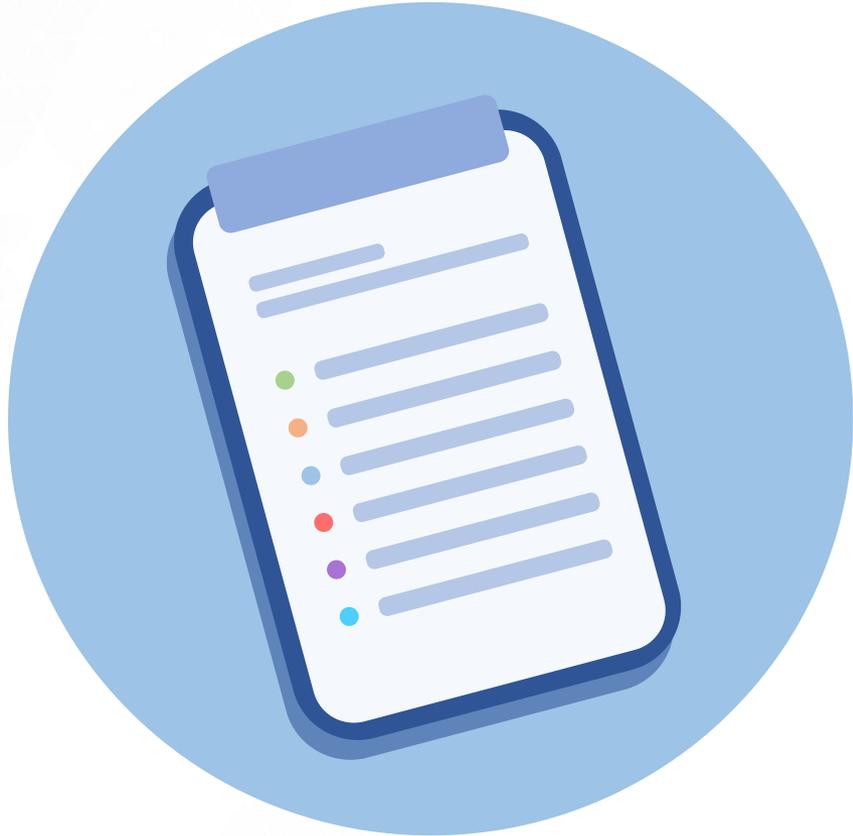


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**What's New in MidPoint 4.3 “Faraday”**

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# Agenda



- What's new in 4.3
- Platforms
- Plans for 4.4
- Plans for 5.0

# MidPoint 4.3 “Faraday” at a Glance

- Feature release

  - Short support lifetime (1 year)

- Couple of major features

  - Significant tasks improvements

  - Asynchronous messaging

- Plenty of smaller features and improvements

  - Search, password management, configurable auditing, JSON in DB

- Internal improvements (code cleanup/speedup)

# Tasks

- Progress and statistics reporting
- Error reporting
- Error handling

Operation execution records

Triggers

# Task Progress



## Recompute all focuses

100.0% (48 of 48) (closed)

Last object processed: Owner Control

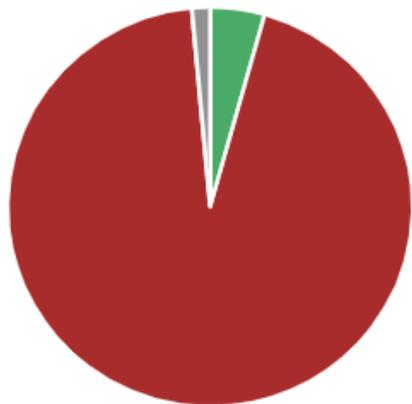
4/28/21, 9:26:47 AM - 4/28/21, 9:26:51 AM (00:00:04.519)

### Current item

p.weasley (423 milliseconds)

gi.weasley (455 milliseconds)

n.longbottom (418 milliseconds)



Success (3)

Failure (65)

Skip (1)



LAST SUCCESS ON WEDNESDAY, 28. APR 2021 10:05:59

**a.sinistra**

533 milliseconds



LAST FAILURE ON WEDNESDAY, 28. APR 2021 10:06:02

**p.pomfrey**

481 milliseconds

Object of type 'ConnectorType' with oid '02c676c6-ef02-4129-b9da-f3a7f81fbbc6' was not found.



