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As soon as an Oracle Mobile Cloud Enterprise (OMCe) update becomes available to Oracle data centers, your instance of OMCe is upgraded accordingly. You don't need to request an upgrade to be able to use the new features — they come to you automatically.

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- Release 18.2.1 — May 2018
- Release 18.1.5 — March 2018

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Feature	Role	Find Out More
The Bots SDKs now provide a feature for "carousel scrolling", which allows your bots users to swipe through various options horizontally.	Developer	You can find the Bots SDKs on OTN here.
OMCe now allows you to gather analytics data from locations in China through the use of Baidu maps.	Developer	Adding Locations in China

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Want to use Azure as your third-party identity provider? Now that OMCe is providing support for a JWT-based token exchange service, you can. When your mobile app authenticates with an external identity provider through WS-Trust Federation, your app can exchange the JWT token for an OMCe JWT token.	Developer	JWT Tokens and Virtual Users guides you through the process.
Need a bigger payload for your rich text notifications? OMCe now supports FCM's (and GCM's) limit of up to 4K.	Developer	
When you create a new version of an existing artifact (backend, API, connector, or collection), you won't be prompted to enter information about backwards compatibility with previous versions. Whether you choose a major or minor incremental increase, OMCe no longer uses the version number to define compatibility between versions.	Developer	Understanding Lifecycles explains a bit more.
A new policy, Storage_CollectionsAllowAnonymous, enables you to provide anonymous access to the shared storage collections you specify. This is especially handy if, for example, you're using storage collections to deliver news updates to all users, even those that have not yet registered for an account or logged in.	Developer	See Adding Access Permissions for more info.
Curious about how your bots are performing? Through the use of custom components and the Analytics API, you can now gather the bots-related metrics that are most meaningful to you.	Developer	A new chapter, Bots Analytics, provides all the details.

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To make it easier to send and receive data from an external service, OMCe can now generate code that exposes the methods of your connector API, and provides a default implementation that you can supplement in the API Designer. This means that you need to write little to no code to get to the data you need.	Developer	Generating Custom APIs shows you how.

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