Error Message "Not Able to Reach the Component" Appears on Job Log Screen

Track	Description
Issue	Error message Not able to reach the component appears on Job Log screen for the respective Job under Manage Job module.
Modules Impacted	Platform data sync, data collector billing and advisory, performance data sync, workflow service, service-now executer, active directory, generic service
Probable Root Cause No.1	Listener service is not up and running
Resolution Steps	 Press Win+R and then type services.msc. Click OK to open Windows Services.

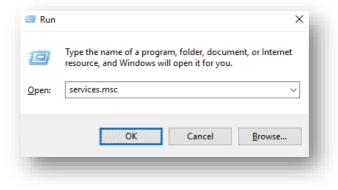


Figure 65 – Error Message "Not Able to Reach the Component" Appears on Job Log Screen

3. Find the service HCL BigFix CLM.Listener and select it.

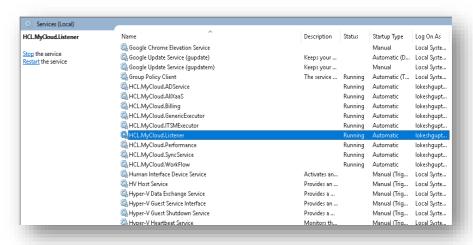


Figure 66 - Error Message "Not Able to Reach the Component" Appears on Job Log Screen

4. Click Start to start the service.

Probable Root Cause No.2	Related stored procedure is not giving the data
Resolution Steps	 Go to the SQL Server Management Studio. Go to HCL BigFix CLMDB and run the Stored Procedure 'GetJobToRunDetails' and check if it is providing relevant data for the component jobs. If it's not providing, please drop a mail at bigfixclm-prodsupport-team@hcl-software.com for further help. Query to execute the Stored Procedure is, exec GetJobToRunDetails 'Component_Code', 'Y'.
Probable Root Cause No.3	Issue in Key Management Service (KRS)
Resolution Steps	 If the Listener service is up and running and SP GetJobToRunDetails is having right set of data, then check the Listener logs and perform the following steps: a. Press Win+R and then type services.msc.

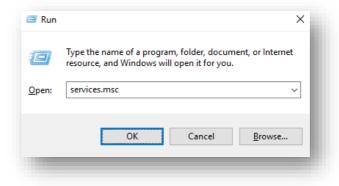


Figure 67 - Error Message "Not Able to Reach the Component" Appears on Job Log Screen

b. Click OK to open Windows Services.

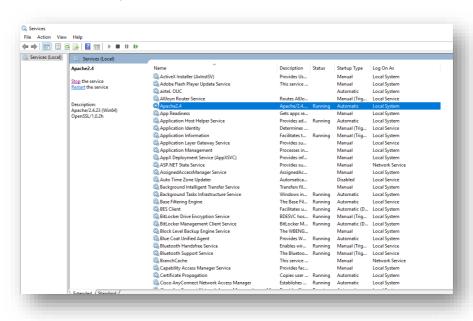


Figure 68 - Error Message "Not Able to Reach the Component" Appears on Job Log Screen

- c. Click on any of the listed services, then type 'H', and then search for HCL BigFix CLM.Listener.
- d. Right-click on **HCL BigFix CLM.Listener** service and select **Properties.**

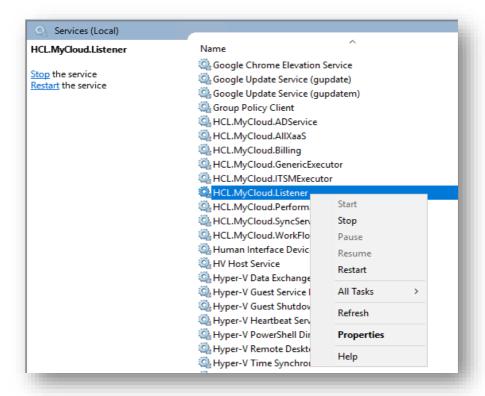


Figure 69 - Error Message "Not Able to Reach the Component" Appears on Job Log Screen

e. Copy the value mentioned in **Path to executable** as shown in Figure 70 - Error Message "Not Able to Reach the Component" Appears on Job Log Screen.

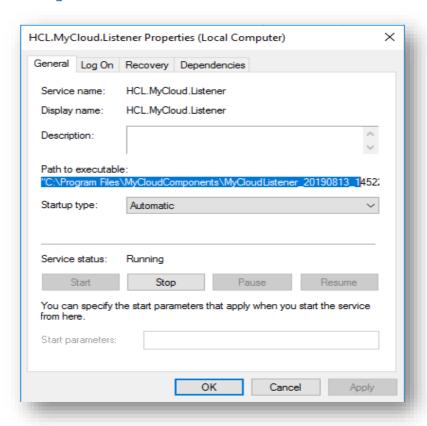


Figure 70 - Error Message "Not Able to Reach the Component" Appears on Job Log Screen

- f. Open **File Explorer**, then paste the copied path, and then press **Enter** to open the desired folder.
- g. Search the folder **ListenerLog** and open it to find the latest text file (.txt) named as **Listener** which is the log file.
- h. Open the log file and check for the error mentioned in Figure 71 Error Message "Not Able to Reach the Component" Appears on Job Log Screen. This error implies that the URL of KRS in config file of listener is either incorrect or not working properly.



Figure 71 - Error Message "Not Able to Reach the Component" Appears on Job Log Screen

- 2. To find the URL from the config file of listener, follow the steps below:
 - a. Press Win+R and type services.msc.

