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1 What's new in Qlik Sense April 2019?

1.1 APIs

Audit

The Qlik Sense audit service API is responsible for logging system events in a cloud environment.

[Qlik Sense audit service API](#)

Reload

The Qlik Sense reload service API enables the automation of tasks related to shared app reloads in a cloud environment.

[Qlik Sense reload service API](#)

Collections

The Qlik Sense collections API enables the automation of tasks related to the organization of apps in the cloud hub where collections are used to group the apps.

[Qlik Sense collections service API](#)

Engine

The Qlik engine REST API allows you to manage apps and check the status of the engine service in a cloud environment.

[Qlik engine service API](#)

1 What's new in Qlik Sense February 2019?

For a list of new features in Qlik Sense February 2019, see: [What's new in Qlik Sense February 2019?](#).

1 What's new in Qlik Sense November 2018?

1.1 AngularJS version

AngularJS framework upgraded to version 1.7.2, which provides better stability and compatibility.

[Using AngularJS in visualization extensions](#)

2 What's new in Qlik Sense September 2018?

2.1 AngularJS version

Open source front end framework upgraded to version 1.6.9, which provides better stability and compatibility.

[Using AngularJS in visualization extensions](#)

3 What's new in Qlik Sense June 2018?

3.1 Webpack

Webpack is now used to bundle the client which will make it possible to improve future load times as well as modernizing the code base.

This may affect unsupported extensions and cause them not to render.

Extensions that use supported APIs will continue to work as before.

3.2 Export / Import an App with or without data

Updated endpoint

The query parameter "name" has been removed from the QRS API endpoint `/qrs/app/{id}/unpublish?name={name}`.

3.3 Support for promote/demote in QRS

New endpoints

Two new endpoints were added to approve and disapprove app objects: `/qrs/app/object/{id}/approve` and `/qrs/app/object/{id}/unapprove`.

4 What's new in Qlik Sense April 2018?

4.1 Picasso.js

The picasso.js charting library, which is streamlined for building custom, interactive, and powerful visualizations for the Qlik Sense Analytics platform, is now open source.

 <https://github.com/qlik-oss/picasso.js>

4.2 Mashups in offline Qlik Sense Desktop configurations

Support for accessing web applications while being offline has now been added. The documentation includes best practices for creating and running web applications in an offline Qlik Sense Desktop configuration.

[Mashups in offline Qlik Sense Desktop configurations](#)

5 What's new in Qlik Sense February 2018?

5.1 ODAG REST service API

API reference

The ODAG REST service enables on-demand creation of Qlik Sense apps. With this feature, Qlik Sense developers can build mashups (and other applications) that directly access the ODAG service API.

[Qlik Sense ODAG service API](#)

5.2 Widgets and extensions

Styling an app with custom themes

You can now create custom themes to style an app on a global or granular basis:

- Change colors.
- Add images and backgrounds.
- Specify fonts, font sizes, font weights and font styles.

[Custom themes](#)

6 What's new in Qlik Sense November 2017?

6.1 Engine API

New method: GetBaseBNFString

A new method has been added that gets the current Backus-Naur Form (BNF) grammar of the Qlik engine scripting language, as well as a string hash calculated from that grammar.

New method: GetFieldValues

A new method has been added that retrieves the values of a field.

New struct: BookmarkFieldPage

A new definition has been added that defines the range of the bookmark fields that are returned

6.2 Creating visualizations on the fly

New and updated examples

New and updated examples of how to create visualizations on the fly using the Visualization API and the qlik-visual web-component has been added to the documentation. The documentation now include examples for creating any supported visualization type on the fly.

[Creating visualizations on the fly](#)

New visualization type: listbox

A new visualization type has been made public, the list box, which is the most basic sheet object. It contains a list of all possible values of a specific field.

[Visualization API: listbox properties](#)

[qlik-visual: listbox properties](#)

[Create visualizations on the fly: listboxes](#)

6.3 Capability APIs

ODAG navigation bar updates for getObject method

The `app.getObject` method has been updated to support the On-demand App Generation (ODAG) navigation bar.

[app.getObject method](#)

getProductVersion method deprecated

The `global.getProductVersion` method has been deprecated. Use [About API: System info: Get](#) instead.

