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Chapter 1: Suggested General Interest Guides

The following documents provide information that is of interest to all users of PPM Center. These documents can be made accessible from the Documentation Library page by your PPM Center administrator. These documents are also available from the HP Software Product Manuals Web site.

- · Getting Started
- · What's New and What's Changed
- HP-Supplied Entities Guide (summarizes the HP-provided reports, portlets, request types, and workflows)

Chapter 2: Suggested User Guides

The following documents provide end-user information for the various application modules or solutions available with PPM Center. These documents can be made accessible from the Documentation Library page by your PPM Center administrator. These documents are also available from the HP Software Product Manuals Web site.

- Application modules:
 - HP Demand Management User's Guide
 - HP Deployment Management User's Guide
 - HP Financial Management User's Guide (includes configuration information)
 - HP Portfolio Management User's Guide
 - HP Program Management User's Guide
 - HP Project Management User's Guide
 - HP Resource Management User's Guide (includes configuration information)
 - HP Time Management User's Guide

The last chapter of the *Document Management Guide and Reference* includes information that may also be of interest.

Chapter 3: Suggested System Administration Guides

The following documents provide information that is useful for deploying PPM Center. These documents can be made accessible from the Documentation Library page by your PPM Center administrator. These documents are also available from the HP Software Product Manuals Web site.

- Overview of Platform Support
- Release Notes
- · Installation and Administration Guide
- System Requirements and Compatibility Matrix
- Upgrade Guide
- Multilingual User Interface Guide
- · Security Guide
- Document Management Guide and Reference (also includes end user information in the last chapter)
- · Latest Patch Release Notes, as applicable
- · Latest Language Pack Release Notes, as applicable

Chapter 4: Suggested Configuration Guides

The following documents provide configuration information for the application modules or solutions available with PPM Center. These documents can be made accessible from the Documentation Library page by your PPM Center administrator. These documents are also available from the HP Software Product Manuals Web site.

- · Application modules:
 - Creating Portlets and Modules (for configurators and end users)
 - Customizing the Standard Interface (for PPM Center administrators)
 - HP Demand Management Configuration Guide
 - HP Deployment Management Configuration Guide
 - HP Financial Management User's Guide (includes configuration information)
 - HP Portfolio Management Configuration Guide
 - HP Program Management Configuration Guide
 - HP Project Management Configuration Guide
 - HP Resource Management User's Guide (includes configuration information)
 - HP Time Management Configuration Guide

The following guides may also be of interest when configuring PPM Center:

- · Generating Fiscal Periods
- Multilingual User Interface Guide

Chapter 5: Suggested Reference Guides

The following documents provide reference information that is relevant to the application modules available with PPM Center. These documents can be made accessible from the Documentation Library page by your PPM Center administrator. These documents are also available from the HP Software Product Manuals Web site.

- Commands, Tokens, and Validations Guide and Reference
- Data Model Guide
- Open Interface Guide and Reference
- Reports Guide and Reference
- Reporting Meta Layer Guide and Reference
- · Security Model Guide and Reference
- Web Services Guide
- Web Services Programmer's Guide
- RESTful Web Services Guide

Chapter 6: Suggested Supplemental Product Guides

The following documents provide information for products that work with PPM Center. These documents can be made accessible from the Documentation Library page by your PPM Center administrator. These documents are also available from the HP Software Product Manuals Web site.

- HP Solution Integrations Guide
- HP Deployment Management Extension for Oracle E-Business Suite Guide
- HP Deployment Management Extension for Oracle Technology Guide
- HP GL Migrator Guide
- HP Object Migrator Guide

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Caution: This section applies to the old "customizable" documentation library only.

Note: PPM Center version 9.30 introduced a new framework for the PPM Documentation Library, which does not support customization. However, you can still customize your own documentation library by switching back to the old framework. The customizable documentation library is still placed under the <*PPM_Home*>/pdf/ directory. For more information, see *Customizing the Standard Interface*.

Your PPM Center administrator can create custom documents that are specific to your organization's implementation of PPM Center and make them accessible from the Documentation Library page. Typical administrator-created document topics could include, but are not limited to, the following:

- · Lists of PPM Center contacts
- Processes and procedures for using PPM Center
- PPM Center training presentations
- Guidelines for PPM Center application configuration and administration

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