

StoragePoint 6.5

Release Notes



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Version 6.5 Release Notes

Introduction

Quest continues to refine StoragePoint with customer-requested improvements and fixes for implementation issues.

These release notes provide information on feature additions, enhancements, and fixed issues in this release.

WHAT'S NEW

- Externalization, Migration, and Recall jobs initiated from the StoragePoint UI and from the PowerShell console are now scheduled via the StoragePoint Job Queue feature (556838).
- Investigated the revival of the Metalogix Storage Expert Tool (532480).
- Added support for AWS Authentication for the HitachiS3 adapter (534190).
- Added support for Windows Server 2025 (556688).
- Removed support for new profiles scoped at the web application level (556182).
- Updated StoragePoint encryption to enhance security and compliance on new endpoints (556942).
- Upgraded AWSSDK components to version 3.7 (554479).
- Removed support for the SharePoint 2013 platform (550010).
- Implemented Endpoint Performance Metrics Collector timer job (551779).
- Updated the StoragePoint crypto library to enhance security (556942).

FIXED ISSUES

Module	Description	Work Item	Case No.
Job Status	StoragePoint jobs web page times out on large environments with hundreds of profiles. The StoragePoint History Cleaner timer job now supports a configurable setting to retain a minimum number of job records per profile.	554914	02612545
License	Public sector data or signature is corrupted.	551792	CR-78064

Module	Description	Work Item	Case No.
PowerShell	<code>Invoke-RecallItem</code> cmdlet does not work on the StoragePoint library scope.	555871	CR-90360
Storage Profiles	Newly created profiles keep displaying a prompt to create a master key.	552336	CR-79181
Timer Jobs	Bulk Recall Jobs for Personal Sites and large site collections do not progress as expected.	551345	CR-74455
Timer Jobs	Content Migrator timer job slows down update functions on lists or libraries in all site collections in a content database.	552668	CR-80850
Timer Jobs	Content Migrator timer job fails to process enough items, causing environment slowdowns.	553829	CR-83935
Restored Data	StoragePoint disk replication causes some documents to be unreachable.	548216	CR-70405

Version 6.4 Release Notes

Introduction

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WHAT'S NEW

Added notification if BLOB Health Analyzer and Unused BLOB Cleanup jobs have not been run for a specified time (544563)

Quest re-branding (536589)

Support for Timer Job queues. See Queue Jobs in the [StoragePoint PowerShell and API Reference Guide](#) for more. (534156)

Optimization of "fetch phase" of the Content Migrator job (542041)

BLOB Recall Analyze & Estimate enhancements (526769)

Updated EULA (533860)

Deprecation of IBM Tivoli adapter

FIXED ISSUES

Module	Description	Work Item	Case No.
General Settings	When selecting server in "Allow changes on MinRole Topology", the server didn't show/add to job server list	540671	CR-58340
Large File Uploads	Only the site collection administrators are able to see the Upload Large Files button	539649	CR-56079
Timer Jobs	High memory queries running, using 85GB	546748	CR-67056

Version 6.3 Release Notes

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WHAT'S NEW

Added support for common authentication types (Integrated Windows Auth, Kerberos, Form Based Auth. (FBA) and Trusted Identity provider) with SSO sessions (516692)

"App Management Service" service enumeration excluded from enumeration during "connected service accounts" scan (531409)

Support for use of FQDN for DELL EMC/ECS/S3 (531838)

New upgrade path has been defined (535427)

FIXED ISSUES

Module	Description	Work Item	Case No.
Endpoints	Incorrect endpoint size and blob count on dashboard	125168	
Storage Profiles	Unable to convert web app level profiles to database level StoragePoint profiles	535149	CR-51482
Timer Jobs	Backup sync timer jobs do not run correctly	519027	CR-42144
	UBC job fails with Linked Server Authentication	535396	CR-51915

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WHAT'S NEW

StoragePoint now supports SharePoint Subscription Edition (518356)

FIXED ISSUES

Module	Description	Work Item	Case No.
Database	Content DB Profiles do not assign DB Perms to App Pool Identity.	468915	4736759-1
PowerShell	BlobHealthAnalyser SA does not have same UseTempDB option as UBC SA.	525721	
	Set-BLOBRecallJob cmdlet cannot use JobScope filter.	531469	CR-45631
Storage Profiles	Creating a Metadata Rule where the modified date is less than (<) is causing error.	530446	CR-45175
Timer Jobs	Timeout Error Blob - issues with preparing multiple content databases for recall.	520829	5059333-1
	Optimization of three profile timer jobs.	512635	4982186-1

Version 6.1.1 Release Notes

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WHAT'S NEW

Message 'Grant LinkedServer privileges' was added to UBC exception handling (524886)

FIXED ISSUES

Module	Description	Work Item	Case No.
Storage Profiles	Archiving rule not allowing selection of AND/OR conditions between aging definition and metadata criteria.	523399	

