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## MS17-014: Description of the security update for SharePoint Foundation 2013: March 14, 2017

This security update contains improvements and fixes for the following non-security issues:

- When you browse to the action links of a question or answer (such as the Edit or Reply link) in a discussions list, no context of that message appear in the action links. Therefore, screen readers can't detect the context of the message that you focus on. The update adds a simple text string to all action links that are part of the message body.

- In an announcements list, the email attachment of an email item is lost if the attached .eml file title contains specific characters.

- After you enter and format text in a table of a content editor web part in a site in Internet Explorer, Internet Explorer scrolls the page unexpectedly.

- If your permission isn't enabled on the Manage Permissions page, you don't receive email notification as expected even if you are granted permissions.

- When you try to apply a filter to a list view, you receive the following error message if this view is grouped by a calculated column:

  SqlError: 'ORDER BY items must appear in the select list if SELECT DISTINCT is specified.

- After you migrate from classic-mode to claims-based authentication in Microsoft SharePoint 2013, you receive an exception when you try to access the SPFileVersion.CreatedBy property of a document.

- When the subject line of a SharePoint alert email is longer than 75 characters and contains a mix of single-byte and double-byte characters, a carriage return line feed (CLRF) can occur between the two bytes of a double-bite character, causing the string to get corrupted..

- Headings structure is incorrect in blogs basic view.

- When you start a crawl for a web application that's migrated from SharePoint Server 2010, the crawl fails, and the content isn't searchable. This issue occurs because the connector retrieves the TenantId property two times.

- When you open a document in Word Web App, you receive the following error message if there are special characters in the URL of the document:

  Sorry, there was a problem and we can't open this document.

- When you try to restore a site that's backed up in a site collection, you receive the following error message if the site collection lock is set to No Access:

  Access to the web site has been blocked. The site isn't accessible and isn't displayed on Central Admin.

- It's difficult for a screen reader to understand the structure between sections on a discussion board because there's only one heading. This update adds h2 and h3 labels to discussion boards for better screen reading.

- In SharePoint Server 2013 on-premises, you can't not be redirected to SharePoint Online to create sites.

## March 14, 2017, update for SharePoint Server 2013 (KB3178644)

- Translates some terms in multiple languages to make sure that the meaning is accurate.

## March 14, 2017, update for SharePoint Server 2013 (KB3162061)

- Improves the cache update efficiency of the Alternative Access Mapping (AAM) feature in a search.

- Adds translations for several group membership strings in multiple languages.

- Translates some terms in multiple languages to make sure that the meaning is accurate.

- This update fixes the following issues:

- After you run the Spelling Check function for an element on a form, focus goes to the background page instead of the element on the current form.

- SafeHTML does not support the tel: protocol.

- When you start a crawl for a web application that's migrated from SharePoint Server 2010, the crawl fails and the content isn't searchable. This issue occurs because the connector retrieves the TenantId property for two times.

- When you issue a query to a remote SharePoint farm, the query fails and you receive the following error message:

  Something went wrong.

  This issue occurs after you install November 8, 2016, update for SharePoint Server 2013 (KB3127928).

- Assume that you set English as the default language and another language as the second language for a site collection. After you rename an item by using the second language in the site collection, the quick launch menu and site navigation may not be displayed. This issue occurs because the language packs aren't loaded into the cache correctly.

- When you use the user interface (UI) to enter the value of the managed metadata column of a list, the managed metadata field picker and the text box are aligned in separate rows

instead of one row. In this situation, more space is taken than before. This issue occurs after you install [July 12, 2016, update for SharePoint Foundation 2013 (KB3115297)](#).

- When you export eDiscovery search results, preserved attachments aren't exported.

- Assume that you work in a multi-farm environment (a SharePoint Server 2013 environment that has publishing and consuming farms). When you click a followed site in the Newsfeed on My Site, you receive a 404 error because of an invalid URL.

- In a SharePoint Server 2013 on-premises environment, you can't be redirected to SharePoint Online to create sites.

## MS17-014: Description of the security update for Excel Services on SharePoint Server 2013: March 14, 2017

This security update resolves vulnerabilities in Microsoft Office that could allow remote code execution if a user opens a specially crafted Office file. To learn more about these vulnerabilities, see Microsoft Security Bulletin MS17-014.

## March 14, 2017, update for Project Server 2013 (KB3178625)

- Updates the translations to make sure that the meaning of the word "Drivers" is correct in Project Server.

  This update fixes the following issues:

- You can't create resources by using the client-side object model (CSOM) if a resource custom field is required.

- When you use the **Add Yourself to a Task** function, all projects that you have access to are displayed even if there are no tasks in the project to select. This can cause a performance issue. Now, the project manager can lock the project summary task, and publish the project so that the given project isn't displayed as a candidate project to the team member.

- When you browse PWA pages that have HTML grids in standard mode in Internet Explorer 8 or in enterprise mode in Internet Explorer, you can't scroll pages because the scroll bars don't appear.

- If a project-level lookup table value that's assigned to a project is later deleted from the lookup table definition, you can't use the CSOM code to load the project and its custom fields included.

- Assume that you have a server event driven code that responds to status approvals. If a status update is accepted while the project is checked out, the CancelReason returns the default error instead of the error specific to the problem.

## March 14, 2017, update for SharePoint Server 2016 (KB3178675)

- Adds translations for several group membership strings in multiple languages.

- Adds error messages for the exceptions of taxonomy replication and migration.

- Updates the translations to make sure that the meaning of the word "Drivers" is correct in Project Server.

## March 14, 2017, update for SharePoint Server 2016 (KB3178672)

- Adds the Web Service Definition Language (WSDL) proxy files for Project Server 2016.

- Adds translations for several group membership strings in multiple languages.

- Adds error messages for the exceptions of taxonomy replication and migration.

  This update fixes the following issues:

- Some database views in the reporting schema such as the pjrep.MSP_EpmProject_UserView are missing and they can't be recreated.

- Spelling check does not provide suggestions or correct misspelled words in a calendar app.

- You can't add dimensions or measures to an OLAP cube definition if there is more than one PWA instance defined in a given web app.

- OLAP cube builds times don't follow the requested pattern. For example, if you set a cube to be built hourly, there are some hours where the cube isn't built.

- If you apply a filter that uses the **Does not Contain** filter test to a project that you are editing in Project Web App, tasks that have the filtered characters are still displayed.

- Administrative tasks should not be auto approved if the timesheet owner has the Adjust Timesheet permission.

- On the OLAP Database Management page, you can't set a new default OLAP database, or enable or disable existing databases if you have more than one PWA instance on the server.

- Previously, files are copied side-by-side if the EnableSideBySide setting is true. Now, files are copied side-by-side regardless of the EnableSideBySide setting.

- An issue that occurs when you pipe Set-SPContentDatabase with Get-SPContentDatabase.

- Adds more logs to diagnose the issue in which a farm server turns to the Upgrade Required status after a successful run of psconfig with the No Action Required server status.

- It's difficult for a screen reader to understand the structure between sections on a discussion board. This is because there is only one heading. This update adds h2 and h3 labels to the discussion board for better screen reading.