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- n EMC Electromagnetic Immunity CISPR 24
- n Electrical Safety IEC 60950, with CB member national deviations

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Caution—This product contains a lithium battery. Batteries are not customer replaceable parts. They may explode if mishandled. Do not dispose of the battery in fire. Do not disassemble or recharge.

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Revision History

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September 2005	1.00	New document for Release 3.5.5.

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Introduction

These Release Notes provide the latest information about the Alteon Switched Firewall, Release 3.5.5, and issues not included in the documentation suite. For a list of documentation in the Alteon Switched Firewall suite, consult "Related publications" on page 13.

Release 3.5.5 software support

Alteon Switched Firewall, Release 3.5.5, supports Check Point™ FireWall-1® NG with the following software:

- Application Intelligence R54 and Hotfix Accumulator 414 (HFA_414)
- Application Intelligence R55 and Hotfix Accumulator 12 (HFA_12)

Release 3.5.5 hardware support

Table 2 lists the supported hardware platforms for Alteon Switched Firewall, Release 3.5.5.

 Table 1
 Supported hardware

ASF platform	Firewall Accelerator models	Firewall Director models
5714	5700	5014
5710	5700	5010
5614	5600	5014
5610	5600	5010
5409	5400	5009
5408	5400	5008
5309	5300	5009
5308	5300	5008

Note: Alteon Switched Firewall, Release 3.5.5 does not support the 6400 and 6600 Accelerators. Nortel recommends that you use ASF version 4.0.3 or NSF version 4.1.1 with installations of 6400 or 6600 Accelerators.

New features in Release 3.5.5

Web user interface enhancements

The web user interface has a new tab, Wizards. The Wizards tab provides access to a number of configuration wizards, which guide the user's progress, step by step, through configuration tasks.

Detailed explanation of log messages

Detailed online help for system-generated syslog messages is available by using the CLI command /maint/logdetail. Each message contains an identifier, for example CFDG_011. Use the identifier to get details about the message, possible causes, and information on how to resolve it.

Management processor (MP) flow control

By limiting the number of packets forwarded to the management processor on the Accelerator, the rate limiting feature protects the MP.

Related publications

For more information about the Alteon Switched Firewall, refer to the publications listed in Table 2.

Table 2 Nortel Switched Firewall Release 3.5.5 Documentation

Document Type	Document Title	Part Number
Installation Guide	Alteon Switched Firewall 3.5.4 Hardware Installation Guide	215712-C
User Guide	Alteon Switched Firewall 3.5.4 Browser-Based Interface Quick Access Guide	215710-C
User Guide	Alteon Switched Firewall 3.5.4 User's Guide and Command Reference	215709-C

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- Open your web browser and enter www.nortel.com/support.
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- From the drop-down list next to selection 1 Select from select Product Categories.
- 3. Scroll to Security & VPN in the Product Categories list.
- 4. Select Firewall & SSL from the Security & VPN sublist.
- 5. From selection 2 ... choose a product ... select the applicable product.
- 6. From selection 3 ... and get the content. select the type of information you require. For example, select **Documentation**.
- 7. Click Go.

The product documentation page opens.

The User's Guide and Installation Instructions are PDF files that can be read and printed using the free Acrobat Reader® software available from Adobe Systems Incorporated at the Adobe web site. To obtain a manual in hard copy format, contact your Nortel sales representative and order by using the appropriate part number.

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