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# Preface

A Release Notes document can include some or all of the following sections, depending upon the release:

- Overview of the release
- Functional, technical, integration, and/or performance enhancements
- Assumptions
- Fixed and/or known issues/defects

Because of their brevity, Release Notes do not include chapters, appendices, or a table of contents.

## Audience

Release Notes are a critical communication link between Oracle Retail and its retailer clients. There are four audiences in general for whom a Release Notes document is written:

- Retail clients who wish to understand the contents of this release.
- Integrators and implementation staff who have the overall responsibility for implementing Oracle Retail Category Management into their enterprise.
- Business analysts who are looking for high-level functional information about this release.
- System analysts and system operation personnel who are looking for high-level functional and technical content related to this release.

## Related Documents

For more information, see the following documents:

- Oracle Retail Category Management Installation Guide
- Oracle Retail Category Management User Guide
- Oracle Retail Predictive Application Server documentation

## Customer Support

- <https://metalink.oracle.com>

When contacting Customer Support, please provide:

- Product version and program/module name.
- Functional and technical description of the problem (include business impact).
- Detailed step-by-step instructions to recreate.
- Exact error message received.
- Screen shots of each step you take.

## Conventions

**Navigate:** This is a navigate statement. It tells you how to get to the start of the procedure and ends with a screen shot of the starting point and the statement “the Window Name window opens.”

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**Note:** This is a note. It is used to call out information that is important, but not necessarily part of the procedure.

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It is used to display examples of code

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# Release Notes

## Overview

This document contains information on enhancements that have been made to Oracle Retail Category Management since the previous release.

## Enhancements

### Application Upgrade to Oracle Embedded Database

- Oracle Retail Category Management version 12.1 has been tested and certified against RPAS 12.1, which now uses the Oracle Retail Embedded Database (OREDB).
- OREDB replaces Acumate as the underlying database that is used by RPAS.

### Upgrading to Oracle Retail Category Management 12.1

Retailers may upgrade from a base Oracle Retail Category Management 11.1 implementation and beyond to this release. For more details on how to upgrade and patch, please refer the RPAS 12.1 Installation Guide.

## Known Issues/Defects

There are no known high priority outstanding issues that would impact retailers upgrading to this release or installing this release.