

webMethods Rules Engine 9.8 Readme

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This file contains important information you must read before using webMethods Rules Engine 9.8. You can find webMethods Rules Engine 9.8 user documentation on the [Documentation website](#) or the [TECHcommunity website](#). At those locations, you can also find the suite-related information listed below.

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1.0 Critical Information

This section lists the critical issues for the current release that were known when this readme was published. For critical information found later, go to the Knowledge Center on the [Empower website](#).

None.

2.0 Known Issues

This section lists issues that were known for the current release when this readme was published. For known issues found later, go to the Knowledge Center on the [Empower website](#).

- WMD-3548
Task Assignment based on Business Rules displays wrong document structure.
The Rules Development feature of Software AG Designer can create a data model from a document type that contains nested documents. Apart from this data model, data models are created for each nested document. The data models from the nested documents can be used as input for a decision table. When configuring a task, you can select a rule to determine task assignments. If you select a decision table using data models from nested documents, the Edit Business Rule Assignment dialog wrongly displays the whole document instead of the nested documents only.
There is currently no workaround for this issue.

3.0 Usage Notes

This section provides additional information you need to work with the current release of webMethods Rules Engine.

- It is possible to design rules that evaluate in an infinite loop at runtime. webMethods Rules Engine has no validation logic to identify possible infinite loops at design time. With the help of the Run As... option the rule designer can execute rules locally in webMethods Rules Engine to test and verify rule behavior. This local rule execution might expose loops at design time.

4.0 Fixes Included in Each Release

This section lists the fixes that have been included in each release. Go to the Knowledge Center on the [Empower website](#) for detailed information about fixes.

Release 9.8

- WOK_9.6_RuleEngine_Fix4
- WOK_9.7_RuleEngine_Fix1

Release 9.7

None.

Release 9.6

None.

5.0 Other Resolved Issues

This section lists the issues that were resolved in each release but were not part of the fixes listed in the previous section.

Release 9.8

None.

Release 9.7

- WOK-5660
Internal event rules do not fire directly after a New Data Action was executed.
If a rule result contains a New Data Action to create a new instance of a data model and also an assignment result to assign a value to this new instance of a data model, internal event rules that listen for a “has changed” event on this new instance of a data model will not fire.
This issue has been resolved.

Release 9.6

None.

6.0 Documentation Changes

This section describes significant changes to the documentation in each release, such as the addition, relocation, or removal of product guides, online help, chapters, or other major content.

Release 9.8

None.

Release 9.7

None.

Release 9.6

None.

7.0 Terminology Changes

Release 9.8

None.

Release 9.7

None.

Release 9.6

None.

8.0 Added, Removed, Deprecated, or Changed Items

This section lists features, functionality, controls, portlets, properties, or other items that have been added, removed, deprecated, or changed.

Release 9.8

None.

Release 9.7

None.

Release 9.6

None.

9.0 Added, Removed, Deprecated, or Changed Built-In Services

Release 9.8

None.

Release 9.7

None.

Release 9.6

None.

10.0 Added, Removed, Deprecated, or Changed Parameters

Release 9.8

None.

Release 9.7

None.

Release 9.6

None.

11.0 Added, Removed, Deprecated, or Changed APIs

Release 9.8

None.

Release 9.7

None.

Release 9.6

None.

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