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This document contains hardware and software prerequisites, installation instructions, post-installation tasks, instructions for building your application, the HPE SSL1 directory structure, and release notes for HPE SSL1 Version 1.0-2C for OpenVMS.

For the latest information about HPE SSL1, see the HPE SSL1 for OpenVMS website at

<http://h71000.www7.hp.com/openvms/products/ssl/ssl.html>

The information in this file applies to HPE SSL1 running on OpenVMS Integrity servers and OpenVMS Alpha systems.

HPE SSL1 Version 1.0-2C for OpenVMS is based on OpenSource OpenSSL version 1.0.2C from OpenSSL.org.

Vulnerabilities CVE/CAN:

Please refer OpenSSL websites: <https://www.openssl.org/news/vulnerabilities.html>

Installation Requirements and Prerequisites

The following sections list hardware and disk space requirements, and software prerequisites.

Hardware Prerequisites - Disk Space Requirements

The HPE SSL1 for OpenVMS kit requires approximately 200,000 blocks of working disk space to install. Once installed, the software occupies approximately 170,000 blocks of disk space.

Software Prerequisites

HPE SSL1 V1.0-2C for OpenVMS requires the following software.

- Operating System

HP OpenVMS Alpha Version 8.4 or
HP OpenVMS Integrity server Version 8.4

with patch kits:

VMS84A_MANAGE-V0200 or
VMS84I_MANAGE-V0200

- TCP/IP Transport

HP TCP/IP Services for OpenVMS Version 5.7

HPE SSL1 for OpenVMS has been tested and verified using HP TCP/IP Services for OpenVMS. Hewlett Packard Enterprise has not formally tested and verified HPE SSL1 for OpenVMS on TCPware and MultiNet from Process Software Corporation.

- Account Quotas and System Parameters

There are no specific requirements for account quotas and system parameters for installing or using HPE SSL1 for OpenVMS.

New Features in HPE SSL1 Version 1.0-2C for OpenVMS

HPE SSL1 Version 1.0-2C for OpenVMS is first release based on OpenSource OpenSSL version 1.0.2 stream.

Co-existence and major changes between HP SSL V1.4 and HPE SSL V1.0

To make SSL product version aligned with OpenSSL version and to allow the co-existence of HP SSL V1.4 (based on OpenSSL 0.9.8 stream) and HPE SSL1 V1.0 (based on OpenSSL 1.0.2 stream) the SSL product name is modified to SSL1.

HPE recommends that both the HPE SSL1 V1.0 and HP SSL V1.4 products are installed till all the dependent products or components are compatible with the HPE SSL1 V1.0.

Once all the dependent products or components are successfully migrated to HPE SSL1 V1.0, the earlier HP SSL V1.4 kit can be removed.

Following is a snapshot of co-existence :

\$ PROD SHOW PROD SSL*

PRODUCT	KIT TYPE	STATE
HP I64VMS SSL V1.4-502	Full LP	Installed
HP I64VMS SSL1 V1.0-2C	Full LP	Installed

2 items found

Logical names:

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All the HPE SSL1 V1.0 logical names are prefixed with SSL1\$ and following is the snapshot of logical names that are defined in "HP SSL V1.4" and "HPE SSL1 V1.0":

HP SSL V1.4-502 Logicals

HPE SSL1 V1.0-2C Logicals

"OPENSSL" = "SSL\$INCLUDE:"

"SSL\$CERT" = "SSL\$ROOT:[DEMOCA.CERTS]"

"SSL\$CERTS" = "SSL\$ROOT:[DEMOCA.CERTS]"
[DEMOCA.CERTS]"

"SSL\$COM" = "SSL\$ROOT:[COM]"

"SSL\$CONF" = "SSL\$ROOT:[DEMOCA.CONF]"

"OPENSSL" = "SSL1\$INCLUDE:"

"SSL1\$CERT" = "SSL1\$ROOT:[DEMOCA.CERTS]"

