



Documentation Updates



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PURPOSE STATEMENT

This document provides a list of document updates since the generally available release of PeopleTools 8.60.

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INTRODUCTION

This section discusses:

- Purpose of this document.
- Related resources.

Purpose of This Document

This document provides a list of document updates since the generally available release of PeopleTools 8.60.

Related Resources

This section discusses resources that provide in-depth technical and functional information for new and enhanced functionality in the PeopleSoft PeopleTools 8.60 release. In many cases, the content in this document may have originated in the referenced documents.

PeopleSoft Planned Features and Enhancements

The PeopleSoft Planned Features and Enhancements document provides more functional details than the statement of direction, identifies major enhancements, and articulates the expected business benefit. This document is designed to help you determine whether new product features might warrant upgrading from an old release or embarking on a new implementation. With this information, managers will be able to initiate preliminary budget planning and begin putting together a project team to further evaluate specific products.

See Also

[PeopleSoft Planned Features and Enhancements](#)

Cumulative Feature Overview Tool

The Cumulative Feature Overview Tool helps you plan your upgrades by providing concise descriptions of new and enhanced solutions and functionality that have become available between your starting and target releases. You simply identify the products that you own, your existing release, and your target implementation release. With a single click, the tool quickly produces a customized set of high-level, concise descriptions of features that have been developed between your starting and target releases. In an easy-to-use, web-based format, you can easily manipulate and sort the results any way you wish, download the results to Microsoft Excel, or copy the content into other implementation planning documents.

See Also

[Cumulative Feature Overview Tool](#)

Video Feature Overviews

PeopleSoft creates Video Feature Overview webcasts developed by PeopleSoft Information Development with input from the PeopleSoft Development and Strategy organizations. These videos provide overviews of PeopleSoft features and functionality. This document also contains direct links to specific Video Feature Overviews in those sections where the features are being discussed.

You can view all of the Video Feature Overviews on our [YouTube Channel](#).

PeopleSoft Information Portal

The [PeopleSoft Information Portal](#) provides you with a single entry point to locate the documentation, training, and other useful information you need to help with your implementation process and improve your daily experience with our products. The portal includes release content, product data sheets, and links to online help and support.

Social Media

We invite you to subscribe to the following social media sites to be kept current on the latest news and information about PeopleSoft applications and technology:

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PEOPLETOOLS DOCUMENTATION UPDATES

This section provides a table listing the documentation updates since the generally available release of PeopleTools 8.60.

PEOPLEBOOK	PATH	DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE
General Information		
Accessibility Guide	Using PeopleSoft Accessibility Features, Navigating with the Keyboard	Updated the Navigating in the Rich Text Editor Using Shortcuts topic to include key combinations supported in CKEditor version 5.
Applications User's Guide	Using PeopleSoft Application Pages, Working with Rich Text Editor Fields	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updated the topic to include content and instructions for using CKEditor version 5. • Rich Text Editor supports the following image types: JPG, BMP, GIF, PNG, and SVG.
Applications User's Guide	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Working with Grids and Scroll Areas, Viewing Data in Original Layout Grids • Working with Grids and Scroll Areas, Viewing Data in Scrollable Layout Grids 	The description of the download-to-Excel functionality has been updated to include information that the grid data file is created in PeopleSoft middle tier, and it is safe to download the file.
Applications User's Guide	Working With the PeopleSoft Fluid User Interface, Working with Fluid Pages and Controls	The Personalize button is disabled on a stacked grid, however users can perform column sorting. Included an example about sorting multiple columns in a stacked grid.
Administrative Tools	Working with the automated PIA Interface, DeliveredConfigurationPlugins.html	Changed the properties env.kibana_port, env.kibana_use_ssl to env.insights_host, env.insights_port, env.insights_use_ssl.
Automated Configuration Management		
Data Management	Ensuring Data Integrity, Running SYSAUDIT	SEC-6 through SEC-9 were removed as duplicate. The resolutions for SEC-18 through SEC-20 were updated. SEC-21 was added.
System and Server Administration	Using Administration Utilities, PeopleTools Options	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The screenshot was updated. • The description for Background Disconnect Interval was changed to "This option is no longer in use."