[golbal.getProductVersion method](#)

New struct: BookmarkFieldPage

A new definition has been added that defines the range of the bookmark fields that are returned

7 What's new in Qlik Sense September 2017?

7.1 Visualization API

New visualization type: Waterfall chart

You can now illustrate how an initial value is affected by intermediate positive and negative value with the new waterfall chart. For example, you can show the positive and negative contributions of different accounts in an income statement.

[Waterfall chart properties](#)

7.2 Engine API

Hierarchical data API

A new hierarchical data API enables a definition that more closely reflects the visual representation of data.

Benefits of the new API:

- Ensures little to no manipulation or transformation of data structure in the front end.
- Simplifies the creation of charts.
- Enables more powerful and dynamic charts.

[GetHyperCubeTreeData method](#)

8 What's new in Qlik Sense June 2017?

8.1 File type filtering

To improve security, APIs have been introduced that enable you to specify which file types and file extensions are permitted to be uploaded to a static content library.

- [App content: Get file extension whitelist](#)
- [File extension: Add](#)
- [File extension: Delete](#)
- [File extension: Get](#)
- [File extension whitelist: Get](#)
- [File extension whitelist: Update](#)

8.2 Analytic connections

New analytic connection APIs have been introduced to manage server-side extensions that extend the Qlik Sense expression library and support calls to third-party engines.

The QRS API includes the following new endpoints:

- [Analytic connection: Create](#)
- [Analytic connection: Delete](#)
- [Analytic connection: Get](#)
- [Analytic connection: Update](#)

8.3 Creating apps on the fly

New APIs have been introduced to create session apps:

- [qlik.sessionApp method](#)
- [qlik.sessionAppFromApp method](#)
- [setScript method](#)
- [getScript method](#)

[Create apps on the fly](#)

9 What's new in Qlik Sense 3.2?

9.1 Create custom themes as extensions



This feature is delivered as BETA in this release.

Themes are used to style your Qlik Sense apps and you can create your own custom themes based on your company standards.

When you have created a custom theme, you store it in Qlik Sense as an extension. The JSON file and any additional resources, such as CSS files, are zipped and imported as an extension in the Qlik Management Console (QMC). This enables governance in the QMC and security rules can be added for controlling which themes specific users have access to.

[Widgets and extensions: Custom themes](#)

9.2 Custom components

- Custom components are now officially supported.
- You must update custom components created and used in widgets before version 3.2.
- You can now have several versions of the same custom component in Qlik Sense.
- You must now define the dependency between widgets and the custom components they are using.

[Custom components](#)

9.3 enigma.js



This feature is delivered as EXPERIMENTAL in this release.

enigma.js is a client library that communicates with Qlik Sense backend services. It can be used in a browser or in a Node.js environment. You can use enigma.js as an SDK or do CRUD (that is create, read, update and delete) operations on apps and on app entities.

enigma.js is an open source library, developed on GitHub. The version of enigma.js used in Qlik Sense 3.2 is experimental. Visit GitHub for the latest version, or if you want to contribute to the library.

[API reference: enigma.js](#)

9.4 leonardo-ui



This feature is delivered as EXPERIMENTAL in this release.

leonardo-ui is an open source library which is used within Qlik Sense, providing a variety of graphical UI components. The markup of these components can be used in extensions, mashups, and widgets. The library is maintained and supported by Qlik.

In addition to the standard leonardo-ui components, Qlik Sense comes with some additional angular leonardo-ui components. These components are not included in the documentation found on GitHub.

The version of leonardo-ui used in Qlik Sense 3.2 is experimental. Visit GitHub for the latest version, or if you want to contribute to the library.

[API reference: leonardo-ui](#)

9.5 QlikView converter

The QlikView converter simplifies the work associated with converting elements from a QlikView document into master items in a Qlik Sense app. Visualizations, expressions, dimensions, and variables can be selected for conversion. The tool is available from the Dev Hub.

[Using the QlikView converter to create a Qlik Sense app](#)

10 What's new in Qlik Sense 3.1?

10.1 Custom components

Custom components are small, self-contained elements of code (JavaScript and CSS) that can be used and re-used when building widgets. Custom components make it easier for the widget designer to include sophisticated UI items such as sliders, date-pickers, and tabs because no JavaScript programming is required: the components are ready-made. The custom components are added to widgets in a declarative way.



This feature is published as BETA in this release.

