



What's New

Note

Before using this information and the product it supports, read the information in "Notices," on page 5.

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API

The following improvements have been made in this release of the API.

Performance

The overall performance of the API has been improved for forms containing the date format.

There is a server-side processing performance improvement for forms containing either an XForms model or an XML model.

updateXFormsInstance

The new **updateXFormsInstance** supplants **replaceXFormsInstance**. This function allows developers to insert data anywhere within the XForms instance data, or replace it entirely. The **updateXFormsInstance** function automatically updates the XForms data model.

Webform Server

The following improvements have been made in this release of Webform Server. For detailed information on these improvements, see the *Workplace Forms™ Server - Webform Server Administration Manual* and the *Workplace Forms Server - Webform Server Best Practices Guide*.

Note: Improvements to the API may also affect Webform Server. For detailed information about new features and improvements in the API, see “API” on page 1.

Accessibility

Webform Server now includes an accessibility mode. Forms viewed using this mode conform to conformance level Double-A of the W3C Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 1.0.

The user can enter assistive Wizard mode by clicking the **Toggle Wizard Mode** button. If the user’s browser does not have JavaScript™ enabled, the user is automatically prompted to either enable JavaScript or enter assistive Wizard mode.

This mode displays a single form item within the browser and provides controls for the user to easily display the next item or previous item in the form.

Portal 6.0 support

Webform Server can now render forms within IBM® WebSphere® Portal 6.0.

Appendix. Notices

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