"SSL1\$CERTS" = "SSL1\$ROOT:"

"SSL1\$COM" = "SSL1\$ROOT:[COM]"

"SSL1\$CONF" = "SSL1\$ROOT:[DEMOCA.CONF]"

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"SSL$CRL" = "SSL$ROOT:[DEMOCA.CRL]"           "SSL1$CRL" = "SSL1$ROOT:[DEMOCA.CRL]"
"SSL$EXAMPLES" = "SYS$COMMON:[SYSHLP.EXAMPLES.SSL]" "SSL1$EXAMPLES" =
"SYS$COMMON:[SYSHLP.EXAMPLES.SSL1]"
"SSL$EXE" = "SSL$ROOT:[IA64_EXE]"           "SSL1$EXE" = "SSL1$ROOT:[IA64_EXE]"
"SSL$INCLUDE" = "SSL$ROOT:[INCLUDE]"       "SSL1$INCLUDE" = "SSL1$ROOT:[INCLUDE]"
"SSL$KEY" = "SSL$ROOT:[DEMOCA.CERTS]"      "SSL1$KEY" = "SSL1$ROOT:[DEMOCA.CERTS]"
"SSL$KEYS" = "SSL$ROOT:[DEMOCA.CERTS]"    "SSL1$KEYS" = "SSL1$ROOT:
[DEMOCA.CERTS]"
"SSL$PRIVATE" = "SSL$ROOT:[DEMOCA.PRIVATE]" "SSL1$PRIVATE" = "SSL1$ROOT:
[DEMOCA.PRIVATE]"
"SSL$ROOT" = "SYS$SYSDEVICE:[VMS$COMMON.SSL.]" "SSL1$ROOT" = "SYS$SYSDEVICE:
[VMS$COMMON.SSL1.]"

```

These logicals gets defined by invoking SYS\$STARTUP:SSL\$STARTUP.COM and SYS\$STARTUP:SSL1\$STARTUP.COM startup command procedures respectively.

The logical "OPENSSL" is mainly used to identify the OpenSSL header file location for building a product against OpenSSL. When both HP SSL V1.4 and HPE SSL1 V1.0 versions are co-existing, the "OPENSSL" logical will be pointed to the version of product that was started later. The new manage patch kit - VMS84I_MANAGE-V0200 / VMS84A_MANAGE-V0200 supplies a modified VMS\$LPBEGIN-050_STARTUP.COM command procedure, which ensure that HPE SSL V1.0 startup procedure is invoked later than HP SSL V1.4 startup procedure.

If there are any custom command procedures on your system using "SSL\$..." logicals, ensure that they are modified to use "SSL1\$..." logicals, while migrating from HP SSL V1.4 to HPE SSL1 V1.0.

Directory names:
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The top level directory structure for HPE SSL1 V1.0 is SYS\$SYSDEVICE:[VMS\$COMMON.SSL1]. The top level directory structure for HP SSL V1.4 product continues as is i.e. top level directory is SYS\$SYSDEVICE:[VMS\$COMMON.SSL].

HPE SSL1 V1.0 example programs are located in SYS\$COMMON:[SYSHLP.EXAMPLES.SSL1] directory.

If there are any custom command procedures on your system using "[SSL]" directory, ensure that they are modified to use "[SSL1]" directory, while migrating from HP SSL V1.4 to HPE SSL1 V1.0.

Command procedure names:
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The relevant command procedure names are prefixed with "SSL1" for HPE SSL1 V1.0 product
 e.g.
 SYS\$STARTUP:SSL1\$STARTUP.COM
 SSL1\$COM:SSL1\$CERT_TOOL.COM

Earlier command procedure in HP SSL V1.4 were prefixed with "SSL"
 e.g.
 SYS\$STARTUP:SSL\$STARTUP.COM
