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Release 4.0.2 of IBM Aspera Connect provides the bug fix listed below.

The remaining content of these release notes describes the new features, fixes, and other changes introduced with Connect 4.0, and also includes system requirements, supported platforms, and known issues.

FIXED ISSUES

Aspera/connect-app#743 - Drive does not check for packages if it cannot retrieve a token.

Aspera/connect-app#734 - Connect does not interpret multi_session = 0 in the transfer specification as the server specifying it does not support multi-sessions.

Aspera/connect-app#731 - Connect uses a different default value from the GUI for the multi-session rate threshold.

Aspera/connect-app#721 - Connect executes the same behavior when called by both the Connect SDK showPreferencesPage() and showPreferences() methods.

Aspera/connect-app#719 - Websocket-initiated transfers fail because of a missing library file on macOS installation.

Aspera/connect-app#718 - When obfuscation is enabled, empty folders uploaded via Connect are not present in a package.

Aspera/connect-app#717 - When obfuscation is enabled, uploading a folder with just one file results in multiple nested folders.

Aspera/connect-app#709 - The Connect browser extension does not validate the target origin.

Aspera/connect-app#520 - Crypt does not launch when clicking decrypt link

For Connect other 4.0 fixes, see the 4.0.0 release notes.

SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

Note on browsers: The version numbers shown are for those browsers on which Connect was verified at the time of release; however, Connect is likely to work on later versions.

OS	Versions	Browsers
Windows	Windows 10 Windows Server 2019	Chrome 90 Firefox 88 Firefox ESR 68, 78 Microsoft Edge 90
Linux	RHEL 7, 8 CentOS 7, 8 Debian 9, 10 SLES 11, 12 Fedora 31, 32 OpenSUSE 15 Ubuntu 16.04 LTS, 18.04 LTS, 20.04 LTS	Chrome 90 Firefox 88 Firefox ESR 68, 78

OS	Versions	Browsers	
macOS	macOS 10.13 - 10.15 macOS 11.0	Chrome 90 Firefox 88 Firefox ESR 68, 78 Safari 14	

Server Requirements

One of the following:

- IBM Aspera Shares a currently supported version
- IBM Aspera Faspex a currently supported version
- IBM Aspera High-Speed Transfer Server (HSTS) 3.9.6 or higher recommended

To use Connect's Aspera Drive feature with any of the above servers, the server must have a Driveenabled or Cargo-enabled license.

To use Connect's Aspera Drive synchronization features, the server must have a Sync-enabled license.

The minimum version of Connect that works with the Connect SDK is now 3.9.0.

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