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FIXED ISSUES

Module	Description	Work Item	Case No.
Dashboard	Profile and Endpoint Dashboard Tab rework/removal	507839	
Endpoints	DELL ECS Adapter fixes	515297	4997786-1
	Profile endpoint filter does not work correctly when metadata filter with no rule was persisted with OR operator	521955	
Licensing	Clarification on counting WFEs for licensing regarding services and Central Admin	514098	4994489-1
PowerShell	Librarian configuration now available in PowerShell and API	480853	
	Clarification added to timer jobs about required fields	506177	4963125-1
	Reimplement Get-License cmdlet to get StoragePoint API license object	514048	
	JobScope parameter added to some timer jobs	505514	4913695-1
Support	SharePoint 2016 to SharePoint 2019 Update Guide available	517178	5033940-1
Timer Jobs	Updates to Standalone BHA application	482197, 487451, 503670	4757343-1, 4817085-1, 4757343-1
	Linked Server Context logic for BLOB Migrate	502341, 514673	
	Stagger Backup Sync jobs	519027	5053235-1

Module	Description	Work Item	Case No.
	Improvements to the UBC job processing	519051, 519624	5056364-1
	Validation on Special Characters preventing externalization	519588	

Version 6.0 Release Notes

WHAT'S NEW

Archiving by Retained Version has been removed (except on SharePoint 2010) as of this release. Information Management Policy in Archiving configuration has also been removed from this release. (273819, 484121)

Improved performance for Profile Timer and Farm-wide Timer Jobs: BLOB Health Analyzer, Unused BLOB Cleanup, BLOB Migrator and Content Queue Migrator. (372678)

- The main difference is a swap from disk based SQL processing on longer running jobs. This will reduce dependency on the TempDB.
- UBC can update missing profile tracking table records such as Site Id and Doc ID before scanning.
- Content Queue Migrator logic is improved to address items without errors, and then items with errors.
- Linked SQL Server architectures are better supported.

Retention settings for the Amazon S3 adapter were added. (462124)

This will be the final release containing support for SharePoint 2010.

FIXED ISSUES

Module	Description	Work Item	Case No.
Dashboard	Error no longer raised for Show All Endpoints	322014	
License	Having TLS1.2 only on .net and browser caused license verification to fail	438600	
	Managed Users was added to the License Page.	467810	
	Removed override feature in the license activation screen	478143	
PowerShell	Blob health analyzer - can now change notification settings via powershell.	491522	
	Unused blob cleanup job - jobs scheduled via PowerShell were not running.	497101	
User Interface	Metalogix Archive Adapter removed for SharePoint 2016 and 2019.	440203	
	STP-details is missing for attached files on Modern UI in SharePoint 2019	453869	

Module	Description	Work Item	Case No.
	Large File was displayed as a normal file(icon) and with the aspx extension in SharePoint 2019 modern UI when StoragePoint is upgraded	470436	
	Folder structure logic was broken in Modern Experience when externalized files were moved using Move option in SP2019	472216	
	Expanding UI section with configuration options for Archiving, Records, Holds and BLOB Backup configuration on profile load.	479635	
Endpoints	Now able to migrate BLOB with name containing special "bidirectional" character(s)	473340	
	HCP 9.2 certification	484854	
	Clarification on retiring backup endpoints	504753	
Timer Jobs	UBC job now removes Large Files with long names	505743	
	Large Files moving out of System Cache	497696	4871659-1
	Retention for deleted BLOB history is increased	506739	
	Not all log files were being included in zip for Log File collector	415957	
	Timer Job Status page was not up to date.	422097	4439252-1
	Slow running of UBC timer job in high volume environments remedied	434379	171157-1
	Content Migrator job incorrectly processed SP document migrations (1st phase) still linked with "gradually deleted" site collections	456878	
	Calculation for Externalization Analyze&Estimate functionality is now accurate	488004	
	Concurrently scheduled StoragePoint BLOB Backup Sync jobs were processed synchronously	500690	4880041-1
Installer	Changes to server role detection	499819	
	Installer timeout field clarified	500751	
File Share Librarian	Selecting more sub folders after initial configuration has cataloged content is now supported.	409266	
	Sitecollection Root website was shown in classic view when it is created by librarian on a site using modern UI	452785	
	Could not select database in Fileshare Librarian configuration (scrolling error)	477098	

Version 5.9.2 Release Notes

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With this release of StoragePoint, most of the updates are improvements in processing and in RBS support.

FIXED ISSUES

Module	Description	Work Item	Case No.
Dashboard	Minor user interface updates	447807, 447808, 447809, 447824	
License	Capacity thresholds for Error and Warning updated	458090	
	License Page updated. Individual endpoint adapters no longer listed.	433413	
PowerShell	SharePoint API now returns real server information instead of SQL alias	458939	
	Powershell scripts for disabling and enabling timer jobs added to the Upgrade guides.	460542	4663398-1
User Interface	Modern UI in SharePoint 2019 no longer displays Large File as a normal file	453125	
	No longer getting object reference on System Health Report	448054	
Timer Jobs	Job Status Page was not up to date	422097	4439252-1
	Unused BLOB Cleanup with scope filtering no longer leaving BLOBs behind.	457078	
	Per-Server Maintenance job now working on a per-server scope	455818	
	Recall Job Summary - Summary now displays correct scope when using filter	431142	
Large File Uploads	Large File Upload no longer displays as a regular file icon in SharePoint 2019 modern UI.	470436	
EBS to RBS Conversion	SharePoint 2010 Only - Currently recalled content will be externalized during conversion if the content is within the scope of the profile, and no endpoint filters are added to exclude the content.	470481	

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