Aras Office Connector 24

Release Notes

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Document Conventions

The following table highlights the document conventions used in the document:

Convention	Description
Bold	Emphasizes the names of menu items, dialog boxes, dialog box elements, and commands. Example: Click **OK**.
`Code`	Code examples appear in `courier` font. It may represent text you type or data you read.
<mark>`Yellow highlight`</mark>	Code highlighted in yellow draws attention to the code that is being indicated in the content.
<mark>`Yellow highlight with red text`</mark>	Red text highlighted in yellow indicates the code parameter that needs to be changed or replaced.
Italics	Reference to other documents.
Note:	Notes contain additional useful information.
Warning	Warnings contain important information. Pay special attention to information highlighted this way.
Successive menu choices	Successive menu choices may appear with a greater than sign (-->) between the items that you will select consecutively. Example: Navigate to **File --> Save --> OK**.

1 Platform Support Matrix

The following software versions are supported by Aras Office Connector 24:

Component	Platform	Version
Aras Innovator		Release 24
Operating System	MS Windows	Windows 11 Windows 10 Windows 8.1
Web Browsers	Edge	
	Mozilla Firefox	91 ESR 102 ESR
	Google Chrome	Chrome 105 (Minimum)
Microsoft Office		2021 2019 365 Desktop Version 2016 2013*

Note: Version 2013 of Microsoft Visio is not supported.

2 Enhancements, Bug Fixes, and Known Issues

2.1 Enhancements in Aras Office Connector 24

2.1.1 Support for Client Certificate Authentication

The Aras Office Connector now supports Client Certificate Authentication during login.

2.1.2 Released Templates Filter

A setting has been introduced to allow administrators to specify only released templates be made available for use during document creation.

2.1.3 Improved Login Handling for Expired Sessions

The Aras Office Connector now automatically displays the Aras Innovator login dialog if a user's session expires. Users can now re-login to continue their session or logout using this dialog. Users no longer need to manually log out and log in again upon session expiration.

2.1.4 Multiselect to Link Items to Existing Document

Multiselect is now supported in the Links to Aras Items search dialog for existing documents. Users can now select more than one item to link existing documents to, rather than adding linked items one at a time.

2.1.5 Bypass Property Synchronization Warning from Dialog

Users can now bypass the property synchronization warning directly from within the property synchronization dialog, without needing to navigate to their Office Connector Preferences.

2.1.6 Last Search Criteria in Search Dialogs

The Aras Office Connector now displays users' last search criteria when reopening Aras Office Connector search dialogs.

2.1.7 Support for OR operator ("|") in Search Dialogs

The OR operator ("|") is now supported in Aras Office Connector search dialogs.

2.2 Issues Fixed in Aras Office Connector 24

Issue #	Description
F-003625	Added ability for users to bypass property synchronization warning directly from within the property synchronization dialog.
F-003708	Automatically display the Aras Innovator login dialog if a user's session is expired.
F-003710	Multiselect is now supported in the Links to Aras Items search dialog for existing documents.
F-004963	Added ability to display users' last search criteria when reopening Aras Office Connector search dialogs.
F-006085	The Aras Office Connector now supports Client Certificate Authentication during login.
F-006403	To help administrators control which templates are used by users, a setting has been introduced that allows administrators to specify only Released templates be made available for selection during document creation.
I-037740	Users are now notified when they do not have GET permissions on Templates.
I-049032	The OR operator ("|") is now supported in Aras Office Connector search dialogs.

2.3 Known Issues in Aras Office Connector 24

Issue #	Description	Workaround
I-012323	Aras Office Connector can be installed in Microsoft Visio 2013 without any visible errors even though Visio 2013 is not supported.	