

# Cisco Active Advisor for APIC-EM Release Notes, Release 1.4.2

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## What's New in Cisco Active Advisor

In addition to providing information about the devices in your Cisco APIC-EM inventory that have hardware End-of-Life warnings and vulnerabilities that have been identified by the Cisco Product Security Incident Response Team (PSIRT), Cisco Active Advisor now provides Software End-of-Life, Field Notice, warranty, and service contract coverage information about those devices.

Cisco Active Advisor, version 1.4.2, supports the controller proxy defined in the controller settings page of the administrator view.

## Installing Active Advisor

From the Application Management Update page in APIC-EM, drag and drop the Active Advisor image (apic-em-caa-application-1.4.2.106 application file) to the appropriate spot. If you are updating from a previous version of Active Advisor, you need to disable the previous version before enabling the new version. For a detailed explanation with screen shots, go here: <https://help.ciscoactiveadvisor.com/solution/articles/13000029387-how-do-i-install-active-advisor-for-apic-em->

## Limitations and Restrictions

Active Advisor has the following limitations and restrictions:

- Active Advisor requires an outbound connection to the internet and a DNS configuration that enables your APIC-EM controller to reach the following two sites:
  - <https://op2-prd1-dprox.cisco.com>
  - <https://ciscoactiveadvisor.com>
- You can test your controller internet connectivity using the procedure in the following article: <https://help.ciscoactiveadvisor.com/solution/articles/13000030655-how-do-i-check-to-see-if-my-apic-em-controller-has-access-to-the-necessary-web-services-to-function-p>
- The APIC-EM Telemetry collection service must be enabled. See the following article for information about how to check that it's enabled:  
<https://help.ciscoactiveadvisor.com/solution/articles/13000030658-how-do-i-ensure-that-telemetry-collection-is-turned-on-on-my-apic-em-controller->

## Troubleshooting

For troubleshooting FAQs and procedures for Active Advisor, see our knowledge base at the following URL:

<https://help.ciscoactiveadvisor.com/solution/folders/13000006583>

If you can't find what you are looking for, click **New support ticket** and open a ticket. One of our developers will get back to you.

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