PEOPLEBOOK	PATH	DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE
System and Server Administration	Enabling TLS-Only on WebLogic, Configuring Browsers for TLS	Removed Configuring Browsers for TLS.
System and Server Administration	Using the PSADMIN Command-Line Interface	Documented the -u feature_set option to enable or disable application server or Process Scheduler features.
System and Server Administration	Using the PSADMIN Command-Line Interface, Using the Application Server Commands.	Changed the order of the p_set values when using PSADMIN on the command-line to configure the application server.
Development Tools		
Application Designer Developer's Guide	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Creating Page Definitions, Setting Page Fields Properties for Controls Creating Page Definitions, Modifying the Rich Text Editor User Interface 	<p>Replaced the documentation of rich text editor version with CKEditor version 5.</p> <p>The following chapters were removed because the features are not supported in CKEditor version 5:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Creating Custom Plug-In Files for the Rich Text Editor Configuring Rich Text-Enabled Fields to Store Accented Western European Characters
Application Designer Developer's Guide	Creating Page Definitions, Setting Page Fields Properties for Controls	On fluid pages, the Text Only and Disabled Edit Control properties can be applied to edit boxes, drop-down list boxes, and check boxes.
Application Designer Developer's Guide	Creating Page Definitions, Modifying the Rich Text Editor User Interface	Rich Text Editor supports the following image types: JPG, BMP, GIF, PNG, and SVG.
Application Designer Developer's Guide	Using PeopleSoft Application Designer, Working with Definitions, Understanding Definitions	Added the Application Services definition.
Application Designer Developer's Guide	Using Scroll Areas, Scroll Bars, and Grids, Using Grids	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> After the user has applied personalization on the columns in a grid and saved the settings, if the system administrator inserts a column in the grid, the system preserves the user personalization and adds the newly inserted column as the last column in the grid for that user. The Allow Multi-Row Insert option (which appears on the Grid Properties page) is not supported and is ignored (if enabled) on fluid grids.

PEOPLEBOOK	PATH	DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE
Fluid User Interface Developer's Guide	Adding Page Controls, Working with Other Page Controls	The Personalize button is disabled on a stacked grid, however users can perform column sorting. Included an example about sorting multiple columns in a stacked grid.
Global Technology	Troubleshooting, Special International Characters Appear Corrupted in the View Log/Trace Files	Added a topic (Special International Characters Appear Corrupted in the View Log/Trace Files) with solutions to view special international characters correctly in the browser from the View Log/Trace link in Process Monitor.
Global Technology	Working With Language-Sensitive Application Data, Editing Data in Multiple Languages	Multi-language entry is not available for fluid.
PeopleCode API Reference	GlobalEventMapping Class	Documented the new PeopleCode class: GlobalEventMapping.
PeopleCode API Reference	Message Classes, Message Class Methods	Documented an existing method - OverrideRESTBaseURL. Also updated the parameter description in the OverrideURIResource method.
PeopleCode API Reference	PeopleSoft Search Framework Classes, SearchFilterGenerator Class Methods PeopleSoft Search Framework Classes, SearchQuery Class Properties	The BoostFilterScore method can be used to boost the score without performing a filter match. DisableScoreSort property is added to the SearchQuery class. BoostWithoutFilter property is added to the SearchFilterGenerator class.
PeopleCode API Reference	PeopleSoft Search Framework Classes, SearchFilterGenerator Class Properties, BoostWithoutFilter	Modified the property description to state that filters can also be applied and modified the code sample to include example of filters.
PeopleCode Developer's Guide	Using Methods and Built-in Functions, Implementing the Multi-Row Insert Feature	The Allow Multi-Row Insert option (which appears on the Grid Properties page) is not supported and is ignored (if enabled) on fluid grids.
PeopleCode Developer's Guide	Working with File Attachments, Understanding the File Attachment Functions	If the HTTP repository resides on a non-PeopleSoft web server, you need to ensure that the web server can handle file transfer security and requests. Additionally, you should ensure that the repository supports adding attachments (POST method), viewing attachments (GET method), and deleting attachments (DELETE method). If required, you may configure additional URL properties based on your business requirements using the URL maintenance page.
PeopleCode Language Reference	Meta-SQL Elements, Meta-SQL Reference	Documented the new meta-SQL: %ForUpdateOf
PeopleCode Language Reference	PeopleCode Built-in Functions and Language Constructs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Documented the new built-in function: TurnOffRTIFromProcess.

