



## **Release notes**

### SnapCenter software

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Learn about the new and enhanced features available in SnapCenter 6.2.

For a complete list of new features and enhancements, see [What's new in SnapCenter 6.2](#).

For details about known issues, limitations, fixed issues, and new and changed commands, see the [SnapCenter Software 6.2 Release Notes](#). You must sign in with your NetApp account or create an account to access the Release Notes.

## What's new in SnapCenter software 6.2

The 6.2 release of SnapCenter software includes the following new feature.

Update	Description
Support for ASA r2 systems	<p>SnapCenter 6.2 (server and plug-ins) along with ONTAP 9.17.1 supports both primary and secondary protection of applications running on physical systems (Linux and Windows) and Virtual Machine File Systems (VMFS) utilizing hierarchical consistency groups.</p> <p>After you upgrade to SnapCenter 6.2 and ONTAP 9.17.1, SnapCenter changes flat consistency groups to hierarchical consistency groups during the first scheduled backup.</p>

## BlueXP is now NetApp Console

The NetApp Console, built on the enhanced and restructured BlueXP foundation, provides centralized management of NetApp storage and NetApp Data Services across on-premises and cloud environments at enterprise grade—delivering real-time insights, faster workflows, and simplified administration, that is highly secure and compliant.

For details on what has changed, see the [NetApp Console release notes](#).

## Supported upgrade paths for SnapCenter

The upgrade path shows which SnapCenter versions you can upgrade from and which plug-in versions are supported.



If you upgrade SnapCenter Server to 6.2, also upgrade the plug-ins to 6.2.

If you are on SnapCenter Server version...	You can directly upgrade SnapCenter Server to...	Supported plug-in versions
6.0	6.0.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 6.0</li> <li>• 6.0.1</li> </ul>
	6.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 6.1</li> </ul>
	6.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 6.2</li> </ul>
6.0.1	6.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 6.1</li> </ul>
	6.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 6.2</li> </ul>
6.1	6.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 6.2</li> </ul>

For information about upgrading the SnapCenter Plug-in for VMware vSphere, see [Upgrade SnapCenter Plug-in for VMware vSphere](#).

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