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Oracle Application Testing Suite Statement of Direction

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Purpose statement

This document provides an overview of the future direction of Oracle Application Testing Suite. It is intended solely to help you assess the business benefits of upgrading to the latest release and to plan your I.T. projects.

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Executive Summary

This document provides an overview of Oracle Application Testing Suite's Statement of Direction. It is intended solely to provide guidance on the future direction of the product and the options you have to protect your investment.

- Premier support for Oracle Application Testing Suite 13.x is currently available until June 2022.
- It is recommended to all customers to upgrade to Oracle Application Testing Suite 13.3.0.1 and to apply the latest Critical Patch Updates which are released quarterly to receive the latest security related fixes.
- After June 2022, Oracle will continue its investment in Oracle Application Testing Suite only for those customers needing to test E-Business Suite. The planned timeframe for this continued investment is expected to be aligned with the duration that E-Business Suite is under Premier Support.
- Oracle Application Testing Suite Lifetime Support Dates may be modified such that existing customers and new customers will be covered if they are also EBS customers.

Oracle Application Testing Suite Releases and Direction

Oracle Application Testing Suite 13.1.0.1 shipped in 2017 was the last major release. Since then, two minor releases 13.2.0.1 and 13.3.0.1 were released with only smaller sets of new features. After 13.3.0.1 was released only Critical Patch Updates have been delivered which have included security bug fixes and other critical bug fixes. Subsequent releases or patches of Oracle Application Testing Suite may (in addition to security and other critical bug fixes) contain support for:

- New versions of supported Browsers (Firefox ESR, Chrome, Edge) released since most recent OATS release.
- New versions of supported Java JRE Releases released since most recent OATS release.
- New versions of supported Oracle Databases released since most recent OATS release.
- New versions of supported Microsoft Windows and Oracle Linux Operating Systems released since most recent OATS release.

Conclusion

E-Business Suite customers can continue to depend on Oracle Application Testing Suite for their functional and load testing needs. Customers looking to test other applications besides E-Business Suite should look for other testing tool alternatives.



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