

# BeyondTrust U-Series Appliance 4.1

## What's New Documentation

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BeyondTrust® offers a full line of Privileged Access Management (PAM) appliances. These appliances provide multi-platform network discovery, centralized policy enforcement, least privilege enforcement, automated risk assessment, and powerful reporting, compliance, and regulatory audit capabilities.

Please see details below for the latest release of the U-Series appliance. Please refer to the [release notes](#) for additional details on these important enhancements.

### New U-Series Appliance App Delivers Enhanced Functionality & Usability

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Now, U-Series users receive information delivered by the previous U-Series Management Application and more in a new consolidated U-Series Appliance Application. Admins receive improved usability features and expanded capabilities. Some highlights of this enhancement include:

- A new Feature and Services section which replaces the legacy Roles Editor, providing a better user experience when managing the features and services running on the appliance.
- A new Business Continuity section to better support Backup and Restore, High Availability, and Cold Spare modes.
- Usability Enhancements including an improved Notifications section and Dark Mode option.

In addition to the Software & Licensing and Enterprise Integrations sections that already exist, these new features bring enhanced visibility and ease of use for appliance administrators, helping to make gains in productivity and security.

### Performance Counters and Dashboard

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The Diagnostics application has been enhanced and is now the landing page for the Appliance app, which features updated performance meters, including a new performance-over-time graph which allows you to switch from CPU to the other built-in performance counters. Admins can review historical data and can export the data to CSV format to help them monitor the health of the environment. In addition, the Performance Counters page (under Features and Services) has been updated to add a graphical slider to represent the performance counter thresholds, including the optional counters as well.

### Features and Services

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The Roles Editor application has been updated to Features and Services which better reflects the functionality it provides. Some highlights include:



- Features and Services provide toggle switches to enable each Feature independently, replacing tile-based Role indicators.
- The new design features an expandable Features panel for customizing settings. Admins are provided dependency checking tools and the ability to compare pending changes against the current configuration available as separate tabs.
- Log exporting and events: Users can now select which specific logs they want included in the export. Log exporting now includes additional events such as tracking Appliance OS Logon/Logoff events.

#### Business Continuity

- Backup and Restore, High Availability, and Cold Spare have been migrated to the new Business Continuity section in the Appliance application. Some highlights include:
  - Improved High Availability configuration workflow.
  - Admins now have a new level of visibility into each backup, with the ability to view and to include/exclude individual appliance components that are included in a backup.
  - High Availability and Cold Spare modes: Both are now stand-alone features, not Roles. The High Availability UI features a new Wizard within the Appliance application. The user interface has been refreshed for Cold Spare.

## About BeyondTrust

BeyondTrust is the worldwide leader in intelligent identity and access security, enabling organizations to protect identities, stop threats, and deliver dynamic access. We offer the only platform with both intelligent identity threat detection and a privilege control plane that delivers zero-trust based least privilege to shrink your attack surface and eliminate security blind spots.

BeyondTrust protects identities, access, and endpoints across your organization, while creating a superior customer experience and operational efficiencies. We are leading the charge in innovating identity-first security and are trusted by 20,000 customers, including 75 of the Fortune 100, plus a global ecosystem of partners. Learn more at [www.beyondtrust.com](http://www.beyondtrust.com).