

FILERELICATIONPRO UPGRADE INFORMATION

Purpose

This document describes the various methods that can be employed to upgrade from one FRP version to another.

Upgrading falls into one of the following categories:

- Major upgrade
- Minor upgrade from patch
- Minor upgrade - full install

Major Upgrade

This method is used when upgrading to a major release such as 4.0.xxx to 4.1.xxx or from 4.1.xxx to 4.2.xxx. With this type of upgrade, you may lose your defined jobs, any remote server definitions and changes you made to the s2s.properties file.

Procedure

1. Download the FRP installation package from www.filereplicationpro.com/TopDownload.
2. On all servers:
 - a. Stop FRP services.
 - b. Uninstall the existing FRP package.
 - c. Copy the file <frp home>\etc\.key to a temporary directory. This file contains the server's license key.

Alternate Method: *You can also reinstall the license key to all the servers after the new installation via the Server Properties page in the Configuration Manager (Local servers only).*

- d. Copy the file <frp home>\etc\configuration.xml to a temporary directory. This file contains current server and job configuration information.

Note: *Step D is optional. Failure to copy or restore the configuration.xml file will result in FRP starting up with a clean configuration. You will need to redefine your jobs and any remote servers.*

- e. Delete the FRP home directory.
- f. Install the new FRP package.
- g. Restore the .key and configuration.xml files back to <frp home>\etc. from the temporary directory.
- h. Start the FRP services.

3. If you have not copied the .key file (steps C and G above), re-enter the license key(s) for all servers by copying each license key from the registration email sent to you and pasting it in the license key field in the Server Properties page.

Note: For remote servers, use the copy .key method (steps C and G above)

4. If you need to make any necessary changes to the s2s.properties file:
 - a. Stop the FRP services on the configuration management server.
 - b. Edit the s2s.properties file at <frp home>\lib.
 - c. Start the FRP services on the configuration management server.
5. Setup your jobs and remote servers.

Minor Upgrade from Patch

This method is employed when performing a maintenance upgrade such as 4.1.007 to 4.1.008. This type of upgrade maintains the integrity of your jobs, remote servers, and s2s.properties file.

Procedure

1. Download the patch file(s). This is usually diasoft.jar.
2. On all servers:
 - a. Stop FRP services.
 - b. Copy any patch items to their respective directory(s).
 - c. Start FRP services

Minor Upgrade - Full Install

This method is employed when performing maintenance or new features upgrades such as 4.1.001 to 4.1.008. This upgrade replaces most of the FRP file system however; it does maintain the integrity of existing jobs, remote servers, and licenses. You may lose changes you have made to the s2s.properties file.

Procedure

1. Download the FRP installation package from www.filereplicationpro.com/TopDownload.
2. On all servers:
 - a. Stop FRP services.
 - b. Uninstall the existing FRP package.
 - c. Install the new FRP package.
 - d. Start the FRP services.
3. If you need to make any necessary changes to the s2s.properties file:
 - a. Stop the FRP services on the configuration management server.
 - b. Edit the s2s.properties file at <frp home>\lib.
 - c. Start the FRP services on the configuration management server.