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Introduction

This document describes how to enable Java and JavaScript on your PC and how to verify the Java version that is installed on the PC.

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Requirements

You do not need to provide any additional equipment to complete this procedure.

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Enable Java and JavaScript in Internet Explorer

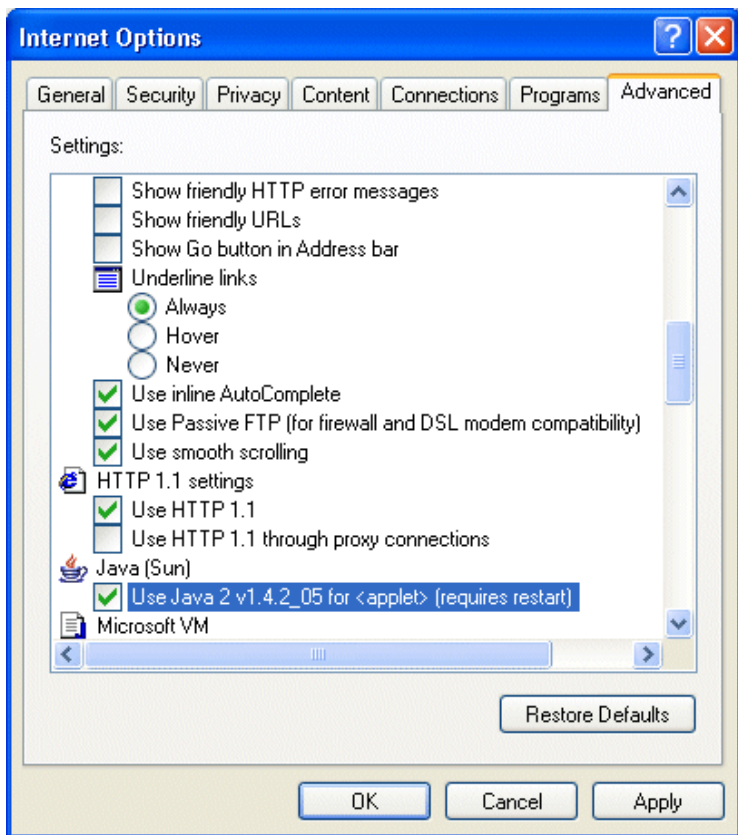
Many Cisco device managers require that you enable Java and JavaScript on your PC. Follow these steps to enable Java and JavaScript in your Internet Explorer browser.

Enable Java in Internet Explorer

Follow these steps to enable Java in your Internet Explorer browser:

Note: If Java is not enabled, you will have to restart your PC when you finish this procedure.

1. Open an Internet Explorer browser.
2. Click **Tools > Internet Options**.
3. In the Internet Options window, click the **Advanced** tab.
4. Scroll down the Settings list to the entry for Java (Sun). Verify that the Use Java check box is checked. If not, check the box now.