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The UserFileName parameter of the AddAttachment, DetachAttachment, and ViewAttachment built-in functions has a 64 character length restriction. That is, the file name for the user-selected file cannot be greater than 64 characters. The GetFile built-in function now returns a file-not-found error message if a file is not found at the specified location. When you use any of the DoModal* functions in component PreBuild or PostBuild PeopleCode event, do not use browser refresh to reload a page because the browser will throw an error.
PeopleCode Language Reference	System Variables, System Variables Reference, %Market	Added a section (Considerations Using %Market in Custom Buttons in Activity Guides) to state that %Market system variable resolves to no value when used in custom buttons in an activity guide.
Portal Technology	Configuring Event Mapping, Mapping Application Class PeopleCode to Component Events	Global event mapping enables you to map application class PeopleCode programs to the PostBuild event for all components at a global level.
Portal Technology	Using PeopleTools Branding Features, Working with CSS Variables	Added a new topic to describe the use of CSS variables that are delivered in the PT_CUSTOM_PROPS free form style sheet.
Search Technology	All	Search terminology changes from Elasticsearch to Search Engine/OpenSearch and Kibana to PeopleSoft Insights/OpenSearch Dashboards accordingly.
Search Technology	Administering Real Time Indexing, Configuring Real Time Indexing	Added a note regarding Real Time Indexing staging table limitations.
Search Technology	Defining Search Definition Queries, Testing Your Search Definition Query	Updated fields and controls screenshot.
Search Technology	Managing Configurable Search, Working with Configurable Search	<p>Revised the usage of the Required and Include in Criteria fields on the Search Configuration and the Add Configuration pages.</p> <p>On the PeopleTools Options page, the default value for search results is set to 100.</p>
Integration Tools		
Integration Broker Administration	Managing Integration Gateways, Understanding Integration Gateway Configuration, Integration Gateway	<p>Updated the list of compatible integration gateway/application server version combinations.</p> <p>Added a list of incompatible integration gateway/application server version combinations.</p>

PEOPLEBOOK	PATH	DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE
	Versions and Application Server Versions	
Integration Broker Administration	Setting Up Secure Integration Environments, Validating Security on Inbound Integrations	Added OAuth2 request verification options
Reporting Tools		
Process Scheduler	Using the PSADMIN Utility, Editing the PeopleSoft Process Scheduler Server File	Updated the SMTP section to add two rows 'SMTPTLSEnable' and 'SMTPTLSRequired'
Lifecycle Management Tools		
Change Assistant and Update Manager	Using Update Manager Dashboard, Integrating with Cumulative Feature Overview (CFO) Tool Change Assistant and Update Manager	The Upload an Applied bug report feature has been removed from the CFO tool, resulting in the removal of the Integrate with CFO Tool page from the Update Manager.
Test Framework	Installing and Configuring PTF, Installing a PTF Client	Documented instructions to uninstall old PTF Recorder extensions from Chrome and Microsoft Edge browsers. Added instructions to remove obsolete browser recorder extensions.
Setup Manager	Setup Manager Setup	Added requirements for Process Scheduler, Microsoft Office, and Microsoft Excel.

DOCUMENT CHANGE HISTORY

This section describes the changes made to this document after the initial posting. Please make a note of these changes if you have downloaded previous versions.

DATE	VERSION	CHANGE TO DOCUMENT
March 2023	1.00	Initial document posted.
July 2023	2.00	Subsequent update.
July 2024	3.00	Subsequent update.

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