

Release Notes for Public PTF (2011-05-19)

1. Origin Product/Version

OX6 v6.20.0 Rev 8 (Public PTF)

2. Packages shipped with this PTF Release

OX6 v6.20.0 Rev 11 (built 2011-05-13/16/18/19)

3. Bugs fixed with this PTF Release

- 15198 Calendar "Default View"
 Fixed Spanish translation.
 No potential side effects.
- 15289 E-Mails "Mark as" (Marcar como) Fixed Spanish translation. No potential side effects.
- 15451 "Download OXtender" Text in Web Front-End always in English Added the corresponding text to the translation process.

 No potential side effects.
- 15597 Additional info "tentatively" for appointments only shown in the week/month view
 Fixed in all calendar views now.
 No potential side effects.
- 16782 Wizard personal data time zone and language not translated Fixed translation parts.

 No potential side effects.
- 16869 Pop-up: While retrieving folders: SCODE = "401")"
 Removing the session cookie once an IP change was detected.
 No potential side effects.
- 18469 NullPointerException when using mail filter in admin mode Fixed NPE for mail filter request with missing session parameter. No potential side effects.
- 18558 Hovers in search results throw spooky error messages
 Appointments which are visible through several folders contain correct
 folder id.
 No potential side effects.
- Newly created folders in POP3 account are subscribed in althamespace imap servers
 Folders are unsubscribed on default folder check and on folder access.
 No potential side effects.



18597 Add contact fields YomiCompanyName, YomiFirstName, YomiLastName to synchronization

To support Asian locales, the Yomi-fields have been added to the USM system. Synchronization has been enabled for EAS and OLOX2 by default.

No potential side effects.

18784 Can't delete IMAP account

Trying to recover from a MySQL integrity constraint violation while deleting an external IMAP account.

No potential side effects.

18808 Strange "+" at the security notes at the login page Removed the plus sign from text.

No potential side effects.

18811 IE: Strange behavior at the "search" bar Adding an empty form tag around the search button. No potential side effects.

- 18812 Security warning using de_DE language with cached GUI in IE8 Refactored the GUI to avoid SSL warnings in Internet Explorer. No potential side effects.
- 18866 publicfoldereditable always returned as false
 Allow regular users to manage the public folders.
 No potential side effects.
- 18875 All available templates are displayed as selection for Publications Consider more than one .properties file in the templates directory. No potential side effects.
- 18879 Online help lacks navigation icons Removed images. No potential side effects.
- 18941 Check boxes on change layout page should reflect user permissions
 The checkboxes are only shown if the users has appropriate
 permissions.
 No potential side effects.
- 18966 Shared private calendars all carry the same name Adding the user name of the owner to the folder name. No potential side effects.
- 18973 No scrollbar for multiple attachments in e-mail Correct resize of the attachment area so the OS can render his scrollbars.
 - No potential side effects.
- 18974 Too many concurrent connections with GMail account Introduced possibility to restrict number of concurrent connections to a subscribed/external IMAP account No potential side effects.



- 18979 Server does not startup when having invalid syntax in cascade yml files Added logging in case either the UWA YML files or the config cascade metadata files are formatted incorrectly.

 No potential side effects.
- 18980 Connection to Yahoo POP3 fails while subscribing Added a meaningful error message.

 No potential side effects.
- 18981 Mail with broken cc:/to: header silently discarded Ignoring empty addresses occurring in RFC822 address header No potential side effects.
- Outlook Uploader in settings only available when user has permission
 --access-webdav-xml
 The updater is now available if the user has permission --accesswebdav-xml or -access-olox20. He also can only update the products for which he has the correct permission.
 No potential side effects.
- 19016 Right of public InfoStore Folder aren't inherited Fixed user documentation.