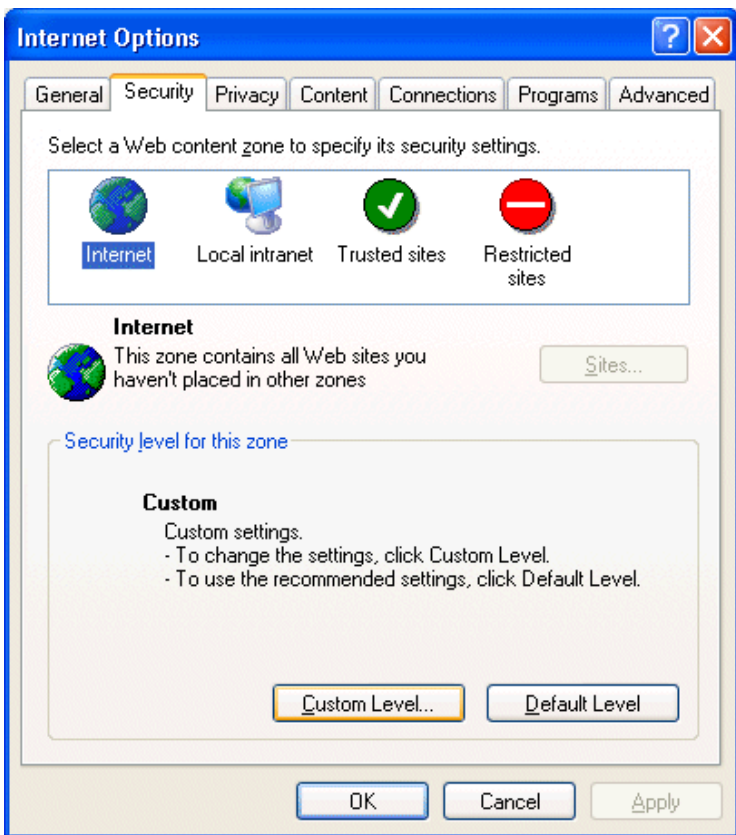


5. Click **OK**. Reboot the PC if you are prompted to do so.

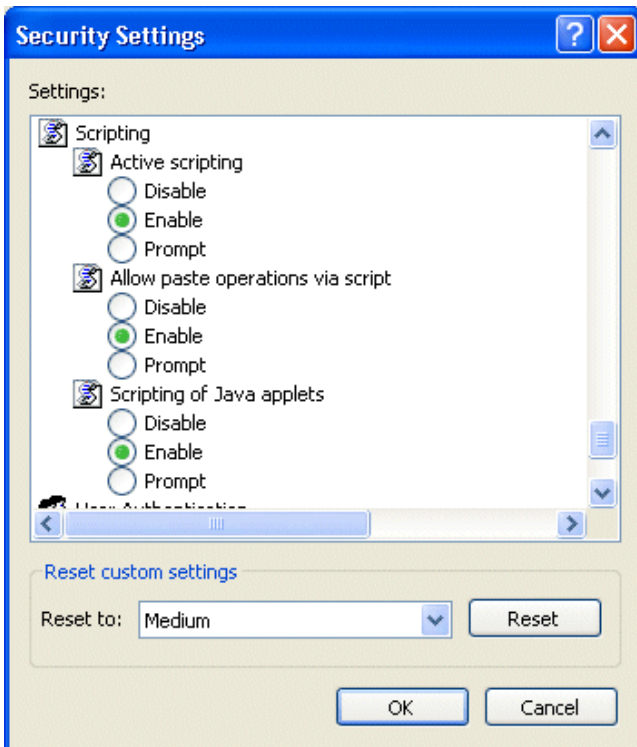
Enable JavaScript in Internet Explorer

Follow these steps to enable JavaScript in your Internet Explorer browser:

1. Open an Internet Explorer browser.
2. Click **Tools > Internet Options**.
3. In the Internet Options window, click the **Security** tab.
4. Click **Custom Level**.



5. In the Security Settings window, scroll down to the Scripting section.
6. Click **Enable** under the entries for active scripting and scripting of Java applets.

