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Feature Overview and Q&A – Procurement

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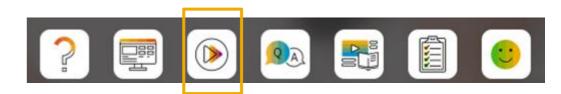
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Key Feature Discussions
– Features becoming mandatory
– Procure to pay features (mobile, core procurement, guided buying, catalog/spot buy, invoicing)

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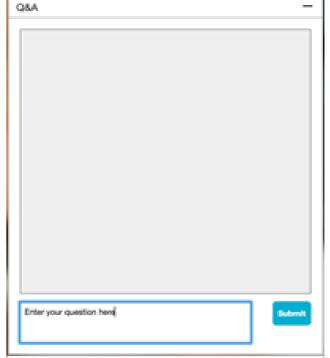
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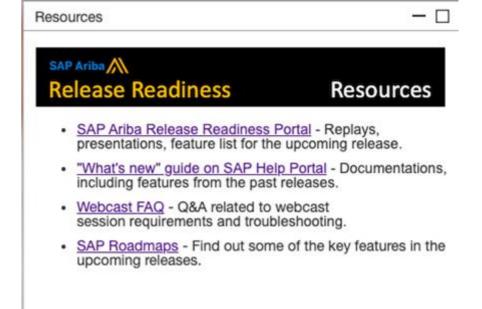
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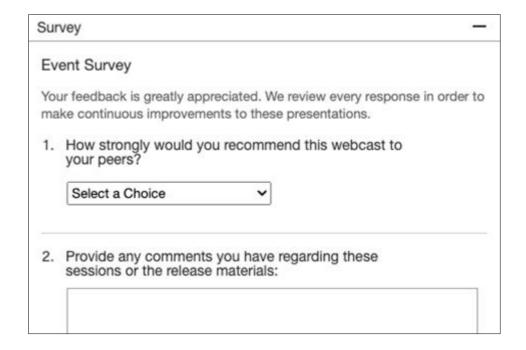
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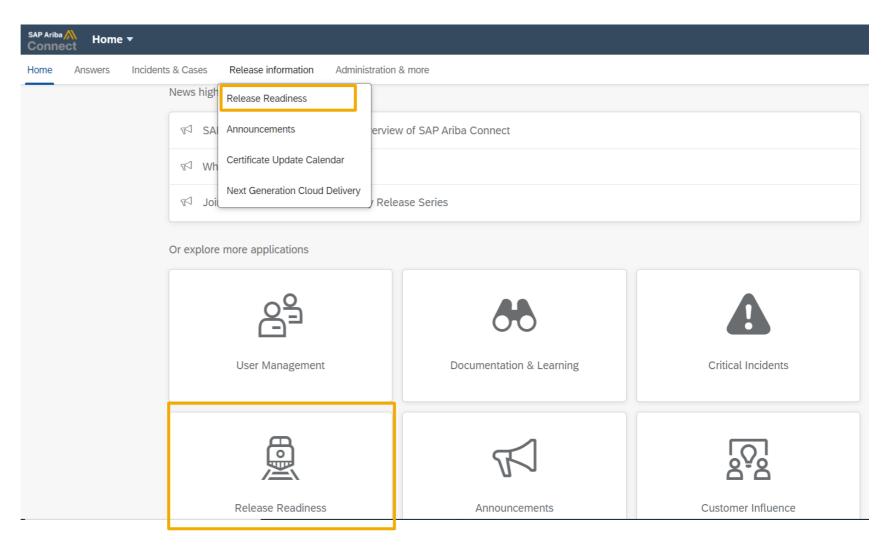Your feedback is used to continually improve our customer engagement activities for our quarterly product releases.

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Title: SAP Ariba 2208 Early Release Series - Procurement

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Summary

About this session:

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Solution Areas:

Guided Buying, Core Procurement, Catalog Management, Invoice Management

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Procure to pay
Planned Key Features

Features Becoming Mandatory

Procure to pay

Guided buying

1. **Support for supplier diversity information in non-catalog purchases** [GB-9570]

   Introduced with 2205 release (Q2 2022)

   Enables users to support diverse and socially responsible suppliers by designated them with diversity indicators.

