

# webMethods Lotus Notes Adapter 6.0 Readme

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This file contains important information you must read before using webMethods Lotus Notes Adapter 6.0. You can find additional information about webMethods Lotus Notes Adapter 6.0 on the [Software AG Documentation Web site](#). In addition, the following suite-related information is also available at that location:

Product Documentation (includes installation and upgrade information)  
System Requirements Documentation

You can find the following information in the Products section of the [Empower Web site](#):

Security Information  
Globalization Information

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## 1.0 Critical Information

This section lists the critical issues that were known when this readme was published. For critical information found later, go to the Knowledge Center portion of the [Empower Product Support Web site](#).

None.

## 2.0 Known Issues

This section lists issues that were known when this readme was published. For known issues found later, go to the Knowledge Center portion of the [Empower Product Support Web site](#).

None.

## 3.0 Usage Notes

This section highlights product limitations and changes to product behavior introduced in this release.

- Some versions of the NCSO.jar file conflict with certain Java virtual machines, resulting in an exception being thrown that indicates the Lotus Notes Adapter connection could not obtain a session on the Domino server. For example, the Domino server 5.0.11 installation provides both NCSO.jar and NCSOW.jar. When using NCSO.jar with webMethods Integration Server 6.1 with the IBM 1.3.1 JVM, the following exception occurs: (org.omg.CORBA.MARSHAL: minor code:0 completed:0). If you experience connection problems, try using the NCSOW.jar file instead. You might also need to use another version of the JVM.
- To simplify enabling SSL connectivity to Lotus Domino servers, first use a test Java client as described in the Lotus Domino Toolkit for Java/CORBA. Ensure that your Domino server is correctly configured and updated with the latest fixes for the release you are running.
- When creating a Lotus Notes Session object using the createSession method in the lotus.domino.Session object, you must provide a username and password if the Session object will not be using the default credentials stored in the connection node associated with the createSession service. Also, you should keep in mind the following security issues when dynamically passing user name and passwords to Session objects:
  - If audit logging is turned on for services that invoke the adapter service based on the createSession method, the username and password will be visible in the server audit logs.
  - Any passwords that are hard-coded into a flow service will be visible to any user with Developer access. webMethods strongly recommends that you dynamically provide credentials and securely store them outside of the flow service.

- If you expect to display non-English data in your webMethods tools, make sure an appropriate font is installed in your operating environment. If you see hollow boxes or black squares where you expect to see non-English data, modify your JRE font.properties file to reference an appropriate font. For information on modifying your font.properties file, go to Oracle's Java website. For instructions, see:  
<http://docs.oracle.com/javase/1.4.2/docs/guide/intl/fontprop.html>  
[http://www.unicode.org/help/display\\_problems.html](http://www.unicode.org/help/display_problems.html)
- The configuration of the database you use with the webMethods Lotus Notes Adapter affects the characters the database can contain. If you select a non-Unicode encoding for the database, characters from outside that encoding will be lost when you store data in the database. webMethods recommends that you use the most appropriate Unicode encoding for your database character set. See *Installing webMethods Products* and your database vendor's documentation for instructions on choosing and setting the character encoding for your database and environment.

## 4.0 Fixes and Enhancements

This section describes the fixes and enhancements included in webMethods Lotus Notes Adapter 6.0.

### 4.1 Fixes and Service Packs Included in This Release

This section lists the fixes and service packs for previous releases that have been included into the current release. If only some issues in a fix or service pack have been included, that partially included fix or service pack is not listed here, and those issues are listed separately in [Section 4.2 Resolved Issues](#). See the Knowledge Center section of the [Empower Product Support Web site](#) for more information about fixes and service packs.

None.

### 4.2 Resolved Issues

This section lists issues that were resolved in this release and that are not included in the fixes and service packs listed in [Section 4.1 Fixes and Service Packs Included in This Release](#). These issues might have been resolved in a fix or service pack that was not included in its entirety into this release, or they might have been resolved since the last fix or service pack was released.

None.

### 4.3 Enhancements

For a detailed list of the enhancements included in webMethods Lotus Notes Adapter 6.0, see the Release Notes available on the [Software AG Documentation Web site](#).

### 4.4 Documentation Changes

This section describes significant changes to the documentation, such as the addition, relocation, or removal of product guides, online help, chapters, or other major content.

- *webMethods Lotus Notes Adapter Installation and User's Guide 6.0* merges the documentation that was contained in *webMethods Lotus Notes Adapter User's Guide* and *webMethods Lotus Notes Adapter Installation Guide*.
- *webMethods Lotus Notes Adapter Installation and User's Guide 6.0* contains information on the installer changes as well as upgrade instructions. This guide is available from the [Software AG Documentation Web site](#) and can also be downloaded as part of the product documentation library from the webMethods Installer.

## **4.5 Terminology Changes**

This section lists terminology that has changed since the last full release of the product.

None.

## **4.6 Deprecated or Removed Items**

This section lists product functionality that has been deprecated since the last full release of the product. Deprecated Built-In services and APIs are listed in the relevant sections that follow this one.

None.

## **4.7 Added, Removed, Deprecated, or Changed Built-In Services**

This section lists Built-In services that have been added, removed, deprecated, or changed since the last full release of the product.

None.

## **5.0 Copyright Information**

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## 6.0 Support

To obtain support for webMethods Product Suite components, refer to the following resources:

[Empower Product Support Web site](#)

Visit the Empower Web site to learn about support policies and critical alerts, read technical articles and papers, download products, fixes, and service packs, submit feature/enhancement requests, and more.

[Software AG Developer Community for webMethods](#)

Visit the Software AG Developer Community to access additional articles, demos, and tutorials, technical information, samples, useful resources, online discussion forums, and more.

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