10.2 Qlik Sense Repository Service API

New interpretation of SchemaEvent date properties

The interpretation of the `startDate` and `expirationDate` properties of the `schemaEvent` entity has changed. Previously these properties represented a date and time stamp including offset. The time zone (in IANA/Olson format) is now stored in a separate property (called `timezone`). In addition, the new property `daylightSavingTime` now indicates whether daylight savings is observed (valid values are "observeDaylightSavingTime", "PermanentStandardTime", "PermanentDaylightSavingTime"). The QRS API will continue to accept offsets, but we recommend that you update your code to use the new properties because the support of offsets will be removed in a future release.

10.3 Widget editor

New widget components in the properties panel builder

You can now use the Widget editor to add two more types of graphical interface components to your widgets: **Radio buttons** and **Switch**. These are included as available components in the properties panel builder under **Items**.

10.4 Qlik Explorer for developers

- Templates.

It is now possible to create custom templates where you can define code snippets that suit your specific needs. This feature replaces the "Mode" feature that was available in the tree view in earlier releases. For more information about Templates, see [Templates](#)

- Actions have been removed from the tree view.

Actions are now listed in the Code tab along with other snippets, instead of being represented as separate nodes in the tree view.

- New design of Code tab.

The Code tab and the use of Drag-and-Drop from the tree view has been redesigned to fit the new template concept. Drag-and-drop from the tree will always yield the ID of the node irrespective of the currently selected template. All other snippets are accessed from the Code tab where you can switch between snippets from different template.

11 What's new in Qlik Sense 3.0?

11.1 Dev Hub

Create and edit widgets with the Widget editor

Dev Hub contains a new tool: Widget editor. You use the Widget editor to create and edit widgets. Qlik Sense widgets are simple app objects created using HTML and CSS but no other programming knowledge.

Widgets, like other visualization extensions, are used to customize the behavior and appearance of sheets and visualizations. Because widgets do not require JavaScript programming, they are intended for creating objects that do not require advanced calculations or the use of external libraries, such as KPI objects, simple charts, and tables.

A widget must belong to a widget library. An example library is supplied Qlik Sense. Widget libraries are managed from the Widget editor. Widget libraries appear in the assets panel under custom objects alongside visualization extensions.

[Introduction to widgets](#)

11.2 Exporting and printing of visualization extensions

You can now export and print visualization extensions.

[Enabling export of your visualization extension](#)

To support this, the following properties have been added to the Extension API:

- [export property](#)
- [exportData property](#)

The following property has been updated:

- [snapshot property](#)

11.3 .NET SDK

Connect to Qlik Sense through a method instead of process ID

Support for setting up a Qlik Sense connection based on a process ID is now deprecated. A number of symbols have therefore been marked as deprecated and will be removed in future versions of the .NET SDK. Instead of using a process ID, you now connect to local engine instances using the method `Qlik.Engine.Location.FromUri` and explicitly specifying the relevant URI.

The following symbols have been marked as obsolete:

- Class `Qlik.Engine.UriResolver`
- Method `Qlik.Engine.UriResolver.QlikEngineUrl`

- Method `Qlik.Engine.UriResolver.GetEnginePids`
- Method `Qlik.Engine.Location.FromProcess(int processId)`
- Method `Qlik.Engine.Location.FromProcess(Process process)`

 [.NET SDK – API reference](#)

New property to perform version checks

The class `Qlik.Engine.Location` now has a new property named `IsVersionCheckActive` that determines whether or not to perform version checks when connecting to a Qlik Sense instance. This means that it is possible to verify the version check setting for all connections to a specific `Location` object. You can still use the parameter `noVersionCheck` for connection methods such as `Qlik.Engine.LocationExtensions.HubAsync` to override the version check setting of the `Location` object.

 [.NET SDK – API reference](#)

New mechanism for properties and layout caching

Generic objects have previously had a mechanism for caching properties and layouts so that engine calls to retrieve that data only would be made if the object is considered dirty. This mechanism has been generalized, and is now available for all classes that supports the properties/layout behavior. The following classes utilize this mechanism:

- `GenericBookmark`
- `GenericDimension`
- `GenericMeasure`
- `GenericObject`
- `GenericVariable`

 [.NET SDK – API reference](#)

11.4 Qlik Engine JSON API

New structs

- [CPUUsage](#)
- [MemoryUsage](#)
- [HealthcheckStatus](#)
- [Range](#)
- [SelectInfo](#)
- [NxContinuousRangeSelectInfo](#)
- [NxTickCell](#)