 No potential side effects.
- 19019 Fax plugin looks different between embedded windows and popup Fixed plug-in to be consistent in embedded and pop-up windows. No potential side effects.
- 19021 Unable to switch from in-line to pop-up windows Added missing configuration option to ui.properties. No potential side effects.
- 19024 NullPointerException in CompositingFileStorage Avoid NPEs when trying to download file that doesn't exist. No potential side effects.
- 19028 RSS Links have strange code added RSS messages now contain unique ids and URLs to their origin. No potential side effects.
- 19030 Politically incorrect terms in IMAP idle configuration Changed wording
 No potential side effects.
- 19032 GMX.com crawler broken Fixed crawler which was broken by a changed gmx website. No potential side effects.
- 19036 web.de crawler broken
 Switch to another, more robust handler.
 No potential side effects.
- 19037 Yahoo crawler broken Fixed crawler which was broken by a changed Yahoo website. No potential side effects.



- 19038 Expiry date of session cookie is ignored by Opera browsers
 Using Netscape's date format for "expires" attribute: Wdy, DD-Mon-YY
 HH:MM:SS GMT
 No potential side effects.
- 19039 From" field shown in E-Mail "Sent" folder instead of "To" Fixed detection of standard folders.

 No potential side effects.
- 19041 Spanish month and week day names should be all lowercase Fixed translation.

 No potential side effects.
- 19042 Panel "View" is "Anzeigen" in german Fixed translation.

 No potential side effects.
- 19046 Cannot import appointment series with start date not being part of series

 ICal appointment series with a start date that is not part of the series
 (e.g. weekly series on Wednesday, starts Monday) now have a separate starting appointment.

 No potential side effects.
- 19047 Folders in E-Mail are not full translated Fixed translation.

 No potential side effects.
- 19053 The folders of Inbox, Sent, Draft and Trash are neither deletable nor moveable, please disable the operations of delete and move for those folders

Added a check on buttons in the panel.

No potential side effects.

- 19058 IE7: Line-wrap in the date field of the h-split makes it hard to read Fixed line-wrap issue in IE7.

 No potential side effects.
- 19059 "Mobile Phone" plugin prompts JavaScript Error when testing with IE7 Fixed JavaScript error in Internet Explorer 7.No potential side effects.
- 19062 Can't confirm the folder selection when creating distributionlist Change behavior s it's the same as in other folder selection dialogs. No potential side effects.
- 19063 It's no need to translate the alphabet column for quick search into Chinese

Fixed searching and ordering contacts with Chinese characters. No potential side effects.

- 19065 Search mail with the key word to match mail text Fixed body search for IMAP.

 No potential side effects.
- 19068 German translation for "font" is "font" Fixed translation.

 No potential side effects.



- 19069 Unexpected result while importing the same csv file into contacts twice Merge contacts on CSV import. See also Change #723

 No potential side effects.
- 19071 Can't get the correct result set when searching in contacts
 Fixed searching and ordering contacts with Chinese characters.
 No potential side effects.
- 19072 The "Send" button is not translated into Chinese Fixed i18n problem in the GUI plug-in. No potential side effects.
- 19078 Reload/Refresh icon in customized theme isn't animated Added missing icon.

 No potential side effects.
- 19080 Folders not displayed in Portal page Expert Mode
 Show folder tree after leaving the configuration and expert mode is activated.
 No potential side effects.
- 19083 Exception "Folder is not Open" during first access of external POP3 account
 Reduced execution of avoidable POP3 commands while importing POP3 messages to backing storage to avoid possibly exceeding provider restrictions regarding number of executed POP3 command.
 No potential side effects.
- 19088 Facebook problem in case users are able to use different URL to login to the same OX Cluster

 Add possibility to use a deferrer step in multi-domain setups even when API keys are configured to use a single domain.

 No potential side effects.
- 19089 Externally generated appointment is stored incorrectly Added VTimZone Objects to ical exporter. No potential side effects.
- 19090 GAL search returns too few contacts for users with many contacts Correct number of search results is now delivered to the mobile device. No potential side effects.
- 19092 Mobility tab in wizard throws error message for pim_mobility users Fixed error by using the user interface instead of the global address book.

 No potential side effects.
- 19098 No build number shown on server startup Fixed build issue on Debian Squeeze No potential side effects.
- 19102 reseller bundle: unable to change restrictions on commandline Fixed RMI interface.

 No potential side effects.
- 19110 Wizard can be circumvented in first-run mode by closing the document Disabling the checkbox unless the data was provided.

 No potential side effects.



19112 Vacation Notice with wrong date returns success message Check for invalid dates while saving. No potential side effects.