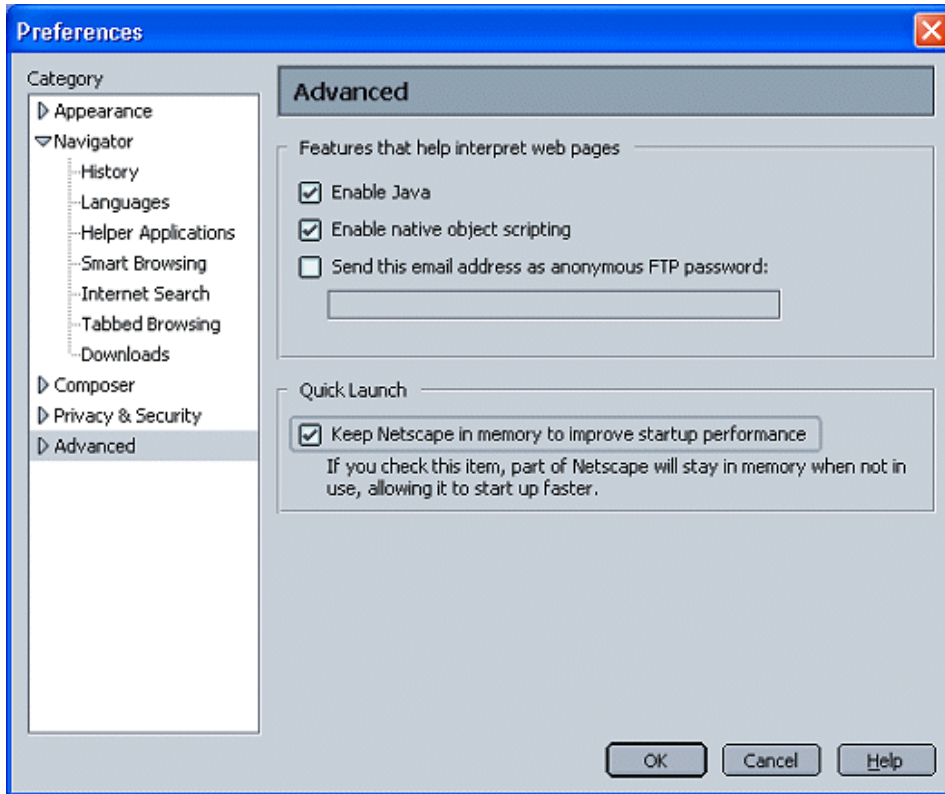


7. Click **OK** to close the Security Settings window, and then click **OK** again to close the Internet Options window.

Enable Java and JavaScript in Netscape

Many Cisco device managers require that you enable Java and JavaScript on your PC. Follow these steps to enable Java and JavaScript in your Netscape browser:

1. Launch the Netscape browser.
2. Click **Edit > Preferences**.
3. In the Preferences window, click **Advanced**.



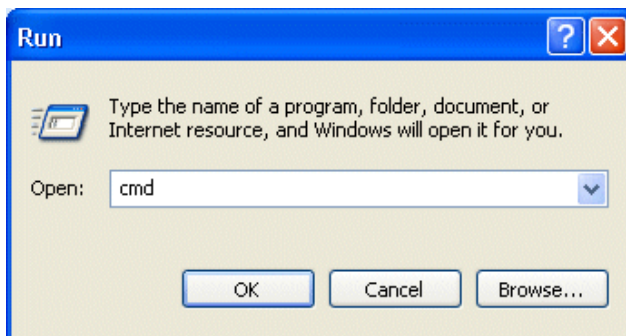
4. Ensure that the check boxes are checked for the options to enable Java and native object scripting.
5. Click **OK**.

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Verify the Java Version

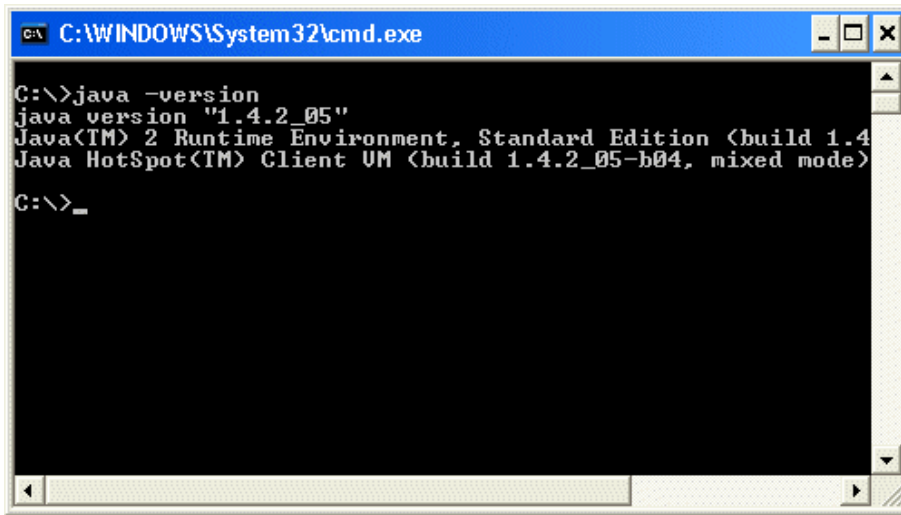
To ensure that Cisco device managers load and run properly, verify that you have Java version 1.4.2_05 or later. Follow these steps to check your Java version:

1. Click **Start > Run**.
2. In the Run window, type **cmd** in the Open field, and then click **OK**.




3. When the command window appears, type **java -version**.

Note: Ensure you type a space after the word "java".



```
C:\WINDOWS\System32\cmd.exe
C:\>java -version
java version "1.4.2_05"
Java(TM) 2 Runtime Environment, Standard Edition (build 1.4.2_05-b04)
Java HotSpot(TM) Client VM (build 1.4.2_05-b04, mixed mode)
C:\>_
```

4. If your Java version is earlier than 1.4.2_05, you need to download a newer version. For more information on how to upgrade your Java Runtime Environment (JRE), go to [Sun Microsystems](#) . Look for the Downloads section, and then search for JRE.
5. Type **exit** to close the command window.

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