 SSL\$COM:SSL\$CERT_TOOL.COM

If there are any custom command procedures on your system invoking

- d) Follow step b) to c) for copying/renaming all the certificates in the certificate store.
- e) The certificate verification (using either openssl verify command, or verifying the certificate using OpenSSL API's), will work with HPE SSL1 V1.0, only if the certificate name in the certificate store is "37d8de08.0"
- f) Once you have stopped using HP SSL V1.4 certificate store, you can delete the older certificate file having MD-5 hash file names.
- g) While copying certificate store from SYS\$SYSDEVICE:[VMS\$COMMON.SSL.DEMOCA...] to SYS\$SYSDEVICE:[VMS\$COMMON.SSL1.DEMOCA...], file DELETE_HASH_FILES.COM will be having command to delete hashes as :
- ```
" $ DELETE SSL$ROOT:[DEMOCA.CERTS]438F16D6.0;* "
```
- Please modify the DELETE\_HASH\_FILES.COM. to reflect the changes in file specification.

e.g. Change DELETE SSL\$ROOT:[DEMOCA.CERTS]438F16D6.0;\* to  
 "DELETE SSL1\$ROOT:[DEMOCA.CERTS]37d8de08.0;\*"

- For more information, see help on

openssl x509 -hash, -subject, -subject\_hash\_old, -issuer, -issuer\_hash\_old  
 option - <https://www.openssl.org/docs/man1.0.2/apps/x509.html>

openssl verify -CApath option -  
<https://www.openssl.org/docs/man1.0.2/apps/verify.html>

## OpenSSL Documentation from The Open Group

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Documentation about the OpenSSL project and The Open Group is available at the following URL:

<http://www.openssl.org>

The OpenSSL documentation was written for UNIX users. When reading UNIX-style OpenSSL documentation, note the following differences between UNIX and OpenVMS:

- File specification format

The OpenSSL documentation shows example file specifications in UNIX format. For example, the UNIX file specification /dka100/foo/bar/file.dat is equivalent to DKA100:[FOO.BAR]FILE.DAT on OpenVMS.

- Directory format

Directories (pathnames) that begin with a period (.) on UNIX begin with an underscore (\_) on OpenVMS. In addition, on UNIX, the tilde (~) is an abbreviation for SYS\$LOGIN. For example, the UNIX pathname ~/.openssl/profile/prefs.js is equivalent to the OpenVMS directory [.\_OPENSSL.PROFILE]PREFS.JS.

## Downloading and Installing HPE SSL1 for OpenVMS from Website

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A PCSI kit of HPE SSL1 for OpenVMS is available for download from the HPE SSL1 website at

<http://h71000.www7.hp.com/openvms/products/ssl/>

### Installation Procedure:

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Install the HPE SSL1 V1.0 for OpenVMS kit by entering the following command:

```
$ PRODUCT INSTALL SSL1
```

HPE SSL1 V1.0 is always installed into SYS\$SYSDEVICE:[VMS\$COMMON].  
The /DESTINATION qualifier is no longer supported.

A sample installation procedure is as follows:

Specifying the /HELP qualifier on the PRODUCT INSTALL command line displays additional information about HPE SSL1.

```
$ PROD INSTAL SSL1
```

Performing product kit validation of signed kits ...

```
%PCSI-I-HPCVALPASSED, validation of 5DKA0:[SYS0.][SYSMGR]HP-I64VMS-SSL1-V0100-2C-1.PCSI$COMPRESSED;1 succeeded
```

The following product has been selected:

```
HP I64VMS SSL1 V1.0-2C Layered Product
```

Do you want to continue? [YES]

Configuration phase starting ...

You will be asked to choose options, if any, for each selected product and for any products that may be installed to satisfy software dependency requirements.

Configuring HP I64VMS SSL1 V1.0-2C: SSL1 for OpenVMS I64 V1.0-2C (Based on OpenSSL 1.0.2C)

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Do you want the defaults for all options? [YES]

HPE SSL1 is not Backward Compatible!

The HPE SSL1 Version 1.0-2C for OpenVMS is based on the 1.0.2C baselevel of OpenSSL. Some of the OpenSSL API, data structure and command are changed from the previous HP SSL version 1.4 (Based on OpenSSL 0.9.8 versions) and HP SSL version 1.3 (Based on OpenSSL 0.9.7 versions).

If your application is dependent on the HP SSL 1.4 or 1.3 version of product, you must recompile and relink your code with the latest SSL1 header files and shareable images after you upgrade to HPE SSL1 version 1.0-2C, to use the HPE SSL1 product libraries.

HPE SSL1 and HP SSL product libraries (shareable image) have different name and located in different directories. Hence both the product can co-exist on the same system. Applications that are linked with HP SSL product will continue using HP SSL libraries and Applications that are linked with HPE SSL1 product will use the new libraries shipped with HPE SSL1 product.

The logical "OPENSSL" is used commonly by both HPE SSL1 and HP SSL product. Care should be taken to identify that this logical is defined to the appropriate path before rebuilding the application with the correct libraries and header files of HPE SSL1. See the HPE SSL1 "Installation Guide and Release Notes" for more information on migrating applications to HPE SSL1.

Following list of HPE products/components that are dependent on HPE SSL1. Look at the product website for these products that is compatible with HPE SSL1 Version 1.0-2C

- LDAP
- ENCRYPT
- Stunnel
- HPE System Management Homepage (HPE SMH) for OpenVMS
- HPE WBEM Services for OpenVMS Integrity servers
- HPE OpenView Operations Agent for OpenVMS
- OpenView Performance Agent (OVPA) for OpenVMS
- Secure Web Server
- ABS
- HPE Enterprise Directory

If any of the product dependent upon the above list of products, also will not work.

For example:

- iCap/nPar depends upon HP WBEMServices also will not work
- "\$ backup/encrypt command which is in turn dependent on Encrypt will not work

Links to the above products are available in the HPE SSL1 home page.  
<http://h71000.www7.hp.com/openvms/products/ssl/ssl.html>

Do you want to continue? [YES]

Do you want to review the options? [NO]

Execution phase starting ...

The following product will be installed to destination:

HP I64VMS SSL1 V1.0-2C                      DISK\$SENT25\_VMS84:[VMS\$COMMON.]

Portion done: 0%...10%...20%...30%...40%...50%...60%...70%...80%...90%...100%

The following product has been installed:

HP I64VMS SSL1 V1.0-2C                      Layered Product

%PCSI-I-IVPEXECUTE, executing test procedure for HP I64VMS SSL1 V1.0-2C ...

%PCSI-I-IVPSUCCESS, test procedure completed successfully

HP I64VMS SSL1 V1.0-2C: SSL1 for OpenVMS I64 V1.0-2C (Based on OpenSSL 1.0.2C)





automatically define the SSL1\$, SSL\$ executive mode logical names in the SYSTEM logical name table, and install the SSL1, SSL shareable images that reside in the [SYSLIB] directory to memory.

Ensure that the SSL1\$STARTUP.COM command procedure is invoked after invoking SSL\$STARTUP.COM. Both command procedures defines a common logical "OPENSSL" which points to the include (header) file directory.

Invoking SSL1\$STARTUP.COM, ensure that the logical is defined to the latest HPE SSL1 1.0 header files.

Also, add SSL1\$SHUTDOWN.COM to the SYSS\$MANAGER:SYSHUTDWN.COM file to remove the installed images and deassign the SSL1\$ logical name definitions. If there is a SSL\$SHUTDOWN.COM already present in SYSS\$MANAGER:SYSHUTDWN.COM, conditionalize it in a if statement:

```
$if f$search("sys$startup:ssl$shutdown.com") .nes. ""
$then
$@sys$startup:ssl$shutdown.com
$endif
$if f$search("sys$startup:ssl$shutdown.com") .nes. ""
$then
$@sys$startup:ssl$shutdown.com
$endif
```

Please refer "Logical names" under section "Co-existence and major changes between HP SSL V1.4 and HPE SSL V1.0" of this document for additional information.

- Define the foreign commands that use the OpenSSL utility OPENSSL.EXE, such as openssl, ca, enc, req, and X509, by entering the following command:

```
$ @SSL1$COM:SSL1$UTILS
```

- Updated HPE SSL1 Files requiring attention

If this is the first time HPE SSL1 V1.0 is installed on the system and earlier, the system had HP SSL V1.4 (or HP SSL V1.3) only, perform the following actions:

- Copy any manual changes done from site specific startup command procedure SSL\$COM:SSL\$SYSTARTUP.COM to SSL1\$COM:SSL1\$SYSTARTUP.COM
- If SYSS\$STARTUP:SSL\$STARTUP.COM, had any manual changes done earlier, ensure that these changes are moved to site specific startup command procedure SSL1\$COM:SSL1\$SYSTARTUP.COM. This command procedure will be invoked by SYSS\$STARTUP:SSL1\$STARTUP.COM.
- Copy any manual changes done from site specific shutdown command procedure SSL\$COM:SSL\$SYSHUTDOWN.COM to SSL1\$COM:SSL1\$SYSHUTDOWN.COM.COM
- If SYSS\$STARTUP:SSL\$SHUTDOWN.COM, had any manual changes done earlier, ensure that these changes are moved to site specific shutdown command procedure SSL1\$COM:SSL1\$SYSHUTDOWN.COM. This command procedure will be invoked by SYSS\$STARTUP:SSL1\$SHUTDOWN.COM.
- Copy any manual changes done from OpenSSL configuration file

SSL\$ROOT:[000000]OPENSSL.CNF to SSL1\$ROOT:[000000]OPENSSL.CNF

- Copy any manual changes done from OpenSSL configuration file  
SSL\$ROOT:[000000]OPENSSL-VMS.CNF to SSL1\$ROOT:[000000]OPENSSL-VMS.CNF

- Migrate any application built with HP SSL V1.4 to HPE SSL1 V1.0, by rebuilding and relinking the application with the HPE SSL1 V1.0 header files and libraries. See "Library names" and "Logical names" under section "Co-existence and major changes between HP SSL V1.4 and HPE SSL V1.0" of this document for information on library names and header file locations.

- Migrate any command procedure using HP SSL V1.4 directories, command procedures or logicals to point to HPE SSL1 V1.0 directories, command procedures or logicals. See "Co-existence and major changes between HP SSL V1.4 and HPE SSL V1.0" section of this document for more information.

- Migrate any certificates store created from HP SSL V1.4 (or HP SSL V1.3) version of product to HPE SSL1 V1.0, by following the steps highlighted under "Migrate certificate store from HP SSL V1.4 (or HP SSL V1.3) to HPE SSL1 V1.0" under section "Co-existence and major changes between HP SSL V1.4 and HPE SSL V1.0" of this document.

- Optionally, run the Installation Verification Program (IVP) test by entering the following command:

```
$ @ SYS$TEST:SSL1$IVP.COM
```

Normally the Installation Verification Program (IVP) test is executed when HPE SSL1 V1.0 is installed. (The IVP test would not be executed at installation time if, for example, the PCSI qualifier /NOTEST was utilized)

- Optionally, start the Certificate Tool by entering the following command:

```
$ @SSL1$COM:SSL1$CERT_TOOL
```

This menu-driven tool allows you to create and view certificates and certificate requests and to sign certificate requests.

## HPE SSL1 Directory Structure

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After the installation is complete, the HPE SSL1 directory structure is as follows:

[SSL1] - Top-level directory created by default in SYS\$SYSDEVICE:[VMS\$COMMON].

One of the following two directories:

[SSL1.ALPHA\_EXE] - Contains images for the Alpha platform.

[SSL1.IA64\_EXE] - Contains images for the Integrity server platform.

[SSL1.COM] - Contains command procedures.

[SSL1.DEMOCA] - Contains demos for SSL's CA features

[SSL1.DEMOCA.CERTS] - Contains certificates and keys.

[SSL1.DEMOCA.CONF] - Contains configuration files.

[SSL1.DEMOCA.CRL] - Contains revoked certificates and CRLs.

[SSL1.DEMOCA.PRIVATE] - Contains private keys and random data.  
[SSL1.DOC] - OpenSSL Group-provided documentation and information.  
[SSL1.INCLUDE] - Contains C header (.H) files.  
[SSL1.TEST] - Contains files used during the Installation Verification Procedure (IVP).  
[SYS\$STARTUP] - Contains startup and shutdown templates and files.  
[SYSHLP] - Contains release notes.  
[SYSHLP.EXAMPLES.SSL1] - Contains SSL crypto and secure session examples.  
[SYSLIB] - Contains SSL shareable image files.  
[SYSTEST] - Contains SSL1\$IVP.COM test files.

Note that the HPE SSL1 example programs are located in SYS\$COMMON:[SYSHLP.EXAMPLES.SSL1]. (The logical name SSL1\$EXAMPLES points to this directory.)

## Building an HPE SSL1 Application

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HPE SSL1 for OpenVMS provides shareable images that contain 64-bit APIs and shareable images that contain 32-bit APIs. You can choose which APIs to use when you compile your application.

The file names for these shareable images are as follows:

SYS\$SHARE:SSL1\$LIBSSL\_SHR.EXE - 64-bit SSL APIs  
SYS\$SHARE:SSL1\$LIBCRYPTO\_SHR.EXE - 64-bit Crypto APIs  
SYS\$SHARE:SSL1\$LIBSSL\_SHR32.EXE - 32-bit SSL APIs  
SYS\$SHARE:SSL1\$LIBCRYPTO\_SHR32.EXE - 32-bit Crypto APIs

When you compile your application using HP C, use the /POINTER\_SIZE=64 qualifier to take advantage of the 64-bit APIs. The default value for the /POINTER\_SIZE qualifier is 32.

Linking your application is the same for either 64-bit or 32-bit APIs. The options file used contains either the 64-bit or 32-bit references to the appropriate shareable image.

## Building an Application Using 64-Bit APIs

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To build (compile and link) an example program using the 64-bit APIs, enter the following commands:

```
$ CC/POINTER_SIZE=64/PREFIX=ALL SAMPLE.C
$ LINK/MAP SAMPLE,LINKER_OPT/OPTIONS
```

In these commands, LINKER\_OPT.OPT is a simple text file that contains the following lines:

```
SYS$SHARE:SSL1$LIBSSL_SHR/SHARE
SYS$SHARE:SSL1$LIBCRYPTO_SHR/SHARE
```

## Building an Application Using 32-Bit APIs

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To build (compile and link) an example program using the 32-bit APIs, enter the following commands:

```
$ CC/PREFIX=ALL SAMPLE.C
$ LINK/MAP SAMPLE,LINKER_OPT/OPTIONS
```

In these commands, LINKER\_OPT.OPT is a simple text file that contains the following lines:

```
SYSS$SHARE:SSL1$LIBSSL_SHR32/SHARE
SYSS$SHARE:SSL1$LIBCRYPTO_SHR32/SHARE
```

## Release Notes

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This section contains notes on the current release of HPE SSL1 for OpenVMS.

The TLS1\_ALLOW\_EXPERIMENTAL\_CIPHERSUITES experimental ciphers which were part of HP SSL V1.3 and HP SSL V1.4 release are enabled in HPE SSL1 V1.0 release as well. This change is to address the backward compatibility issues in the cipher suites that were enabled in HP SSL V1.3 and HP SSL V1.4.

## Legal Caution

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SSL data transport requires encryption. Many governments, including the United States, have restrictions on the import and export of cryptographic algorithms. Please ensure that your use of HPE SSL1 is in compliance with all national and international laws that apply to you.

## HPE SSL1 APIs Not Backward Compatible

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The HPE SSL1 V1.0 for OpenVMS is based on the 1.0.2C baselevel of OpenSSL. Few of the OpenSSL API, data structure, and commands are changed from the previous HP SSL V1.3 (based on OpenSSL 0.9.7) and HP SSL V1.4 (based on OpenSSL 0.9.8).

Hewlett Packard Enterprise cannot guarantee the backward compatibility of HPE SSL1 V1.0 with HP SSL V1.3 and HP SSL V1.4.

Applications will have to rebuild and relink the images that is using HP SSL V1.3 and HP SSL V1.4 shareable images Of the library with the latest HPE SSL1 V1.0 header files and shareable images. Do note that the HPE SSL1 shareable images names have changed. Refer to the "Co-existence and major changes between HP SSL V1.4 and HPE SSL V1.0" for details.

## Preserve Configuration Files Before Manually Uninstalling HPE SSL1

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Preserving configuration files is not necessary when you perform a

regular upgrade or reinstallation of HPE SSL1 using the PRODUCT INSTALL command.

Using the PRODUCT REMOVE command to manually uninstall HPE SSL1 is not recommended (see the following note). However, if you made any modifications to the HPE SSL1 configuration files, preserve the files by backing up these files to a different disk and directory before you enter the PRODUCT REMOVE command that removes the HPE SSL1 kit. Otherwise, any changes you made to OPENSSL-VMS.CNF and OPENSSL.CNF will be lost. When you have completed the Version HPE SSL1 1.0 installation, move the saved items back into the HPE SSL1 directory structure.

#### Warning Against Uninstalling HPE SSL1 from OpenVMS Version 8.3 or Higher Using the PRODUCT REMOVE Command

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The POLYCENTER Software Installation utility command PRODUCT REMOVE is not supported for HPE SSL1 on OpenVMS Version 8.3 or higher, even though there is an apparent option to remove HPE SSL1. HPE SSL1 is installed together with the operating system and is tightly bound with it. An attempt to remove it from Version 8.3 or higher would not work cleanly and could create other undesirable side effects.

If you ignore the warning and continue to remove HPE SSL1, HP strongly recommends that you use PRODUCT INSTALL to install the HPE SSL1 Version 1.3 PCSI kit as soon as possible. An attempt to remove HPE SSL1 results in the following message:

```
%PCSI-E-HRDREF, product HP AXPVMS SSL V1.3-xxx is referenced by DEC
AXPVMS OPENVMS V8.3-xxx
```

The two products listed above are tightly bound by a software dependency.

If you override the recommendation to terminate the operation, the referenced product will be removed, but the referencing product will have an unsatisfied software dependency and may no longer function correctly.

Please review the referencing product's documentation on requirements.

Answer YES to the following question to terminate the PRODUCT command. However, if you are sure you want to remove the referenced product then answer NO to continue the operation.

Terminating is strongly recommended. Do you want to terminate? [YES]

#### Configuration Command Procedure Template Files

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The configuration files included in the HPE SSL1 kit are named OPENSSL.CNF\_TEMPLATE and OPENSSL-VMS.CNF\_TEMPLATE. This prevents PCSI from overwriting the .CNF files, and allows you to preserve any modifications you made to OPENSSL.CNF and OPENSSL-VMS.CNF if you installed a previous release of HPE SSL1 for OpenVMS.

If you are upgrading from a previous version of HPE SSL1, after you install the HPE SSL1 kit, compare the new .CNF\_TEMPLATE files with your existing .CNF files and add any new information as required.

If you did not previously install an HPE SSL1 for OpenVMS kit, both the .CNF\_TEMPLATE and .CNF files are provided.

#### HPE SSL1 Requirement to Install on System Disk

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The option to install to a location other than the system disk is no longer available beginning in HPE SSL1 V1.0 and later. If you download HPE SSL1 V1.0 and later from the website and install it as a layered product, it must be installed on the system disk.

#### Shut Down HPE SSL1 Before Installing on Common System Disk

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Before installing HPE SSL1 to a common system disk in a cluster, you must first shut down HPE SSL1 by entering the following command on each node in the cluster:

```
$ @SYS$STARTUP:SSL1$SHUTDOWN
```

Shutting down HPE SSL1 deassigns logical names and removes installed shareable images that may interfere with the installation.

After the installation is complete, start HPE SSL1 by entering the following command on each node in the cluster:

```
$ @SYS$STARTUP:SSL1$STARTUP
```

Note: If you are installing on a common cluster disk and not a common system disk, omit the SYS\$STARTUP logical and specify the specific startup directory in the shutdown and startup commands. For example:

```
$ @device:[directory.SYS$STARTUP]SSL1$SHUTDOWN
$ @device:[directory.SYS$STARTUP]SSL1$STARTUP
```

#### OpenSSL Version Command Displays HPE SSL1 for OpenVMS Version

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Starting with HPE SSL1 Version 1.0, the OpenSSL command line utility command VERSION now includes the HPE SSL1 for OpenVMS version. The OpenSSL VERSION command displays output similar to the following:

```
OpenSSL> version
OpenSSL 1.0.2c 12 Jun 2015
SSL1 for OpenVMS V1.0 Nov 20 2015
```

#### Certificate Tool Cannot Have Simultaneous Users

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Only one user/process should use the Certificate Tool at a time. The tool does not have a locking mechanism to prevent unsynchronized

accesses of the database and serial file, which could cause database corruption.

## Protect Certificates and Keys

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When you create certificates and keys with the Certificate Tool, take care to ensure that the keys are properly protected to allow only the owner of the keys to use them. A private key should be treated like a password. You can use OpenVMS file protections to protect the key file, or you can use ACLs to protect individual key files within a common directory.

## Environment Variables

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OpenSSL environmental variables have two formats, as follows:

`$var`  
`${var}`

In order for these variables to be parsed properly and not be confused with logical names, HPE SSL1 for OpenVMS only accepts the `${var}` format.

## IDEA, RC5 and MDC2 Symmetric Cipher Algorithms Not Supported

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The IDEA, RC5 and MDC2 symmetric cipher algorithms are not available in HPE SSL1 V1.0 for OpenVMS. These algorithms are under copyright protection, and Hewlett Packard Enterprise does not have the right to use these algorithms.

## APIs RAND\_egd, RAND\_egd\_bytes, and RAND\_query\_egd\_bytes Not Supported

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The `RAND_egd()`, `RAND_egd_bytes()`, and `RAND_query_egd_bytes()` APIs are not available on OpenVMS.

To obtain a secure random seed on OpenVMS, use the `RAND_poll()` API.

## Documentation from the OpenSSL Website

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The documentation on the OpenSSL website is located at <https://www.openssl.org/docs/>. It is likely that the API and command line documentation shipped with this kit will differ from the documentation on the OpenSSL website at some point. If such a situation arises, you should consider the API documentation on the OpenSSL website to have precedence over the documentation included in this kit.

## Extra Certificate Files ? \*PEM

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When you sign a certificate request using either the Certificate Tool or the OpenSSL utility, you may notice that an extra certificate is produced with a name similar to SSL\$CRT01.PEM. This certificate is the same as the certificate that you produced with the name you chose. These extra files are the result of the OpenSSL demonstration Certificate Authority (CA) capability, and are used as a CA accounting function. These extra files are kept by the CA and can be used to generate Certificate Revocation Lists (CRLs) if the certificate becomes compromised.

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