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This document is an overview of the changes made to HPE VM Explorer for the 6.7 release. For more information about which VM Explorer version is best suited to your needs, consult our website, at https://software.microfocus.com/en-us/products/vm-server-backup/overview.

New Features in This Release

VM Explorer 6.7 provides you with a number of enhancements and fixes designed to help you expand your storage capabilities and better perform your tasks.

The enhancements in HPE VM Explorer 6.7 include:

- HPE 3PAR StoreServ storage snapshot support, below
- · New filtering available for File Explorer, below
- · Update to the latest technologies, below

HPE 3PAR StoreServ storage snapshot support

VM Explorer 6.7 introduces support for HPE 3PAR StoreServ storage snapshots. By leveraging storage snapshots, VM Explorer can reduce load on the hypervisor host when performing backups.

NOTE: Like any other SAN infrastructure, HPE VM Explorer 3PAR StoreServ support is only provided for the Enterprise version of HPE VM Explorer.

New filtering available for File Explorer

VM Explorer now features a new filtering capability, enabling the ability to search for one or more specific files within the **File Explorer** view. This is especially helpful when dealing with large file systems when performing a file level recovery. You can also leverage wildcards (*) in the filter.

Update to the latest technologies

To keep you up-to-date with the latest technologies, VM Explorer 6.7 leverages the latest VMware VDDK version: 6.5. OpenBSD v6.1 is now supported as a storage target. Also, as of this release, VM Explorer no longer supports VMware ESX/ESXi/vCenter versions prior to 5.5 (4.0, 4.1, 5.0, 5.1).

Fixed Defects in This Release

The following defects have been resolved in the HPE VM Explorer 6.7 release. For more information about fixed defects, visit HPE Software Support Online, or contact your HPE Support representative directly.

Title: File Level Restore from a folder with a large amount of files caused the system to halt

Description: When attempting to perform a File Level Restore from a backup with a large number of files the process would take too long before stopping without performing the task.

Title: Issue when performing a File Level Restore of a Microsoft Exchange Server item from an incremental backup stored on HPE StoreOnce Catalyst

Description: When attempting to perform a File Level Restore of a Microsoft Exchange Server item from a Microsoft Hyper-V 2012 R2 host to an HPE StoreOnce Catalyst storage target, the task would not open the virtual disk file.

Title: Issue performing incremental backups on Microsoft Hyper-V when the backup configuration file is greater than 20MB

Description: An issue occurred when performing incremental backups on Microsoft Hyper-V and the configuration file was greater than 20 MB. HPE VM Explorer no longer has any limitations on the size of the configuration files.

Title: Issue when browsing an HTTPS certificate in other language than English

Description: An issue occurred when browsing the HTTPS certificate for HPE VM Explorer running on an Operating System in the Czech language. Installed certificates are now displayed properly and any errors that may occur are displayed accordingly.

Title: VSS file changes size after snapshot and it is not downloaded correctly

Description: The VSS file would change size after a snapshot and would not download correctly. Now the file is added to the list which is updated after the snapshot for correct sizing. This update has also been included in HPE VM Explorer Agent incremental backups.

Title: Non-explicit message displayed during an ESXi backup/replication when the target datastore did not exist

Description: When performing a backup/replication on a datastore that no longer existed, HPE VM Explorer displayed a non-meaningful error. The message is now more descriptive of the error encountered.

Title: Performing an incremental VM backup with Raw Mapped LUN disks triggers an "Object reference not set" error

Description: When editing or performing a backup of a VM with Raw Mapped LUN disks, the operation triggered an "Object reference not set" error.

Obsolescence Plans

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