

# CA Desktop Migration Manager

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## CA Technologies Product References

This documentation set references to the following CA products:

- CA Advantage® Data Transport® (CA Data Transport)
- CA Asset Intelligence
- CA Asset Portfolio Management (CA APM)
- CA Common Services™
- CA Desktop Migration Manager (CA DMM)
- CA Embedded Entitlements Manager (CA EEM)
- CA Network and Systems Management (CA NSM)
- CA Patch Manager
- CA Process Automation
- CA Business Intelligence
- CA Service Desk Manager
- CA WorldView™
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## Contact CA Support

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- Information about user communities and forums
- Product and documentation downloads
- CA Support policies and guidelines
- Other helpful resources appropriate for your product

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# Chapter 1: Introduction

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Welcome to CA Desktop Migration Manager (CA DMM) Release 12.8 Release Notes. CA DMM is a scalable migration solution for the management, movement, and maintenance of a PC's DNA.

This document contains information on operating system support, product system requirements, installation considerations, general considerations, documentation, and information about contacting CA Technologies.

This section contains the following topics:

- [Operating System Support](#) (see page 7)
- [System Requirements](#) (see page 7)
- [Installation Considerations](#) (see page 7)
- [General Considerations](#) (see page 7)
- [Internationalization Support](#) (see page 8)
- [Documentation](#) (see page 9)

## Operating System Support

CA DMM supports various Windows operating systems. For a complete list of supported operating systems, see the [Compatibility Matrix](#).

## System Requirements

To run CA DMM, you need Internet Explorer 6 (or higher).

## Installation Considerations

- Winsock 2.2 (or higher) must be installed correctly on the system where CA DMM is to be run. CA DMM cannot establish a connection without Winsock 2.2 (or higher) installed on both the old and the new computers.
- CA DMM does not support version upgrade. You must uninstall the current installation of CA DMM, and then install this version of CA DMM.

## General Considerations

This section describes the general considerations for installing and using this release of CA DMM.

## Backward Compatibility

If you try to apply a .dna file created with earlier versions of CA DMM using this release of CA DMM, the settings may not migrate properly for the following applications:

- MS Outlook Express (Windows Mail in Windows Vista)
- Corel Word Perfect

## Internationalization Support

An *internationalized* product is an English product that runs correctly on local language versions of the required operating system and required third-party products, and supports local language data for input and output. Internationalized products also support the ability to specify local language conventions for date, time, currency and number formats.

A *translated* product (sometimes referred to as a *localized* product) is an internationalized product that includes local language support for the product's user interface, online help and other documentation, as well as local language default settings for date, time, currency, and number formats.

In addition to the English release of this product, CA Technologies supports *only* those languages listed in the following table.

Language	Internationalized	Translated
Brazilian Portuguese	Yes	Yes
French	Yes	Yes
German	Yes	Yes
Italian	Yes	Yes
Japanese	Yes	Yes
Korean	Yes	Yes
Traditional Chinese	Yes	Yes
Simplified Chinese	Yes	Yes
Spanish	Yes	Yes
English	Yes	Yes

**Note:** If you run the product in a language environment that is *not* listed in the table, you may experience problems.

## Documentation

The CA DMM bookshelf provides you a comprehensive list of all the guides and online help systems available for the product. You can access the bookshelf from Start, All Programs, CA, Desktop Migration Manager, View Bookshelf. You can also download a copy from <http://www.ca.com/support>.

**Note:** Use Adobe Acrobat Reader 8.0 or higher to ensure that double-byte characters are displayed properly in the PDF files.



# Chapter 2: Enhanced Features

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This chapter gives you a high-level overview of the features that are enhanced in this release of CA DMM. You can quickly identify the improvements to the features of CA DMM and other applications in the migration toolkit that are important to you.

This section contains the following topics:

[Support for Microsoft Windows 8 and Microsoft Office 2013](#) (see page 11)

[Application and System Scripts](#) (see page 11)

## Support for Microsoft Windows 8 and Microsoft Office 2013

This release of CA DMM supports the migration of Microsoft Windows 8 and Microsoft Office 2013. The application and system scripts have been enhanced support these migrations. For more information about these scripts, see the *Inside Scripting Guide*.

## Application and System Scripts

Following is the list of application and system scripts that are updated for this release:

### Application Scripts

The following application scripts have been enhanced to support Microsoft Office 2013:

- MS Word
- MS Excel
- MS Powerpoint
- MS Access
- MS Outlook
- MS Visio
- MS OneNote

### **System Scripts**

The following system scripts have been enhanced for Windows 7 and 8:

- The desktop system script has been enhanced to support Offline Files, General (formerly, Vista OS Settings), and Remote Desktop Connection. Taskbar and Folder Options scripts are modified in this release.

**Note:** For more details about these scripts, see the *Inside Scripting Guide*.