- [NxAxisTicks](#)
- [NxAxisData](#)
- [NxContinuousDataOptions](#)

Updated structs

- [NxAttrExprDef](#)
New property: qLibraryId
- [NxAttrExprInfo](#)
New properties: qMin and qMax
- [NxPivotDimensionCell](#)
New property: qAttrExps
- [NxDerivedFieldsData](#)
New property: qTags
- [NxDimensionInfo](#)
New properties: qMin, qMax, qContinuousAxes, qIsCyclic, qDerivedField

New methods

- [GetListObjectContinuousData method](#)
- [SelectListObjectContinuousRange method](#)
- [SelectHyperCubeContinuousRange method](#)

11.5 Single Integration API / Single configurator

New option parameter: noSelections

Added option for turning off selections but still being able to keep interactions enabled. Before this update, you had to disable all interactions in order to turn off selections.

11.6 Qlik Sense Proxy Service API

Personal API: Get user

Updated return values. This API now returns more detailed JSON values that specify whether a user is logged in, not logged in, or logged in anonymously.

11.7 Qlik Sense Repository Service API

App: Get hub information

New endpoint.

App: Get hub list

New endpoint.

App content quota: Get

New endpoint.

App content quota: Update

New endpoint.

Access type: Request access type

Removed endpoint.

Shared content: Delete content

New endpoint.

Shared content: Upload file

New endpoint.

New entities and properties for future use

The following entities and properties are for future use. Do not use these items.

- `CloudAppSyncStatus` entity
- `CloudCredentials` entity
- `CloudStreamSyncStatus` entity
- `DeleteProhibited` property of the `User` entity
- `timezone` and `daylightSavingTime` properties of the `SchemaEvent` entity

11.8 Plugins

Improved connection handling

The Visual Studio plugin now also supports connecting to a Qlik Sense server with credentials other than the logged-on user or anonymous mode.

12 What's new in Qlik Sense 2.2?

12.1 Dev Hub

Dev Hub accessible from the Hub

The Dev Hub can now be accessed from the Hub menu.

New UI for Engine API Explorer

The Engine API Explorer has a completely new UI for an enhanced user experience.

Deprecated links and their replacements

All the links to tools and pages that previously contained "workbench" now refer to "dev-hub". URLs containing "workbench" are deprecated. Use "dev-hub" in the URL instead, as shown in the following list:

- Start page:
 - Deprecated: *http[s]://<servername>:<port>/workbench*
 - Use instead: *http[s]://<servername>:<port>/dev-hub*
- Protocol tester (renamed to Engine API Explorer in 2.1.1):
 - Deprecated: *http[s]://<servername>:<port>/workbench/protocoltester.html*
 - Use instead: *http[s]://<servername>:<port>/dev-hub/engine-api-explorer*
- Extension editor:
 - Deprecated: *http[s]://<servername>:<port>/workbench*
 - Use instead: *http[s]://<servername>:<port>/dev-hub/extension-editor*
- Mashup editor:
 - Deprecated: *http[s]://<servername>:<port>/workbench*
 - Use instead: *http[s]://<servername>:<port>/dev-hub/mashup-editor*
- Single configurator:
 - Deprecated: *http[s]://<servername>:<port>/workbench/single*
 - Use instead: *http[s]://<servername>:<port>/dev-hub/single-configurator*

12.2 Mashups

Create visualizations on the fly

Qlik visual is a custom element that displays visualizations on, for example, a web page. You can display existing visualizations, or you can create and display new ones on the fly.

Creating visualizations on the fly means that the Qlik Sense app does not need to contain any visualizations and they can now be created programmatically in your web page code without having to be built in the Qlik Sense UI first.

Create extensions on the fly

The `registerExtension` method allows you to register a visualization extension in a mashup without installing it on the Qlik Sense server. After it has been registered, it is free to use within the mashup just as if it was installed on the server. This means that you can distribute mashups, including the extensions being used, as one package.

App Integration API

The App Integration API provides parameters that can be used to create an URL that returns a complete HTML page containing the embedded app. This URL can be embedded in a web page, for example by including it in an `iframe`.

It allows you to pass parameters to an app and to open an app with one or several selections applied.

Selection API

The Selection API allows developers to work with the selection state data returned from Qlik associative engine without having a deeper knowledge of internal constructs.

