

SASVA North Star

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About this document

This section provides information on the changes, enhancements, known issues and limitations, and the defects fixed in this release.

What's new

This section provides information on what's changed, enhancements, and new features of this release.

Azure DevOps Support: Added comprehensive Azure DevOps Agile project support with enhanced iteration, filtering, mapping, release, and roadmap capabilities. The following capabilities were added:

- **Hierarchical Iteration Paths:** Added support for multi-level iteration hierarchies for structured sprint and release planning.
- **Area Path Filtering:** Introduced filtering based on Azure DevOps Area Paths for focused work item visibility.
- **Custom Field Mapping:** Enabled flexible mapping of custom Azure DevOps fields for seamless integration.
- **Custom Work Item & Milestone Release Mapping:** Added capability to drive releases using custom work item types and mapped milestones.
- **Product Roadmap Item (PRI) Support:** Introduced PRI with two-level nested requirements for roadmap-to-delivery traceability.
- **Past Release Access:** Enabled access to historical releases for reporting and audits.

Known issues and limitations

This section provides information on the known issues and limitations of this release.

Operation	Area	Limitations
For Administrators	User management	The Bulk Upload feature does not work as expected.
Assessment	Performance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • When multiple users access the application simultaneously or when working with large repositories, the Project Scan process may take longer to complete. • Some repositories in Code Analysis display the message <code>Failed to load content</code>.
Northstar View	Task: Creating release plan	<p>You cannot create a green field project.</p> <p><u>Workaround:</u> Provide dummy credentials in the Project management tools and Source version control tools</p>

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		fields.
		Recreate the release plan if the network disconnects during the generation of release plan details.
		Inconsistent use case count after manually adding new use cases to an existing plan.
		After selecting specific language for release plan, the use case questionnaire displays questions about languages.
		Release plan generation failing with more number of usecases.
		The Market trends shows blank during release creation.
		The UI occasionally becomes unresponsive on the questionnaire page, preventing to proceeding further.
		The Generate Project Plan button becomes unresponsive on the Final Use Case page while editing a draft plan
	Task: Publish a release plan	Any additional epics or use cases added to the draft release during publishing are not included in the release plan.
		Test case creation API has slow response or fails intermittently .
		Publishing release is slow or fails with more number of use cases.
	Task: Export a release plan	The exported PDF contains excessive data when downloaded because epics, stories, and tasks have large descriptions.
		Excel or PDF taking longer time to export and fails sometimes.
Reports downloaded for Published Releases page contain different test cases than those displayed under Release Items on publish page.		
Task: Review the releases dashboards	Network tab on ticketing dashboard shows <code>error 500</code> .	
Manage Backlog	Task: Create project backlog	The backlog analysis is not populating data for backlog features, leading to incomplete insights.
	Task: Add an existing project	For some projects, the Aha tool does not populate data on the Priority Backlog and Business Case pages.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assessment Northstar View 	Feature: Process Assessment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Technical debt report takes longer time to load. Technical debt supports following languages: Python, JavaScript, Apex Class, Java and Swift .
	Feature: Process Assessment	<p>Azure DevOps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Iteration Depth Limit: When a past release includes multiple child iterations/sprints, only up to 3 levels of iteration hierarchy under that release are considered for process assessment. Release Without Child Iterations: If a selected past release has no child iterations/sprints, the release itself is treated as a single sprint/child iteration. All associated graphs and insights are populated accordingly.
	Feature: Releases dashboards	Intermittent issue with information dashboard: Summary tab shows blank, Features tab shows No Features found, Code analysis and Diagrams is does not loading.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assessment Northstar View Manage Backlog 	Task: Add an existing project	<p>Azure DevOps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supports only Agile project. Previously released Iteration paths are not listed. Tag base release identification is not supported. Release item creation restricted to sensitive keywords. Dependency mapping in Northstar is supported at story and Task level! Not at the milestone level.

Fixed defects

This section provides information about the defects fixed in this release.

Operation	Area	Defect	Solution
Northstar View	Task: Add new release	Whats done so far step shows error after clicking View More button.	Fixed issue.
	Task: Publish a release plan	On release items page, the new release name goes out of card for long release name.	Fixed code to address the issue.
	Task:	After updating field configuration for	Restricted the

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	Publish a release plan	project management tool. The published release shows blank data for title and description in project management tool.	field change for title and description.

