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The following table provides an overview of the significant updates for the new features and functionality documented in this guide:

**Table 1: New and Changed in Cisco Intersight Virtual Appliance**

| When Updated  | Feature/Funtionality                                 | Description  | Where Documented   |
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| November 2021 | Configuring Account Settings                         | Updated the Configuring Account Settings task to include information about the Audit Logs Retention Period field.                      | <a href="#">Configuring Account Settings</a>                       |
| October 2021  | Setting Up Intersight Virtual Appliance              | Added new tasks for setting up Intersight Connected Virtual Appliance, Intersight Private Virtual Appliance, and Intersight Assist.    | <a href="#">Setting Up Intersight Virtual Appliance</a>            |
|               | Recovering Intersight Virtual Appliance              | Added new tasks that provides information on how to recover Intersight Virtual Appliance.  | <a href="#">Recovering Intersight Virtual Appliance</a>            |
|               | Updating the Intersight Virtual Appliance Software   | Added tasks that provide information on how to update Intersight Connected Virtual Appliance and Intersight Private Virtual Appliance. | <a href="#">Updating the Intersight Virtual Appliance Software</a> |
| July 2021     | Enhancement to Intersight Virtual Appliance Settings | Updated the configuring external syslog task to include support for UDP and TCP protocols, in addition to the existing TLS protocol.   | <a href="#">Configuring External Syslog</a>                        |
|               |  | Updated the role creation task to include information on configuring the maximum number of concurrent sessions per role.               | <a href="#">Adding a Role</a>                                      |

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| May 2021      | Enhancement to Intersight Virtual Appliance Settings                            | Updated the task that provides information on how to download software packages for Intersight Virtual Appliance.  | <a href="#">Downloading Software Packages for Intersight Virtual Appliance</a>   |
|               | Configuring NTP Servers   | Updated the task that provides information on how to configure a NTP server.   | <a href="#">Configuring NTP</a>  |
| February 2021 | Enhancements to Intersight Virtual Appliance Settings                           | Added a new task that includes information about configuring password policy for local users.<br><br>Added a new task that includes information about configuring a banner message for displaying before the login screen. | <a href="#">Configuring Password Policy for Local Users</a><br><br><a href="#">Configuring a Banner Message for Displaying Before the Login Screen</a> |
|               | Installing Appliance on KVM Hypervisor  | Added a new task that provides information on how to install Cisco Intersight Virtual Appliance on KVM Hypervisor.   | <a href="#">Installing Cisco Intersight Virtual Appliance on KVM Hypervisor</a>  |
| January 2021  | Enhancement to Intersight Virtual Appliance Settings                            | Added a new task that includes information about updating Intersight Intelligence for Intersight Virtual Appliance.  | <a href="#">Updating Intersight Intelligence for Intersight Connected Virtual Appliance</a>  |
|               | All Device claims and inventory is now under <b>ADMIN-&gt;Targets</b> in the UI | Updated the task to ensure that it captures all the latest changes to the UI.  | <a href="#">Claiming a Target in Intersight Virtual Appliance</a>  |
| October 2020  | Enhancement to Intersight Virtual Appliance Settings                            | Added a new task that includes information about configuring external syslog.  | <a href="#">Configuring External Syslog</a>  |
|               | Support for IPv6 for endpoints  | Updated this section to include information about configuring IP addresses.  | <a href="#">Intersight Appliance Maintenance Shell</a>   |
|               | Renew Target Certificates   | Added a new task that includes information about renewing Target certificates.   | <a href="#">Renewing Target Certificates</a>   |

