

CWMS RiverWare Plugin version 1.2

Installation and User Guide

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The installation consists of three files plus supporting documentation:

- RiverWarePlugin.jar – The RiverWare plugin Java archive file.
- RiverWare.installinfo – The RiverWare installation information file.
- RiverWare.ver – The RiverWare version file.
- CWMS RiverWare Plugin Release Notes.pdf – An overview of the RiverWare integration features, enumerating the RiverWare functionality available from the CAVI in version 1.1.
- CWMS RiverWare Plugin User Guide.pdf – This document, containing the RiverWare plugin installation and user guides.

1. Installing RiverWare and CWMS

Installing RiverWare

The RiverWare CWMS Plugin version 1.1 integration requires RiverWare release 7.0.6 or later. This document assumes that RiverWare release 7.0.6 is installed in the default location:

```
C:\Program Files\CADSWES\RiverWare 7.0.6\
```

References to directory and file paths will need to be adjusted accordingly if a different RiverWare release (e.g., 7.0.6) is installed or if RiverWare is installed in a different location.

RiverWare plugin network connection

The RiverWare plugin communicates with RiverWare using IP address 127.0.0.1 (localhost) and port number 27002. If this port is unavailable due to firewall or other issues, a plugin using a different port number can be provided.

Installing CWMS

CWMS integration requires CWMS release 3.0.1. Please follow the CWMS installation instructions for further information on CWMS 3.0.1. This document assumes that CWMS is installed in:

```
C:\CWMS_3.0.1\
```

References to directory and file paths will need to be adjusted accordingly if CWMS is installed in a different directory.

2. Adding RiverWare to CWMS

Install the RiverWare plugin Java archive file

Copy RiverWarePlugin.jar to the directory:

```
C:\CWMS_3.0.1\CAVI\jar\ext
```

The model plugins in this directory are named with prefixes which determine the order in which they appear in the CWMS user interface, but which otherwise have no impact on model behavior. For example, CWMS 3.0 typically displays the models HMS, ResSim, and RAS in that order as the associated plugins have the following names:

```
S10hmsPlugin.jar  
S15resSimPlugin.jar  
S20rasPlugin.jar
```

If you would like the RiverWare plugin to appear before ResSim you would rename RiverWarePlugin.jar to S14RiverWarePlugin.jar; to appear after ResSim you would rename it to S16RiverWarePlugin.jar.

[Install the RiverWare installation information and version files](#)

Copy RiverWare.installinfo and RiverWare.ver to:

```
C: \CWMS_3.0.1\CAVI\config
```

RiverWare.installinfo contains the directory path of the RiverWare installation directory:

```
<InstallLocation>C:\Program Files\CADSWES\RiverWare 7.0.6\</InstallLocation>
```

The value is currently set to the default location for the 7.0.6 release; if a different release (e.g., 7.0.7) is installed or if RiverWare is installed in a different location then the file will need to be edited.

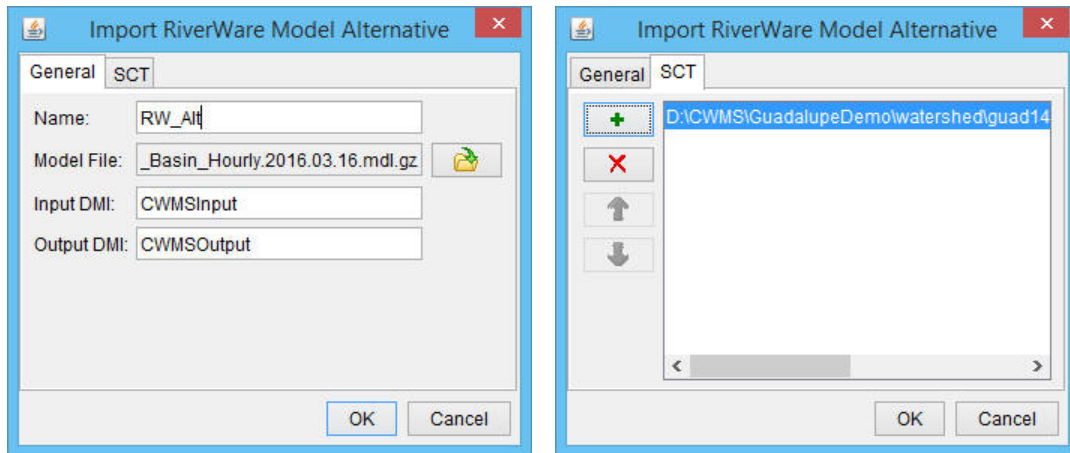
RiverWare.ver contains the RiverWare version:

```
7.0.6
```

The value is currently set for the 7.0.6 release; if a different release (e.g., 7.0.6) is installed then the file will need to be edited.

3. RiverWare plugin user guide

The majority of the RiverWare plugin's functionality is accessed via general mechanisms that apply to all models, as described in the CWMS user manual. However, when one imports a RiverWare model alternative, the plugin presents a special dialog (Import RiverWare Model Alternative) for gathering the necessary information. This dialog has two tabs, General and SCT:



The General tab enables users to:

- Specify the model alternative name. The name defaults to the model file name with file suffixes removed.
- Select the model file. For rulebased simulation models, the policy (global function sets and ruleset) must be saved within the model file.
- Specify the input and output DMI names. The default names, CWMSInput and CWMSOutput, respectively, are shown in the figure above.

The SCT tab enables users to select an ordered list of SCT files, with buttons to add, remove and reorder the files. The file names, with suffixes removed, are shown on buttons and in context menus in the CWMS user interface.

4. RiverWare user interface

As described in the document **RiverWare CWMS Integration Features.docx**, the following RiverWare dialogs are directly accessible from CWMS buttons and context menus:

- The RiverWare workspace (from which all RiverWare dialogs are available).
- RPL editors.
- SCTs.
- Plot dialogs.
- Open object dialogs.

5. RiverWare Usability Notes

RiverWare diagnostics

The CWMS user interface presents important RiverWare diagnostic messages in the Messages window; for a complete set of messages refer to RiverWare's native Diagnostic Output dialog. This window is automatically shown when a model is loaded (although it may need to be brought to the forefront) but if it has been closed it can be re-opened from the RiverWare workspace.

RiverWare debug files

The RiverWare plugin writes debug messages to the file:

C:\Users\\AppData\Local\Temp\RiverWarePlugin.log

and RiverWare writes debug messages to the file:

C:\Users\\AppData\Local\Temp\RwServer.27002.log

(The number in the second file name will change if the RiverWare plugin uses a different port number, as discussed above.)

The files contain messages about the low-level interaction between the RiverWare plugin and RiverWare and will be useful if RiverWare isn't functioning properly in CWMS.

Geolocation of RiverWare objects

For RiverWare simulation objects to be correctly located within CWMS map displays, the imported RiverWare model must contain coordinates for those objects as well as a description of the associated coordinate system. There are several ways to accomplish this; which method is most convenient will depend on the context. For example, if you have a map of the watershed which includes projection information metadata, then it will probably be most convenient to configure that as the background image of the geospatial view's canvas and then place icons by hand. Alternatively, if you have a WKT (well known text) representation of a coordinate system and object coordinates in a shapefile format with appropriate attributes, then these can be provided to the Geospatial Canvas Configuration dialog and Object Coordinate Manager, respectively. For more details, see the RiverWare online help.