LAST SKIP ON WEDNESDAY, 28. APR 2021 10:05:56

**a.dumbledore**

78 milliseconds

# Tasks Synchronization Statistics

Synchronization situation transitions							
Original state	Synchronization start	Synchronization end	Exclusion reason	Succeeded	Failed	Skipped	Total
Linked	Linked	Linked		65	0	0	65
Linked	Unlinked	Linked		1	0	0	1
No record	Unlinked	Linked		1	0	0	1
Linked	No record	No record	Protected	0	0	1	1
No record	Unmatched	Linked		1	0	0	1

# Tasks Provisioning Statistics

## Provisioning operations information: HR - AccountObjectClass

Operation	Status	Count	Avg time (ms)	Min time (ms)	Max time (ms)	Total time (ms)
search	Success	1	13	0	5	13

## Provisioning operations information: Localhost OpenLDAP - inetOrgPerson

Operation	Status	Count	Avg time (ms)	Min time (ms)	Max time (ms)	Total time (ms)
create	Fatal Error	3	48	5	136	146
get	Success	5	1,317	4	4,378	6,588
search	Success	3	45	0	119	137

## Provisioning operations information: Localhost OpenLDAP - groupOfNames

Operation	Status	Count	Avg time (ms)	Min time (ms)	Max time (ms)	Total time (ms)
search	Success	6	9	0	15	54

# Tasks Error Reporting

Errors

^ Name	Timestamp	Status	Message	Record type	Owner
a.filch	4/28/21, 10:06:00 AM	Fatal Error	Object of type 'ConnectorType' with oid '02c676c6-ef02-4129-b9da-f3a7f81fbbc6' was not found.	Operation context	<a href="#">a.filch (ShadowType)</a>
a.goldstein	4/28/21, 10:05:51 AM	Fatal Error	Object of type 'ConnectorType' with oid '02c676c6-ef02-4129-b9da-f3a7f81fbbc6' was not found.	Operation context	<a href="#">a.goldstein (ShadowType)</a>
a.johnson	4/28/21, 10:05:43 AM	Fatal Error	Object of type 'ConnectorType' with oid '02c676c6-ef02-4129-b9da-f3a7f81fbbc6' was not found.	Operation context	<a href="#">a.johnson (ShadowType)</a>
b.zabini	4/28/21, 10:05:56 AM	Fatal Error	Object of type 'ConnectorType' with oid '02c676c6-ef02-4129-b9da-f3a7f81fbbc6' was not found.	Operation context	<a href="#">b.zabini (ShadowType)</a>

# Asynchronous Resources

- Similar to manual provisioning
- Request (e.g JMS message) is sent to a specified target (e.g JMS queue)
- Tested with:
  - Apache ActiveMQ Artemis 2.x
  - JMS 2.0 to connect to it

# | Smaller Features and Improvements

- Unification of different “table” panels

Time ⓘ 4/28/21, 12:00 AM   More... ▾ 

▼ Time	Initiator	Event Stage	Event Type	Target	Target owner	Channel	Outcome
Wednesday, 28. Apr 2021 09:45:52	administrator	Request	Add object	g.lockhart		Import	
Wednesday, 28. Apr 2021 09:45:51	administrator	Execution	Add object	s.kettleburn		Import	Success
Wednesday, 28. Apr 2021 09:45:51	administrator	Request	Add object	s.kettleburn		Import	
Wednesday, 28. Apr 2021 09:45:51	administrator	Execution	Add object	r.hooch		Import	Success
Wednesday, 28. Apr 2021 09:45:51	administrator	Request	Add object	r.hooch		Import	
Wednesday, 28. Apr 2021 09:45:50	administrator	Execution	Add object	ch.burbage		Import	Success
Wednesday, 28. Apr 2021 09:45:50	administrator	Request	Add object	ch.burbage		Import	

# Smaller Features and Improvements

- Unification of different “table” panels
- Search improvements

## Members

Type 

User



Relation 

Any



Indirect 

Scope \* 

One level



Name: All

More...



