

OpenText™ Static Application Security Testing (Fortify Static Code Analyzer) Version 25.2.0

Release Notes

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This document provides the new features, installation and upgrade notes, known issues, and workarounds that apply to release 25.2.0 of OpenText™ Static Application Security Testing (Fortify Static Code Analyzer).

This information is not available elsewhere in the product documentation. The user guides for this product are available on the Product Documentation website:

<https://www.microfocus.com/documentation/fortify-static-code/>.

NOTE ON THE 25.2.0 RELEASE

The 25.2 release of the OpenText™ Application Security Software is being released in two stages. OpenText™ Static Application Security Testing (Fortify Static Code Analyzer). The remainder of the 25.2 OpenText Application Security Software products will be released in the latter half of May 2025.

UPDATES TO THIS DOCUMENT

Date	Addition and/or change
4/10/2025	Initial release.

FORTIFY PRODUCT NAME CHANGES

OpenText is in the process of changing the following product names:

Previous name	New name
Fortify Static Code Analyzer	OpenText™ Static Application Security Testing (OpenText SAST)
Fortify Software Security Center	OpenText™ Application Security
Fortify WebInspect	OpenText™ Dynamic Application Security Testing (OpenText DAST)
Fortify on Demand	OpenText™ Core Application Security
Debricked	OpenText™ Core Software Composition Analysis (OpenText Core SCA)

The product names have changed on product splash pages, mastheads, login pages, and other places where the product is identified. The name changes are intended to clarify product functionality and to better align the Fortify Software products with OpenText. In some cases, such as on the documentation title page, the old name might temporarily be included in parenthesis. You can expect to see more changes in future product releases.

FORTIFY DOCUMENTATION UPDATES

The following documents will reflect changes that enable us to release products more often and with fewer dependencies on other products in the Application Security (Fortify) suite.

Document	Change
OpenText™ Fortify Software Release Notes	This document has been renamed to <i>OpenText™ <Product_Name> Release Notes</i> as each product will have its own release notes document.
Fortify Software System Requirements	Rather than publishing a single guide that covers all of the products for a specific release, each product's requirements can be found in the product's user guide.
What's New in Fortify Software	New features will no longer be appear in a separate document. New features will be listed in the product's Release Notes.

Accessing Documentation

The documentation set contains installation, deployment, and user guides. In addition, you will find release notes that describe last-minute updates. You can access the latest HTML and/or PDF versions of the documents for this release from the Product Documentation website:

<https://www.microfocus.com/documentation/fortify-static-code/>.

If you have trouble accessing our documentation, please contact Customer Support.

NEW FEATURES IN THIS RELEASE

Platforms

- macOS 15

Language support

- PHP 8.4 support
- Python 3.13 support

- ECMAScript 2024

Build tools

- Gradle integration supports Gradle up to 8.10.2

Features/updates

- Test projects are excluded by default in translation of Visual Studio projects
- The Security (default) and DevOps scan policies are updated to reduce additional noise.
- Improved ABAP translation and code extraction
- Jupyter notebooks
- Auto detection of Django and Flask templates.
- Django 5.1 support
- Spring (GaphQL) 1.3.3 support
- Pandas (Python)
- Apache Commons (new libraries added)
- Additional IaC categories across AWS, Azure, and Google Cloud
- Support for additional types of AI vulnerabilities
- DISA STIG 6.2

INSTALLATION AND UPGRADE NOTES

Complete instructions for installing products are provided in the documentation for each product.

- The ScanCentral SAST client included in the installer is a later version than the ScanCentral SAST Controller at the time of release. OpenText recommends you wait until the ScanCentral SAST Controller version 25.2 is available before upgrading sensors to 25.2.

USAGE NOTES FOR THIS RELEASE

- Version 25.2.0 updates the Security (default) and DevOps scan policies to reduce additional noise. Currently this is specified as "Risk", where an issue with low risk is defined as an issue with a low probability, unless it has a very high priority. Future releases will make this filter clearer and customizable.

KNOWN ISSUES

The following are known problems and limitations in OpenText™ Static Application Security Testing (Fortify Static Code Analyzer) version 25.2.0.

- Analyzing IaC languages and Solidity using the next-gen SAST engine cannot currently be accomplished with mobile build sessions. You must scan these projects locally.

NOTICES OF PLANNED CHANGES

This section includes product features and technologies that will be removed from a future release of the software. In some cases, the feature will be removed in the very next release. Features that are identified as deprecated represent features that are no longer recommended for use. In most cases, deprecated features will be completely removed from the product in a future release. OpenText recommends that you remove deprecated features from your workflow at your earliest convenience.

- The modular analysis feature is deprecated and will be removed from the product in a future release.

Build tools

- Support for xcodebuild 15, 15.0.1, 15.1, 15.2 will be removed in the next release.

FEATURES NOT SUPPORTED IN THIS RELEASE

The following features are no longer supported.

Build tools

- xcodebuild 14.3, 14.3.1
- Maven 3.0.5, 3.5.x

Compilers

- swiftc 5.8, 5.8.1
- Clang 14.0.3

Other features

- Fortify Static Code Analyzer 20.x will no longer load new rulepacks.
- The `-apex` and `-apex-version` options are deprecated and will be removed in a future release.
- Visual Studio Web Site projects are no longer supported. Convert your Web Site projects to Web Application projects to ensure that OpenText SAST can scan them.

DEFINITIONS

Deprecation

When a product feature or integration is deprecated, OpenText no longer accepts enhancement requests for the feature but does respond to critical or security defects. OpenText will continue to support the usage of a deprecated feature or integration. If applicable, the feature is turned off by default, but customers can re-enable it. OpenText will stop supporting the feature or integration on the removal date or in the removal release.

Removal

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