Requirements for Release Notes Automation

Process Steps

JIRA Standardization

Jira

Jira created and updated by
PLM, Engineering, & QA

Required Jira fields for
Jira type Defect, Epic, or Story:

Release Notes Required: Yes

Release Notes Description based on Defect Type
Example:
- Defect closed with code changes
- Defect closed without code changes
- Open defects
- Known Issues

Symptom: Brief summary of the defect. Example:
Random contracts are listed in the Contracts table
Condition: Detailed explanation of the defect. Example:
Random contracts appear in the Contract table after
unlinking the portal account.
Workaround: If applicable (this information is required
for defects closed with code changes). Describe the
workaround to fix the issue.

NOTE: Symptom and Condition CANNOT be the
same. If only Symptom or Condition is
applicable, provide information in the applicable
field.

Release Notes Draft Creation Requirements

Provide JQL for
each RN section to
InfoDev for each
project in Jira

Run the JQL
through Jira APIs

Release notes
generated as
markdown file

JQL for Defects Closed with Code Changes

JQL for Defects Closed without Code Changes

JQL for Open Defects

JQL for Known Issues and Limitations (if applicable)

JQL for any other general Release Notes content

Review and posting

First draft shared
with the team for
review

Engineering teams
to check and
review the Release
Notes for accuracy
and technical
information

InfoDev lead to
post the Release
Notes to web after
approval

InfoDev lead will be responsible for:
- quality checks to ensure consistency, style, grammar
- generating review link and sharing it with the team

Ownership

PLM, Engineering, and QA	JQL Queries supplied by QA	JQL Query Jira API set-up and run by Context Design	InfoDev

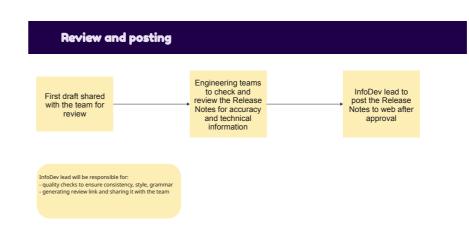## Example JQLs from XCO that work

Open Defect list:
project in ("Extreme Fabric Automation", XCO) AND issuetype in (Defect, ESR) AND status not in (Closed, Resolved, Done,
Testing, Returned) AND "Disclosure Status" = "Approved for Publication" AND ("Exclude From Document" not in (Yes) OR
"Exclude From Document" is EMPTY) ORDER BY key ASC

CWC Defect list:
"Target Version" = "XCO 3.8.0" AND issuetype in (Defect, ESR) AND "Disclosure Status" = "Approved for Publication" AND
status in (Closed, Resolved, Testing) AND resolution = "Resolved With Code" AND ("Exclude From Document" not in (Yes)
OR "Exclude From Document" is EMPTY) ORDER BY key ASC

CWOC Defect list:
"Target Version" = "XCO 3.8.0" AND issuetype in (Defect, ESR) AND "Disclosure Status" = "Approved for Publication" AND
status = Closed AND resolution = "Resolved Without Code" AND ("Exclude From Document" not in (Yes) OR "Exclude
From Document" is EMPTY) ORDER BY key ASC

No dedicated single project board in JIRA for Extreme
Platform ONE Networking
- For RNs, projects are divided into:
   - XCP
   - NVO
   - WS
   - Extreme AI Expert

All these projects currently **do not have** the Release
Notes Required = Yes field enabled

No standardized JQL for each project. The JQLs must be
highly specific for each project.

Need for separate stories for general release notes
content
- Introduction
- Prerequisites, if any
- Supported Applications or Supported Devices
- Features Supported
- Any caveats

Caveats from initial testing

The JIRA information is not being rendered or formatted in a
tabular format in our review tool. However, we hope to have
this fixed before EP1 Networking GA.