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Cisco NAE Policy Explorer Application Release Notes, Releases 1.2 and 2.0

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NAE Policy Explorer, Releases 1.2 and 2.0

This document describes the features, caveats, and usage guidelines for the NAE Policy Explorer.

Additional product documentation is listed in the **Related Documentation** section.

Release notes are sometimes updated with new information about restrictions and caveats.

Table 1 shows the online change history for this document.

Table 1. Online History Change

Date	Description
July 8, 2019	Created the release notes for the 1.2 and 2.0 releases.

Introduction

The NAE Policy Explorer provides a policy snapshot from the Cisco APIC to enable data center operators and architects to:

- Explore the ACI object models and associations
- Verify connectivity and segmentation between network assets

The NAE Policy Explorer app allows network operators to discover assets and their object associations in an easy-to-consume natural language query format. Operators can quickly get visibility into their infrastructure and connectivity or segmentation between assets. The app allows operators to easily discover associations between traditional networking constructs such as VRFs, subnets, VLANs to the ACI object model.

This application uses a structured Natural Query Language to help Operations teams explore policy associations, get visibility, and perform connectivity analysis between end points, EPGs, and other networking assets.

NAE Policy Explorer Support

The following table shows supported features, APIC versions, and footprint information by release. New software features supported in releases 2.0 and 1.2 are listed here. Existing software features that are available starting with Release 1.0 are also listed in this table.

Table 2. NAE Policy Explorer Features by Release

Release	Feature	Supported with APIC Release	App Footprint
Releases 2.0	 What Queries with 'and' and 'or' Can Queries with ports, protocols and port ranges Can Queries with 'any' keyword for selected object 	and later	8 GB
Release 1.2	 What Queries with 'and' and 'or' Can Queries with ports, protocols and port ranges Can Queries with 'any' keyword for selected object 		2 GB
Release 1.0	 What Query: What EPs are connected to EPG:X and BD:Y Can Query: Can A talk to B or Can A talk to B via C Can Queries with 'any' keyword for selected object 		2 GB

Usage Guidelines

The NAE Policy Explorer, Release 1.2 and Release 2.0 are compatible with Cisco Application Policy Infrastructure Controller, Release 4.0(1h).

Caveats

Open Caveats

This section lists the open caveats. Click the bug ID to access the Bug Search tool and see additional information about the bug.

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The following open caveats apply to NAE Policy Explorer Release 2.0 and not to Release 1.2.

Table 3. Open Caveats in APIC Release 4.0(1h)

Bug ID	Description
CSCvq17245	NAE Policy Explorer app provides duplicate entries for Can Query between EPGs with contract preferred group (CPG) enabled.