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| July 2020     | Licensing requirements                           | Updated this section to include licensing requirements for Intersight Private Virtual Appliance.  | <a href="#">Licensing Requirements</a>  |
|               | Technical assistance                             | Added a new section that includes information about collecting tech support bundles from Intersight Virtual Appliance.  | <a href="#">Technical Assistance</a>  |
|               | Installing Appliance on Microsoft Hyper-V Server | Added a new task that provides information on how to install Cisco Intersight Virtual Appliance on Microsoft Hyper-V Server.  | <a href="#">Installing Cisco Intersight Virtual Appliance on Microsoft Hyper-V Server</a> |
|               | Creating Private Appliance Account               | Added a new task that provides information about creating a Private Appliance Account for downloading software packages for Intersight Private Virtual Appliance deployments. | <a href="#">Creating an Appliance Account for Downloading Software Packages</a>           |
|               | Downloading Software Packages                    | Added a new task that provides information about downloading software packages for Intersight Private Virtual Appliance deployments.  | <a href="#">Downloading Software Packages for Intersight Virtual Appliance</a>            |
|               | Uploading Software Packages                      | Added a new task that provides information about uploading software packages for Intersight Private Virtual Appliance deployments.  | <a href="#">Uploading Software Packages for Intersight Private Virtual Appliance</a>      |
|               | Device Connector Requirements                    | Updated the device connector requirements table to include information pertaining to Private Virtual Appliance deployments.   | <a href="#">Device Connector Requirements</a>   |
| March 2020    | Configuration selection                          | Added a step to the existing procedure.   | <a href="#">Installing Cisco Intersight Virtual Appliance on VMware vSphere</a>           |
|               | Intersight Virtual Appliance Sizing Options      | The newly added <b>Tiny(8 vCPU, 16 Gi RAM)</b> option is applicable for Intersight Assist deployments only.   | <a href="#">Intersight Virtual Appliance Sizing Options</a>                               |
| February 2020 | LDAP Configuration                               | Added support for multiple LDAP domains.<br><br>Added support for LDAP/AD configurations without requiring email.   | <a href="#">Configuring LDAP Settings</a>   |
|               | Change IP address                                | Added the ability to change IP address of the virtual appliance VM.   | <a href="#">Intersight Appliance Maintenance Shell</a>                                    |

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| January 2020  | Organizations                               | Organizations to support multi-tenancy in an account and the ability to create user-defined roles with system-defined privileges.                     | <a href="#">Features</a> , <a href="#">Adding a Role</a> , and <a href="#">Adding an Organization</a> |
|               | Certificates                                | Allow user-submitted certificates and ability to create a self-signed certificate.  | <a href="#">Certificates</a>  |
| December 2019 | Intersight Virtual Appliance Sizing Options | Intersight Virtual Appliance can be deployed in Small or Medium deployment sizes to support 2000 or 5000 servers.                                     | <a href="#">Intersight Virtual Appliance Sizing Options</a>   |
|               | Graceful reboot of the Appliance VM         | Intersight Virtual Appliance can be gracefully rebooted from the Intersight Appliance Diagnostic Tool.  | <a href="#">Intersight Appliance Diagnostic Tool</a>  |
| August 2019   | Claiming and launch Cisco UCS Director      | Ability to claim Cisco UCS Director and launch it from Intersight.  | <a href="#">Claiming a Target in Intersight Virtual Appliance</a>                                     |
| July 2019     | Alerts based on Cloud Connection            | Enhanced messages to alert users about cloud connectivity and impact of a disrupted connection.   | <a href="#">Cloud Connection for Intersight Connected Virtual Appliance</a>                           |
|               | Bulk Target Claim                           | Claim multiple target in Intersight through IP/Name or a .csv file.   | <a href="#">Claiming a Target in Intersight Virtual Appliance</a>                                     |
|               | Intersight Appliance Diagnostic tool        | A console-based diagnostic tool that helps in troubleshooting and addressing misconfiguration or networking issues during the appliance installation. | <a href="#">Troubleshooting</a>   |
| June 2019     | Support for DHCP                            | Enables the appliance to obtain IP addresses from the DHCP server running on the same network to avoid using static IP addresses.                     | <a href="#">Installing Cisco Intersight Virtual Appliance</a>   |
|               | Scheduling Backup                           | Schedules a full state periodic backup of the data in the appliance based on a schedule and saves the backed-up data on a remote server.              | <a href="#">Scheduling Backup</a>   |