Non-clashing CSS frameworks

The new Qlik styles replaces the old `qlikui` and `client` styles and Qlik Sense now support styles included by a number of common CSS frameworks.

Improved `qlik-styles.css`

The `qlik-styles-css` has been optimized leading to faster loads of mashup based solutions.

12.3 .NET SDK

Asynchronous

Asynchronous behavior is improved, especially during the setup of connections to the engine.

Deserialization

A bug relating to deserialization of messages containing binary data from the engine has been fixed. Deserialization of such data could, in some cases, fail, causing the Qlik Sense Desktop to return the value null for the entire instance. An example of a data structure where this problem could occur is the class

DocProperties, which has several binary data properties, including the property **WallpaperPic**.

Constraints on NuGet dependencies

You can now use more versions of the NuGet package, the following range of versions are supported:

- Newtonsoft.Json: 6.0.1 – 7.0.1
- Autofac: 3.5.0 – 3.5.2

Updates

The classes **KpiProperties** and **KpiLayout** (and the associated interfaces) no longer have a property named **KpiLink**. It has been replaced by a new property of type string called **SheetLink**.

12.4 Qlik Engine JSON API

Export data from pivot tables

You can export data from pivot tables.

Enhanced sorting in pivot tables

You can now sort by the values of a measure in a pivot or stacked pivot table.

Updated API for the search

New method: SearchResults.

12.5 Qlik Sense Repository Service API

Conflict handling

Added information on conflict handling when updating entities in the Qlik Sense Repository Service (QRS).

License rule audit: Get audit rules matrix

New endpoint.

Security rule audit: Get audit rules matrix

New endpoint.

Synchronization rule audit: Get audit rules matrix

New endpoint.

Data market: Add license bundle

New endpoint.

Data market: Get terms acceptance

New endpoint.

Printing service: Get local printing service

New endpoint.

Server node configuration: Get local

New endpoint.

App: Upload app

Removed the {replace} parameter.

App: Import app

Removed the {replace} parameter.

Access type: Request access type

Updated the `AccessTypeRequest` in the body.

Notification: Add change subscription

Added an example of how to use notifications.

Engine service: Get local engine service

Updated the return value.

Service registration: Add server node configuration

Removed endpoint.

Access type: Add User access type by selection

Removed endpoint.

12.6 Qlik Sense User Directory Connector API

Generic LDAP

Added information that the settings for generic LDAP are case-insensitive.

12.7 Plugins

Qlik Analytics plugin for Visual Studio

The Visual Studio plugin is a development toolbox created to simplify the process of integrating Qlik Sense functionality into other environments. Qlik Analytics for Visual Studio provides quick access to relevant information from your Qlik Sense environment, which for instance makes it easy to integrate Qlik Sense visualizations into an existing web site.

13 What's new in Qlik Sense 2.1?

Here are some of the highlights of the new and updated features in the release of Qlik Sense 2.1:

Dev Hub replaces Qlik Sense Workbench	Dev Hub replaces Qlik Sense Workbench.
Various API updates	Capability APIs replace Mashup APIs. Navigation API and Table API introduced. Updates to Variable API.
Building server tools	Various updates to Qlik Sense Repository Service API.
Building clients	Qlik Engine JSON API: improved usability of variables.
Creating .NET applications	The Qlik Sense .NET SDK is now publicly available on NuGet. Collaborative code samples provided in Qlik branch.

13.1 Building visualization extensions and mashups

Dev Hub

Dev Hub replaces Qlik Sense Workbench

Dev Hub replaces Qlik Sense Workbench.

New UI layout for code editors

The Extension editor, the Mashup editor, the Single configurator have had their UIs updated. The Protocol tester has been renamed to Engine API explorer.

Building visualization extensions

New visualization tutorials

Two new tutorials have been added for building visualization extensions: Working with data (Hello-Data) and Using AngularJS in visualization extensions (Hello-AngularJS).

Loading resources

The topic about loading resources has been improved.

APIs

Capability APIs replace Mashup APIs

The term Capability API is introduced with Qlik Sense 2.1. Some of the Capability APIs were available before this version, published under the name Mashup API.

Navigation API

Navigation API for Qlik Sense. The Navigation API allows navigation within a Qlik Sense app and is meant to be used in visualization extensions and will not work in Mashup scenarios.