Advanced

Full text

<input type="checkbox"/>	 Name	Fullname/Display name	Identifier/Description	Relation	 
<input type="checkbox"/>	 leonardo	Leonardo da Vinci		manager	



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## Members

Type ⓘ

User



Relation ⓘ

Any



Indirect ⓘ

Scope \* ⓘ

One level



Name: All

More...



Advanced

Full text

^ Name



leonardo



## Members

Type

User



Relation ⓘ

Any



Indirect ⓘ

False



Scope ⓘ

One level



Name ⓘ



More...



Basic



^ Name

Given name

Family name

Full name

Email

Accounts



a.rickett

Anthony

Rickett

Anthony Rickett

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**Options**  Use zip  Show all items

Oid filter

Task   Full text search   [Basic](#) [Advanced](#)

<input type="checkbox"/> ^ Name	Description	<input type="button" value="v"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Cleanup	A system task that repeatedly checks for outdated objects (e.g.	<input type="button" value="Export"/> <input type="button" value="Delete"/>

Options  Use zip  Show all items

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Export

Options  Use zip  Show all items

Oid filter

Task  Full text search  Basic  
Advanced

<input type="checkbox"/> ^ Name	Description	<input type="button" value="v"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Cleanup	A system task that repeatedly checks for outdated objects (e.g. closed tasks, old audit records) and removes them.	<input type="button" value="Export"/> <input type="button" value="Delete"/>

Options  Use zip  Show all items

Type  Task

Name    More...  Basic

Options  Use zip  Show all items

Oid    Oid

<input type="checkbox"/> ^ Name	Description	<input type="button" value="v"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Cleanup 00000000-0000-0000-0000-000000000005	A system task that repeatedly checks for outdated objects (e.g. closed tasks, old audit records) and removes them.	<input type="button" value="Export"/> <input type="button" value="Delete"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Import from HR c87b3f74-551e-4832-a1b9-21ee48e651a0		<input type="button" value="Export"/> <input type="button" value="Delete"/>

# Smaller Features and Improvements

- Unification of different “table” panels
- Search improvements
- Password management

## Password

Old password

New password

Very weak

- ✗ Characters at least 5
- ✗ Unique characters at least 3

## Password propagation

Name	Resource	Account enabled	Password validation	Propagation result
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> h.potter	Identity Manager Repository	✓	✗ ⓘ	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> h.potter	HR	✓		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> uid=h.potter,ou=people,dc=example,dc=com	Localhost Open			

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# Smaller Features and Improvements

- Unification of different “table” panels
- Search improvements
- Password management
- Configurable auditing
- JSON support in DB
- Preliminary results from midScale
  - Schrödinger (experimental)
  - Human-friendly query language (experimental)

# Schrödinger

- Testing framework for midPoint UI
- Built on top of Selenide framework
- Two basic modes of operation

Deployment tests

Development tests

# Schrödinger

```
ListUsersPage usersPage = basicPage.listUsers();
usersPage
    .table()
        .search()
            .byName()
            .inputValue(LOCALIZATION_TEST_USER_NAME_ORIG)
            .updateSearch()
        .and()
        .clickByName(LOCALIZATION_TEST_USER_NAME_ORIG)
        .assertName(LOCALIZATION_TEST_USER_NAME_DE);
```

# Human-friendly Query Language

- Based on Axiom data modeling
- Replacement for XML-based query language
  - For now, limited support, e.g. expressions not supported
- Examples:
  - fullName = "John Doe"
  - givenName startsWith "J"
  - givenName not startsWith "J" and givenName != "John"



name = 'a.dumbledore' or name startsWith 'a.s'



<input type="checkbox"/>	^ Name	Given name	Family name	Full name	Email	Accounts	
<input type="checkbox"/>	a.dumbledore	Albus	Dumbledore	Albus Dumbledore		2	
<input type="checkbox"/>	a.sinistra	Aurora	Sinistra	Aurora Sinistra		2	
<input type="checkbox"/>	a.spinnet						



eventStage != 'request' and eventType != 'createSession' and eventType != 'terminateSession'