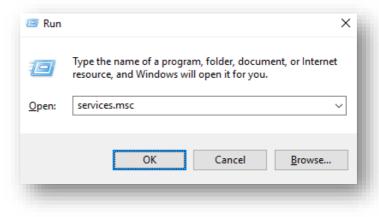


Figure 72 - Error Message "Not Able to Reach the Component" Appears on Job Log Screen

b. Click OK to open Windows Services.

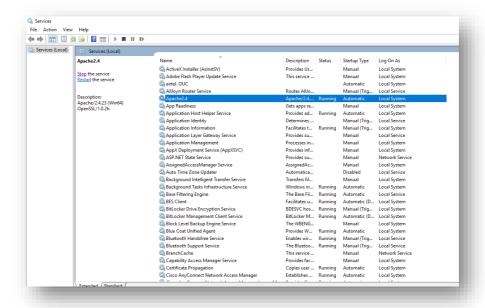


Figure 73 - Error Message "Not Able to Reach the Component" Appears on Job Log Screen

- c. Click on any of the listed services and type **H** to search for **HCL BigFix CLM.Listener.**
- d. Right-click on **HCL BigFix CLM.Listener** service and then click **Properties**.

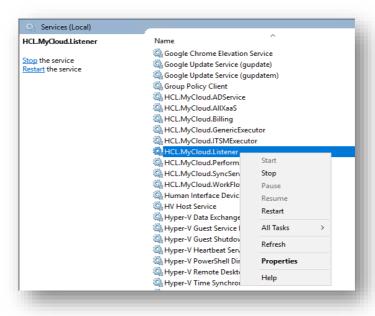


Figure 74 - Error Message "Not Able to Reach the Component" Appears on Job Log Screen

e. Copy the value mentioned in Path to executable field.

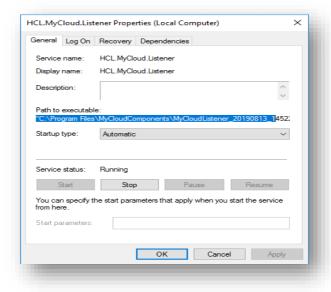


Figure 75 - Error Message "Not Able to Reach the Component" Appears on Job Log Screen

- f. Open **File Explorer**, then paste the path, and then press **Enter** to open the desired folder.
- g. Search for **HCL BigFix CLM.Listner.Service.Host** config file as shown in the below figure.



- h. Open the config file and find the value of the key < KeyManagementBaseAddress > .
- i. To verify whether the URL is correct or not, go to HCL BigFix CLMDB. Run the query "SELECT * FROM EnvironmentComponentURLs" to find the URL corresponding to component code= 'KRS. If both the URLs are the same then, there is an issue in KRS URL. Find the value of the key <KeyManagementBaseAddress> in the config to make KRS URL as 'http://<IP>:<PORT>/KMS'.

j. Open browser to run the URL http://<IP>:<PORT>/KMS/KeyManagement.svc. Check if WSDL of KeyManagement.svc loads successfully. If the following error occurs, then there is an error in KRS. Refer to <u>Troubleshooting Steps</u> for KRS for more details.

<add key="URL" value="http://<IP>:<PORT>" />

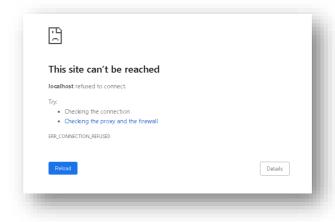


Figure 77 - Error Message "Not Able to Reach the Component" Appears on Job Log Screen

k. If the following WSDL loads, it implies that KRS is running fine.



Figure 78 - Error Message "Not Able to Reach the Component" Appears on Job Log Screen

Probable Root Cause No.4	Drive is full – Storage issue
Resolution Steps	 Go to the server where the Listener service is installed. Look for any available space in the drive. If not, then ask the System Administrator to increase the space in the drive. Restart the service and check again.

3.1.3.7 Power CLI command Issue

3.1.3.7.1 PowerShell Command is Working Fine in Powercli Editor, but Orchestrator Service is Not Able to Execute the Commands

Table 35 - Error Message "Cmdlet Command Not Recognized" Appears on Job Log Screen

Track	Description
Issue	Cmdlet command not recognized
Modules Impacted	Orchestrator Service

Probable Root Cause No.1	Please ensure that all PowerShell Module and external APIs are 32-bit/64-bit version installed.
	Also ensure that the module listed in the error message should be imported for the
	logged user profile.
	Sample command for installing the Module can be as:
	Install-ModuleVMware.VimAutomation.Core -Scope AllUsers

3.1.3.8 Troubleshooting Steps While Using Proxy

3.1.3.8.1 Host Not Reachable

Table 36 - Error Message "Host Not Reachable" Appears in the Log File

Track	Description
Issue	Host not reachable when proxy is being used to access public URLs
Modules Impacted	Sync, Billing, Performance
Probable Root Cause No.1	Network proxy details should be configured in "PlatformProxyDetail" table in the HCL BigFix CLM database.

3.1.3.8.2 Issues accessing internal components like KRS, Vcenter, WebAPI

Table 37 - Error message "The Request Channel Timeout Attempting to Send After 00:01:00" Appears in the Log File

Track	Description
Issue	Timeout or not able to connect to internal components (WebAPI, KRS, Vcenter, VMwar, Scvmm) when using proxy only to access Public URLs
Modules Impacted	Sync, Billing, Performance
Probable Root Cause No.1	Update the app.config file for key "BypassList" with comma separated internal component (which are not accessible or giving timeout) URLs in the respective Components. <add key="BypassList" value="x.x.x.x,x1.x.x.x"></add>
	Figure 79 – Update BypassList key for Bypass IP/Domain from Proxy

4 Support

For any queries related to installation, configuration, API(s) issues or any troubleshooting issues, drop an email to bigfixclm-prodsupport-team@hcl-software.com.

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