Table API

The Table API allows developers to work with tabular data returned from the Qlik associative engine without needing to have expert knowledge of internal constructs, such as a hypercube.

Variable API updates

The following methods have been added to the Variable API: createSessionVariable method, get method, getByName method, setNumValue method, and setStringValue method.

The following method has been deprecated: setContent method.

13.2 Building server tools

Qlik Sense Repository Service API

App content: Upload file

New endpoint.

App content: Delete content

New endpoint.

Content library: Upload file

The endpoint is no longer restricted to the central node in a Qlik Sense site.

Content library: Delete content

The endpoint is no longer restricted to the central node in a Qlik Sense site.

Connecting with Node.js

Updated code example.

13.3 Building clients

Qlik Engine JSON API

Create, edit and remove generic variables

Work on variables has been performed in order to make it more consistent with the other types of objects.

Content libraries

Content libraries can be retrieved from the Qlik Sense repository or from the disk, depending on the Qlik Sense installation.

New name for the protocol tester

The protocol tester is renamed engine API explorer.

13.4 Creating .NET applications

Qlik Sense .NET SDK

NuGet

The Qlik Sense .NET SDK is now publicly available on NuGet.

Collaborative code samples

Qlik branch is a collaborative portal where users can share code samples. They are provided on as is basis, without any guarantees that they will work in all system configurations or future software releases. An example of such sample code is the `QlikSenseScriptObfuscator`.

Qlik Sense .NET SDK code samples

The purpose of the sample code provided by Qlik is to demonstrate capabilities and use cases of the API. They are provided on an as-is basis, without any guarantees that they will work in all system configurations and future software releases.

- Abstract structure

The purpose of this sample is to provide a feature that makes it possible for the user to state explicitly and dynamically how to interpret a JSON object in the form of a C# class.

- App traverser

The purpose of this sample is to see what visualizations an app contains by traversing it.

The Qlik Sense .NET SDK now supports:

Variables

Signed DLL:s

The Qlik Sense .NET SDK DLL:s are signed from version 2.1

14 What's new in Qlik Sense 2.0?

14.1 Building visualization extensions and mashups

Dev Hub

Search in Dev Hub

Users can now search visualization extensions and mashups for filtering purposes.

Support for multiple users

The Extension editor and the Mashup editor now support if multiple users are editing the same file.

Language support in Single configurator

You can now use the Single configurator to override the default language of Qlik Sense.

Embed code functionality in Single configurator

You can now use the Single configurator to embed auto-generated iframe HTML code.

APIs

Language support in Single Integration API

The Single Integration API can now be used to select the language, overriding the default language of Qlik Sense.

Pivot table support in Backend API

The Backend API now has added support for pivot tables.

Language support in Mashup API

The Mashup API can now be used to select the language, overriding the default language of Qlik Sense.

14.2 Building server tools

Qlik Sense Proxy Service API

Proxy settings

Information has been added on the proxy settings in the repository database, and on how to configure virtual proxies.

Qlik Sense Repository Service API

SAML: Metadata download (call 1 of 2)

New endpoint.

SAML: Metadata download (call 2 of 2)

New endpoint.

Select format when exporting certificates

Added the ExportFormat parameter.

Port added

Added port 4239.

Return attribute values from a specific selection set

Added the optional {selection} parameter.

License rule: Get associated rules

Endpoint deleted.

Security rule: Get associated rules

Endpoint deleted.

Synchronization rule: Get associated rules

Endpoint deleted.

Preview create privilege

New endpoint.

App object: Publish

New endpoint.

App object: Unpublish

New endpoint.

App: Migrate

New endpoint.

App: Get state

New endpoint.

Certificate installation: Install certificate

New endpoint.

Certificate installation: Setup ping

New endpoint.

Custom: Get custom

Endpoint deleted.

Synchronization: Create snapshot

New endpoint.

User: Synchronize user

New endpoint.

About API: Get all defaults

New endpoint.

About API: Get type

New endpoint.

About API: Get description

New endpoint.

About API: Get relations

New endpoint.

About API: Get enums

New endpoint.

Data market: Get license

New endpoint.

Data market: Add license

New endpoint.

Data market: Update license

New endpoint.

App content: Upload file

New endpoint.

App content: Delete content

New endpoint.

14.3 Building clients

Qlik Engine JSON API

App migration

Apps created in a previous version of Qlik Sense are now automatically migrated to the current version of Qlik Sense.