19114 Unable to open mail

Fixed an issue that you can't open the attachments. This has been caused by empty message headers.

No potential side effects.

19119 Parameter for InfoStore drive letter is wrong in generated OXUpdater-install.exe

Corrected drive letter parameter for OXUpdater installer.

No potential side effects.

19124 NullPointer when logging in

Fixed NPE on IMAP bundle start.

No potential side effects.

19135 Reseller Plugin: Exception occurred while trying to invoke service method createModuleAccessByName
Fixed NoSuchMethodException which occurred by using the method createModuleAccessByName.
No potential side effects.

19140 Changing Facebook password in Facebook brings JSON error message in OX

Better error messages for Facebook messaging, when a token was invalidated.

No potential side effects.

19144 No appointments shown if the time filter is disabled Setting the time filter to a very small value doesn't work on the OX-Server.

No potential side effects.

19146 Various null pointer exceptions on groupware service stop Fix NPE on shutdown.

No potential side effects.

19149 contacts-ldap fails with "java.lang.UnsupportedOperationException: Unknown sort column value 0"

Fixed exception if no sort order is given.

No potential side effects.

19156 POP3 sync can cause hanging system
Introduced batch-wise processing of a POP3 account's messages
No potential side effects.

19168 "Join is not defined" when editing tasks Fixed a timing issue.

No potential side effects.

19169 UWA widget cannot be deactivated Introducing a switch for UWA Widgets. See Change #724. No potential side effects.



- 19171 Hovers are getting too large for big E-Mails
 Setting a fixed height and show a scrollbar now.
 No potential side effects.
- 19176 custom mail accounts are not displayed in wizard
 This bugs has been caused by CSS changes which has been done for theming.
 No potential side effects.
- 19177 SMS Plugin should not show "sender dropdown" when empty Fixed customer plug-in, show no drop down if list is empty. No potential side effects.
- 19188 Personal tab in wizard empty in first-run mode if going back from services tab

 Stop the first-run mode if the personal data is saved successfully since that is the real mandatory action.

 No potential side effects.
- 19190 Attachment is sent in newly composed e-mail although it has been deleted from mail
 Internally remove the attachment if the users delete it.
 No potential side effects.
- 19191 NPE in upsell multiple if method is set to direct Fixed NullPointerException.
 No potential side effects.
- 19194 Changing language in wizard has no effect The language is now immediately changed. No potential side effects.
- 19195 NullPointerException when creating iCal Fixed NPE when exporting iCal.
 No potential side effects.
- 19197 Flags in opened mail window are displayed in row and outside of window Fixed ordering of items in the compact panel.

 No potential side effects.
- 19199 Wrong description for read right in compact panel mode Fixed string in the GUI. Translation is done for German till now. No potential side effects.
- 19203 Strange email generated by USM after deletion of appointment via iPhone

The cause of the problem has been found: If a comment is added to an appointment, this will be added as a text/plain attachment to the special mail that is sent by the iPhone. This caused our algorithm to not ignore the email, and therefore it was sent. The algorithm has been adjusted: It now also allows 1 optional text/plain attachment in a special MeetingRequest/Response mail to still ignore it, i.e. 1 "text/calendar" and/or 1 "application/ms-tnef" and 1 optional "text/plain" attachment are allowed in an email for it to be still ignored and not actually sent. No potential side effects.



- 19204 Portal contact widget is quite large when empty Adjusting height of the widget.

 No potential side effects.
- 19205 Portal contact widgets shows "No contacts in this folder" while other widgets do not
 The text is now shown for all widgets on the portal page if no content is available.
 No potential side effects.
- 19207 Hover buttons don't ask to edit/delete a series or an exception Added check if the appointment is a recurring appointment. No potential side effects.
- 19209 IE7: portal page contacts widget: display name is cut Fixed portal contact widget layout problems in Internet Explorer 7. No potential side effects.
- 19212 Contact widget layout broken when dealing with long display names Fixed layout problem with long text.

 No potential side effects.
- 19216 IE7: Text in quota bar not visible Fixed CSS issue in Internet Explorer 7. No potential side effects.
- 19217 Email account validate request fails, but create succeeds
 Changed the way to check for standard folders in external mail
 accounts.
 No potential side effects.
- 19218 resulting page is being cut-off from view after right click and properties Fixed timing issue on initial resize of the panel.

