

ILS Software Update Deployment of Software Updates/Patches

IMC's system solution historically known as CLIX *as of version 2013 is officially termed* ILS (IMC Learning Suite) *instead. Some references to the "old" identifier may remain within this document, especially in the context of reproducing code snippets.*

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1 Delivered Files

Find on the SFTP-Server the delivered update package as archive file:

CLIX_<Customer><Patchversion>_<Revision>.zip

The above archive file includes further archives (if different for the different target systems marked in the archives name)

APP-FILE: webapp.zip (or clix.war)

DATA-FILE: data.zip

CONF-FILE: conf.zip (only businessprocess.xml, technicalimplementation.xml, clix.conf)

Please follow the update advice below and take care of the target directories of your system(s).

2 Directories:

<<CLIX_HOME>> base directory of ILS installation <<TOMCAT_HOME>> Tomcat installation directory <<DATA_HOME>> base directory of ILS data

3 Update advice:

- 1. stop Tomcat service
- 2. save the corresponding database



3. Applying **CONF_FILE**:

- a. save the current directory <<CLIX_HOME>>/conf as a copy (no move or rename) or archive (e.g. conf_<<DATE_TIME>>).
- b. copy the CONF_FILE into <<CLIX_HOME>> and extract it there with the option overwrite
- 4. Applying **DATA_FILE**:
 - *a.* save the current directory <<DATA_HOME>>/data as a copy (no move or rename) or archive, if there is no regularly backup process established
 - b. copy the DATA_FILE into folder above the <<DATA_HOME>> (directory where /data folder is placed) and extract it there; allow overwriting of the existing files and folders
- 5. Applying **APP_FILE**:
 - a. save the current directory <<CLIX_HOME>>/webapp (oder clix.war) by rename (move) to e.g. webapp_<<DATE_TIME>> (or clix.war_<<DATE_TIME>>), so that a temporary backup exists
 - b. in case of a **webapp.zip**
 - copy the APP_FILE into <<CLIX_HOME>> and extract it there. A new /webapp folder is created.

in case of a clix.war

- create a new folder <<CLIX_HOME>>/webapp and copy the APP_FILE into <<CLIX_HOME>>/webapp and extract it there. After extraction delete the archive file <<CLIX_HOME>>/webapp/clix.war
- c. check deployment descriptor *web.xml (in path <<*CLIX_HOME>>/webapp/WEB-INF/) concerning the entry *clix.configpath*

<context-param>

<param-name>clix.configpath</param-name>

<param-value><<CLIX_HOME>>/conf/</param-value>

</context-param>

...

and replace <<CLIX_HOME>> by the correct path. Compare the entry with the web.xml of your backup (from 5a.)



- 6. save and delete all file in <<CLIX_HOME>>/logs
- 7. save and delete all file in <<TOMCAT_HOME>>/logs
- 8. delete all files and subfolders of <<TOMCAT_HOME>>/work (do not delete the "work" folder)
- 9. Download <u>http://repo1.maven.org/maven2/org/apache/geronimo/javamail/geronimo-javamail 1.4 mail/1.8.3/geronimo-javamail 1.4 mail-1.8.3.jar</u> and copy this file to <<<TOMCAT_HOME>>/lib
- 10. start Tomcat service
- 11. check protocol file <<CLIX_HOME>>/logs/clix.log during start up
 - a. make sure no errors (ERROR, FATAL) are protocoled
 - b. look for entries
 - ...INFO [main] control.ClixInitializer --- CLIX STARTED ----
 - ...INFO [main] control.ClixInitializer
 - ClixInitializer.initialize: exit

These entries indicate that the patch was successfully applied and ILS is available again.



4 Initial Tests of the Application

If the patch was successfully applied please execute following tests:

1. Load URL of the application in a browser The start page of the application is shown without design errors

- 2. Login as an administrator and as a learner Home page is displayed in correct design
- 3. Click on each navigation entry No http error occurs