ProductVersion method

The ProductVersion method replaces the QvVersion method, which is now deprecated. Both methods belong to the global class.

Association analysis

The associations between the fields of two tables can be retrieved.

GetAppEntry method

The GetAppEntry method retrieves the meta data of an app.

Images can be embedded in a qvf file

Images can be embedded in qvf files. For example, you can add a thumbnail in a qvf file or embed an image in a generic object.

GetEffectiveProperties method

The GetEffectiveProperties method returns the identifier, the type and the properties of an object.

If the object contains some soft properties, the soft properties are returned.

If the object is linked to another object, the properties of the linking object are returned.

Adaptive grid

When a generic object with two measures and one dimension contains a lot of data, groups of points (i.e cells) can be rendered instead of points.

A zone of interest can be refined (for zooming in) up to a maximum refinement level or coarsened (for zoom out).

The grid of cells is adaptive (not static), meaning that it adapts to different length scales.

Session apps

Session apps can be created. The session apps are not persisted.

You can create an empty session app or create a session app from a source app.

Improved search

In the previous version of Qlik Sense, the searched selections always erased the current selections. Now, it is possible to keep the current selections and add the searched selections on top.

A search context has been added and the behavior of the search depends on this search context.

The *SoftLock* parameter of the *SelectAssociations* method is deprecated and should not be set.

DoReloadEx method

Reloads the script that is set in an app and returns the path to the script log file.

CustomConnector struct

New property *qMachineMode*.

HyperCube struct

New properties *IndentMode* and *LastExpandedPos*.

ImportAppEx method

Imports an app to the Qlik Sense repository. The connections in the app can be excluded from the import.

14.4 Creating .NET applications

Qlik Sense .NET SDK

The Qlik Sense .NET SDK now supports:

- Pivot tables
- Maps
- Data Storytelling

The Qlik Sense .NET SDK now supports Data storytelling, including snapshots. You can now do the following: get, destroy, create, and update storytelling objects.

SlideItem properties classes have been added for the following: text paragraph slide item, text title slide item, shape slide item, image slide item, and snapshot slide item .

- Calculation conditions

Code samples

The purpose of the sample code provided by Qlik is to demonstrate capabilities and use cases of the API. They are provided on an as-is basis, without any guarantees that they will work in all system configurations and future software releases.

- App preload
The purpose of this sample is to show how the Qlik Sense .Net SDK can be used to achieve fast load times when large apps are opened in the client for the first time.
- Custom desktop
The purpose of this sample is to show how the Qlik Sense .Net SDK can be used to create a custom desktop that launches Qlik Sense as a background process and provides a simple custom GUI for interacting with it.

Improved property access implementation in abstract structure

The Qlik Sense .NET SDK now comes with an improved property access implementation in abstract structure. Instead of casting a generic invalid type cast exception when accessing the same property as two different types, the SDK will try to use the abstract structure type cast operation, and if it fails, cast a custom exception type that points to the root cause of the failure.

Improved handling of paging in hypercube and list objects

The Qlik Sense .NET SDK now comes with an improved handling of paging in hypercube and list objects.

The following class is obsolete:

`Qlik.Sense.Client.Visualizations.MapComponents.PolygonLayer`

Replaced with:

`Qlik.Sense.Client.Visualizations.MapComponents.Polygon3Layer`

15 What's new in Qlik Sense 1.1?

Here are some of the highlights of the new and updated features in the release of Qlik Sense 1.1:

- Dev Hub is now available in a Qlik Sense installation
- Snapshots can now be included in mashups.
- Qlik Sense .NET SDK: Support for multiple hyper cubes and list objects in generic objects

15.1 Building extensions with Dev Hub

Dev Hub

Available in a Qlik Sense installation

Dev Hub is now available in a Qlik Sense installation as well as in a Qlik Sense Desktop installation.

Mashup editor

Redesign of the Mashup workbench

Mashup workbench has been re-designed to make it easier to use the generated mashup as a start for more advanced mashups.

Simplified selection making

Making selections programatically in your mashup is simplified by an easier syntax for the Mashup API method `selectValues`.

Closing session, app connection and web socket

You can close and discard the Session objects created in your mashup. Use the `destroySessionObject` method in the Mashup API.

You can also close the app connection which also closes the web socket. Use the `close` method in the Mashup API.