 No potential side effects.
- 19221 Mails sent from HTC saved in sent mail folder without a date
 The USM/EAS now also checks for a "Date" header in all emails sent by
 clients, and adds one (using the current time and timezone of the
 server) if it is missing.
 No potential side effects.
- 19223 Explicit Hover Button
 Adding buttons on the portal page to open hovers.
 No potential side effects.
- 19227 Creating mail folder without a name possible
 An empty string causes an abort same as hitting <escape>.
 No potential side effects.
- 19229 Button in calendar with French setting too small for Aujourd`hui Raised the size of the today button.

 No potential side effects.
- 19230 Fixed width of combo box for mail settings
 The drop-down box now has the same width as other drop-down boxes
 for a consistent look.
 No potential side effects.



- 19236 Some multi-value items of the compact panel don't close when clicked There where some items in the folder permissions panel which weren't closed if you click on it.

 No potential side effects.
- 19240 Portal isn't closed Refactored the code to be more robust on errors. No potential side effects.
- 19251 IE7: Portal page hover buttons not shown Fixed Internet Explorer CSS problem. No potential side effects.
- 19252 Missing i18n call
 Added i18n call. Translated to German till now.
 No potential side effects.
- 19258 Explicit hovers open at incorrect/invisible places at scrollable grids Correctly calculate the positions of Hovers.

 No potential side effects.
- 19287 Unable to delete recurring appointment exception Fixed a typo which caused a JavaScript error. No potential side effects.



4. Changes relevant for Administrator

In order to provide fixes with this PTF, the following system configuration had to be touched.

Changes of Configuration Files

Change #635 - Meta-data for Config Cascade system

In order not to change the semantics of the /opt/open-xchange/etc/groupware/settings directory, properties defined there (that are transported to clients via the config module) must remain read-only by default. In order to make a property writeable by the UI it has to be allowed explicitly by setting a metadata property.

The file conf/meta/ui.yml that is installed at /opt/openexchange/etc/groupware/meta/ui.yml contains the necessary metadata to declare the two new ui properties ui/global/toolbar/mode/value ui/global/windows/mode/value as writable. This has to be done to make them user changeable.

Change #661 - Changed behaviour of Open-Xchange Wizard during startup of the Groupware

During the launch of the Open-Xchange Groupware, the Open-Xchange Wizard gets fully loaded whether the user have activated him or not. The new behaviour loads only a small part of the Wizard which checks for a activated Wizard or not. If activated, the Wizard gets loaded. This speeds up the load of the Groupware in case a user has a deactivated Wizard.

For this change, the Open-Xchange Wizard has been split into two files. The former register.js file was replaced with a code.js file which contains all the old common code. The new register.js only contains a check for the status of the Wizard. If you have a customized Wizard, you have to merge these changes to your customized code.

Change #719 - Introduced batch-wise processing of a POP3 account's messages

Introduced batch-wise processing of a POP3 account's messages through a configuration property in pop3.properties: com.openexchange.pop3.pop3BlockSize.

The default is 100.



Change #724 - Config switch to disable UWA widgets

Some customers may wish to disable the uwa module in the frontend. To do so, the new config parameter "com.openexchange.frontend.uwa.enabled" has been introduced. To set the parameter, create a file

/opt/openexchange/etc/groupware/uwa.properties and introduce the parameter:

com.openexchange.frontend.uwa.enabled=false

This defaults to "true", so is backward compatible. If you do nothing, UWA widgets will still work as before.

Change #726 - Chinese names for default mail folders have been added to User.properties

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Changes of database schemes

- none -

Changes of command line tools

- none -



Changes of Packaging

Change #718 - Deferrer Bundle for multiple domain installations

Sometimes an OX server is reachable and used with more than one domain name, on the other hand certain 3rd party services limit API keys to a single domain name. To reconcile this, a deferrer is used on a main domain to redirect the browser to the users proper domain.

The new bundle com.openexchange.http.deferrer, or package open-xchange-http-deferrer, respectively, add a new Servlet to undertake the redirection. Client code wanting to create such a url are advised to use the com.openexchange.http.deferrer.DeferringURLService to construct URLs to be used in this fashion.

