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SAP® Business ByDesign

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In May, the second SAP Business ByDesign release of 2020, SAP will make new features available, focusing on improvements in the logistics and supply chain areas, resource management, compliance and partner provided solutions.

Experis Ciber is actively helping clients to stay current and involved in making the best use of new functionality.

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Look at the timing and learn about the second release of 2020.

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We keep you informed about new features, changed elements and everything that can improve your business day.

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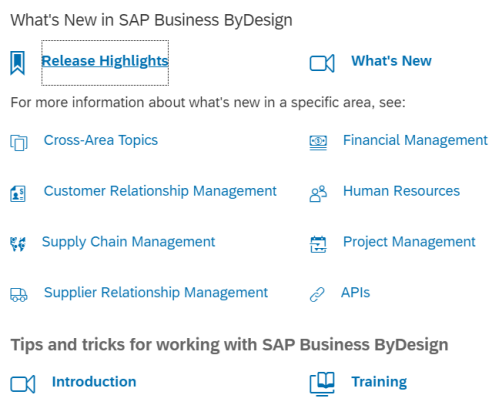
TIMING

On the 2nd of May 2020, all SAP Business ByDesign Demo and Test System Tenants will get the release 2005 implemented.

Usually without major disruption of the system's existing functionality, changes are implemented and readily available.

The changes will then be made available in the Productive Tenant two weeks later: Between 16th and 17th May 2020.



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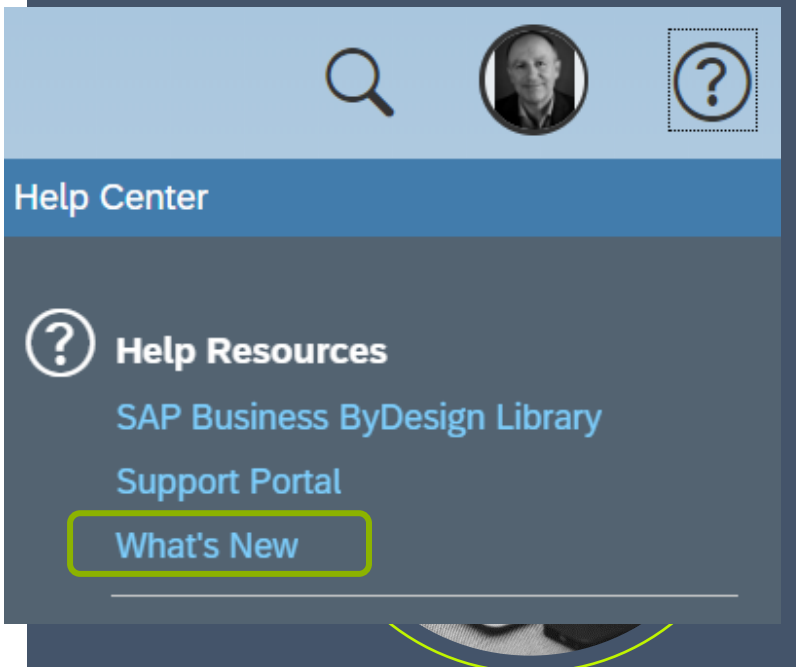
The May Release is always highly anticipated. Usually this is the moment of the year where major changes appear: Re-designed mobile apps, GDPR compliance tools and reporting, new features for IFRS Leasing, new languages & country versions, new KPI and reporting design, and the list continues.

SAP is letting the client speak and picks up suggestions to improve the user experience and general functionality via the "Influence SAP" portal.

The SAP Business ByDesign Road Map "highlights" a couple of new country specific features, added compliance in areas that need constant attention and improvement in the user experience.

But no promises are made!

Therefore, the SAP Team from Experis Ciber recommends catching the new features via the Help Center item "What's New". A simple click on that link will bring Release Highlights and information with reference to specific functional areas to your attention.



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WATCH OUT FOR THIS!

It is not the first time that we have heard about a sluggish system behavior right after the release. And it is true, system performance can appear a bit slower than usual on the first day after the release. But for most people it is barely noticeable and all will be back to normal on the second day.

SAP is issuing a number blog updates and videos to promote the new features of a release. Make sure to stop by and have a look:

- SAP Blogs about SAP Business ByDesign
- SAP Help Center: Release Highlights
- SAP Community
- SAP Business ByDesign Community

Watch out for the messages sent by SAP to the IT Contact and the SAP Partner Contact before the release dates. The names and e-mail addresses are found in the workcenter “Service Control Center - Contact Details”. Adding other people to that list is easy and done right there.

WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?

This is what you can do:

- Check the release videos and blogs published by SAP once they are made available (see page 3 of this newsletter on where to find them).
- Log on to your test tenant and try the new functionality.
- Share your experience with other team members in your company.
- Discuss the option to make use of the new functionality.

Admittedly, some new features are available only after performing configuration steps.

This is what we can do for you:

- Experis Ciber's SAP team can schedule individual webinars and show you how to activate new functionality and features.
- Invite you to the official SAP release webinars.

Get in touch with us!

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