Snapshot support in mashups and single configurator

Snapshots can now be included in your mashups.

- `getSnapshot` method added to Mashups API.
- Snapshots library added to the Assets panel in Mashup workbench.

Support for code completion

Code completion is now supported in the Mashup workbench.

Master objects in Single configurator

You can now use master objects in single configurator.

Upgrade consideration - new path to `require.js`

The path to `require.js` has changed. The new path is `/resources/assets/external/requirejs/require.js`.

Upgrade consideration - `qirby.css` name change

The css file `qirby.css` has changed name to `qlikui.css` and the path is `/resources/autogenerated/qlikui.css`.

15.2 Building server tools

Qlik Sense Proxy Service API

X-Qlik-User header changed

Both <directory> and <userid> must be URL-encoded representations of UTF-8 values.

Code example updated

The code example in the help topic *Connecting to the QPS API using certificates* has been updated.

Port added

Port 4248 has been added.

Qlik Sense Repository Service API

Extension: Create extension with schema

New endpoint.

Extension: Delete extension by name

New endpoint.

Extension: Create or update a file in an extension

New endpoint.

Extension: Delete a file from an extension

New endpoint.

Notification: Add change subscription

Previously referred to as "Notification: Add event listener".

Added new optional parameters: {changeType} and {propertyName}.

Updated the description of the {filter} optional parameter.

Notification: Remove change subscription

Previously referred to as "Notification: Delete event listener".

Security rule audit: Get accessible objects

Changed the return value from `List<IExternalRepositoryObject>` to `List<IRepositoryObject>`.

Ports overview

Added port 4248.

15.3 Building clients

Qlik Engine JSON API

Set dimension limits in pivot tables

Customize `OtherTotalSpecProp` in the definition of the pivot table to set some dimension limits.

Open an app without loading its data

New parameter *qNoData* to toggle the behavior of the engine when opening an app. If set to true, the app is opened without its data.

Check that a number is correct according to the locale

New *CheckNumberOrExpression* method.

Replace an object that is published

New methods: *CreateDraft* method, *CommitDraft* method and *DestroyDraft* method.

NxDimension struct

Some properties have changed.

RangeSelectHyperCubeValues method

Added *qColumnsToSelect* parameter to the method *RangeSelectHyperCubeValues* to indicate which dimensions to select.

NxAppLayout struct

The property *qLocaleInfo* has been added to return information about the locale.

GenericObjectLayout struct

The property *qHasSoftPatches* has been added to indicate whether or not the generic object contains some soft properties.

qPseudoDimPos property

The property *qHyperCubeDef/qPseudoDimPos* no longer exists. The position of a pseudo dimension is set in *qHyperCubeDef/qInterColumnSortOrder* instead.

AllowEditMode method

The *AllowEditMode* method has been removed since it was deprecated. This method belonged to the global class.

15.4 Creating custom connectors

QVX SDK



The current version of the QVX SDK is 2.1. It supports Qlik Sense 1.1.

Qlik Sense adaptation

A section has been added to describe how to adapt an existing (QVX SDK version 2.0) or new connector to work in Qlik Sense.

New method added to override generic commands

A new method, *HandleJSONRequest*, has been added to handle QVX generic commands that are not pre-defined in the QVX API.

15.5 Creating .NET applications

Qlik Sense .NET SDK

Hyper cubes and list objects in generic objects

Support for multiple hyper cubes and/or list objects in generic objects.

New flow added for handling of dynamic data

Introduced new flow for handling dynamic data which will make it possible to support more complex client side management (like type conversion) than allowed in the previous flow.

Deprecated methods

The following methods have been deprecated and marked as Obsolete.

- `Qlik.Engine.Location.Local`
Instead use: `Qlik.Engine.Location.FromUri`
- `Qlik.Engine.Location.LocalServer`
Instead use: `Qlik.Engine.Location.FromUri`
- `Qlik.Engine.Location.FromProcess`
Instead use `Qlik.Engine.Location.FromUri`
- `Qlik.Engine.Location.AppWithName`
Instead use `Qlik.Engine.Location.AppWithNameOrDefault`

Upgrade consideration - do not use the C# concept dynamic

It is no longer possible to use the C# concept `dynamic` to set dynamic properties on SDK objects. The new dynamic data handling provides the methods **Set** and **Get** to be used for this purpose.