The bundle introduces a new configuration parameter "com.openexchange.http.deferrer.url" (usually found in deferrer.properties) to set the main URL for a certain installation (for example: "https://mymaindomain.invalid"). When the configuration parameter is not set (the default), a single domain setup is assumed and the extra defer-step is omitted.

==== As an administrator, what do I have to do? =====

If your OX server is reachable only via one host name, you won't have to do anything. If it is reachable by more than one host name, create or open the file "/opt/openexchange/etc/groupware/deferrer.properties" and set the properties therein as such:

com.openexchange.http.deferrer.url=https://mymaindomain.invalid

substituting the value of the property for the domain for which you registered the facebook and msn keys. (If you don't have those yet, choose one of your host names to function as the main one and create the keys accordingly.)

Change #727 - New two step wizard allowing users to add external mail accounts easily

Adding email accounts via the configuration might be difficult for some users. The wizard allows adding mail account more easily but some customers disable the wizard for other reasons. However, they still like the idea of adding email accounts in an easy way.

Therefor the package open-xchange-gui-mail-accounts-plugin has been added.



5. Changes relevant for Developers

Changes of the HTTP API

Change #712 - A new optional response parameter "url" has been introduced into our messaging servlet.

RSS messages need to be distinguished internally by unique identifiers. Until the messages origin url was used as id. Since some RSS feeds deliver all messages with the same url parameter, we have to create own unique ids to distinguish the messages of a feed. Nevertheless the url of a RSS message is needed to show a link to its origin in the frontend.

For this purpose a new response parameter "url" was introduced. It will always be delivered for action=get if it has a value. If there is no value (internally "null") the parameter will not be delivered.

Changes of the RMI API

Change #710 - Permission to administer the default public folders can also be granted to regular users

The RMI interface, and by extension both SOAP and the admin CLT allowed the option "--access-public-folder-editable" to be set only for the context admin user, silently ignoring updates for other users. This change will allow setting the option for regular users as well.

Changes of the WebDAV API

- none -

Changes of Behavior

Change #722 - Updated ical4j library to 1.0

Updated library ical4j from 1.0-beta to 1.0 to avoid NPEs happening when parsing "UTC" as timezone information.

Change #723 - Importing CSV files would allow duplicate contacts to appear

To be consistent with the subscription behavior, contacts imported via a CSV file that are similar to existing contacts in a given folder should not lead to a duplication of the contact, but rather to an update of the contact data. Fomerly when importing a CSV file, the contacts therein would simply be created, no matter which contacts may already exist in the target folder. From now on, though, contacts that are already in the folder will be checked, and when a similar contact (i.e. first and last names match) is found, it is updated instead.



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6. Tests

To avoid side effects the packages have gone through automated "Smoke" and "Always" test on both, the OX Build System and a distributed OX QA server setup.

The OX QA team has verified all bug fixes.

7. Side effects

Side effects are not expected.



8. Known Bugs

Here is an overview of major bugs recently reported.

These bugs are on the list for another Public PTF, currently scheduled for June 1st 2011:

18212 Cannot find mail account with identifier 1 for user 6 in context 529125. exceptionID=-1636201372-31114

18656 spamhandler spamassasin nicht funktionsfähig -> sendet inkorrekte daten zum spamc prozess

18676 gmail subscription not working (service not available)

18812 Security warning using de_DE language with cached GUI in IE8

18905 Error when entering Configuration->My Social OX->Subscriptions

19001 MSN oAuth crawler does not work sometimes (SSL error)

19060 Settings of Email compose doesn't work.

19106 incomplete info in appointment email

19109 Appointments not shown in daily view in shared calendars

19202 Mail gets requested in endless loop

19278 Contact saved if "Cancel" is hit

19285 Infostore complains about insufficient permissions to create objects during concurrent object creation

Fixes for the following bugs are scheduled for the next major release OX6 v6.22:

18768 Published e-mail attachment cannot be found
 19014 For huge calendars the OX server may die with an OutOfMemoryError while using the webdav.ical interface
 19173 Appointments for external participants one hour later