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Wednesday, 28. Apr 2021 09:45:54	administrator	Execution	Add object	i.pince		Import	Success
Wednesday, 28. Apr 2021 09:45:53	administrator	Execution	Add object	r.hagrid		Import	Success
Wednesday, 28. Apr 2021 09:45:53	administrator	Execution	Add object	a.filch		Import	Success

# Deprecation and Removals

- Reports based on Jasper are deprecated since 4.2, planned for removal in 4.4
- SQL/HQL for audit log queries/dashboards is deprecated since 4.2, planned for removal in 4.4
- Namespace item in ResourceType deprecated, planned for removal in 4.4
- Support for production deployments of midPoint in Microsoft Windows environment is deprecated, planned for removal in 4.4
- Microsoft Internet Explorer is no longer supported
- MySQL and MariaDB are no longer supported
- JMX-based node-to-node communication in midPoint cluster is deprecated

# Platforms

- Production deployment: Linux (x86\_64)

Support for Microsoft Windows Server is deprecated and planned for removal in 4.4

- Java 11

- Stand-alone deployment

Explicit deployment to Tomcat is deprecated

- PostgreSQL is **strongly** recommended for new deployments

Support for MySQL and MariaDB was dropped in 4.3

# Future of MidPoint Database Support

- PostgreSQL is the future

PostgreSQL is **strongly recommended** for all new deployments.

MySQL/MariaDB are no longer supported

Oracle and MS SQL support is likely to be deprecated later.

- Why are we doing this?

Provide better performance and (much) better scalability.

Ability to take advantage database-specific features.

Gain control of database schema (e.g. extension properties as native columns)

Keep maintenance cost reasonable.

(testing 5 database engines in 3 different versions is very expensive)

# Migration to Native PostgreSQL Repository

- Existing deployments not on PostgreSQL - Wait for 4.4
- Migration plan and guide from Evolveum
- Support for previous DB in 4.4

Time for migration → 3 years

# MidPoint Studio 4.3 Released

- First officially supported release
- Available at JetBrains Marketplace
- Nice selection of interesting features

Browse/Upload with raw options for both operations

Properties can be used to replace parts of XML

Properties can also be stored encrypted in keepass2 file within project

XML tags autocompletion

Links to documentation

Groovy syntax highlighting and groovy code completion

Groovy code common variables injection

Object diff with option to ignore some parts of XML (matadata, id attributes, etc.)

Simple OID generator

Trace file viewer

# Plan for MidPoint 4.4

\*) Usual disclaimers apply. These are just plans, they can change any time.

- LTS release

  - 3 years support period

- Planned release: autumn 2021

- Focus

  - Performance and scalability

  - GUI improvements

  - LTS

# MidScale: MidPoint Scalability

- Target: tens of millions identities
- New repo implementation based on PostgreSQL
- Cluster management improvements
- Performance improvements
- GUI stabilization and speed-up

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# MidPoint 4.4 Features

- LTS

  - Dependency upgrades, schema cleanup, migration

  - Mappings formalization

  - Archetypes (OrgType, auxiliary)

  - Reporting

- MidScale:

  - New repository implementation (PostgreSQL) production quality

  - Cluster management improvements

  - Performance Improvements

# Future of MidPoint

- MidPoint 4.5 Feature release (spring 2022)

  - Query language

  - Axiom – data provenance

  - ID Match

- MidPoint 5.0 (after 2022, specific release date not known yet)

  - Next generation schema support (XSD → Axiom)

  - Stabilization for longevity and maintainability (Prism API, GUI API)

  - Separate end-user GUI

  - Plan is still quite fuzzy, gathering input*

# Next Webinars

- Axiom Query Language  
12.5.2021 at 4PM CEST
- Asynchronous resources  
27.5.2021 at 4PM CEST
- Schrödinger  
9.6.2021 at 4PM CEST

# Discussion

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