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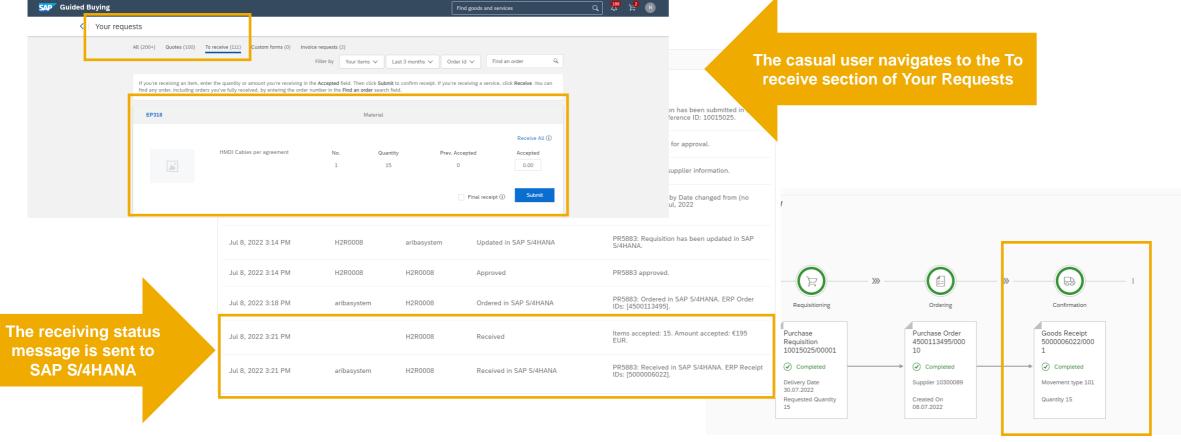
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Feature at a Glance
Support for Receiving Goods in Guided Buying in the 2NV and 3EN Integration Scenarios

Detailed feature information

The casual user navigates to the To receive section of Your Requests

The receiving status message is sent to SAP S/4HANA

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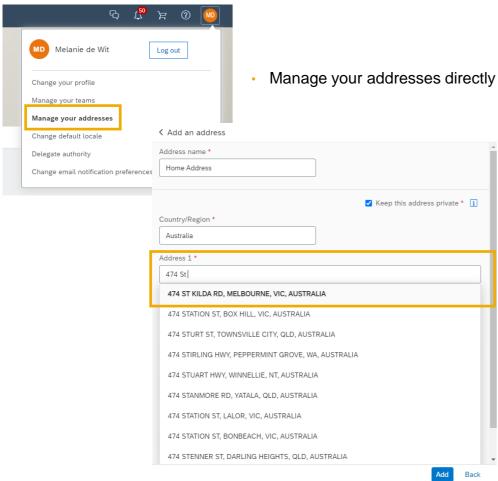7. Supplier risk in guided buying [GB-9926]

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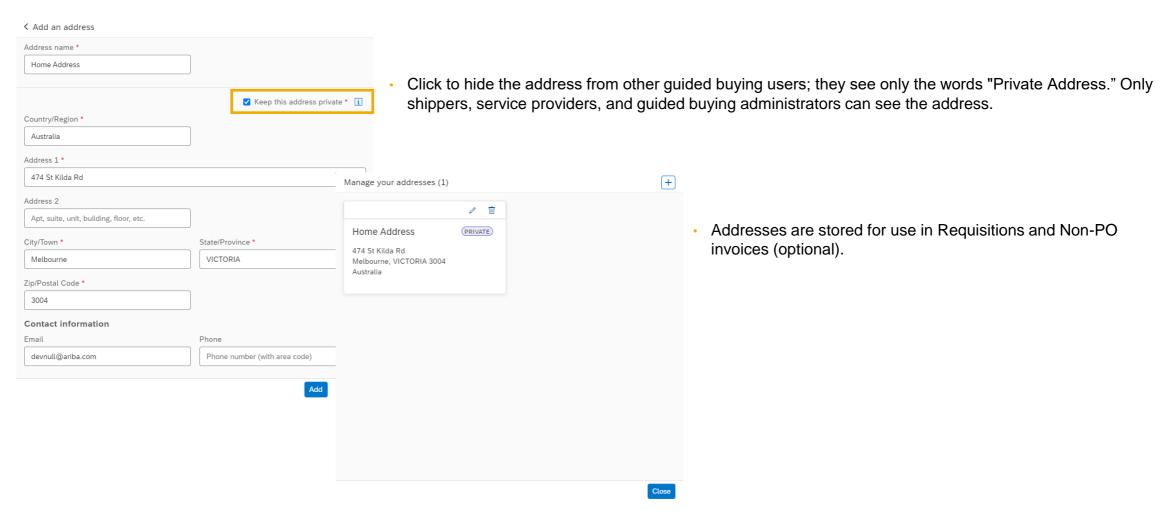
Detailed feature information

- Manage your addresses directly from your user profile in **guided buying.**

- Typeahead validates the address as you type (available for selected countries).
- Address can also be directly entered.

Feature at a Glance

Introducing: **Support for personal ship-to addresses**

Detailed feature information

< Add an address

Address name *

[Home Address]

☑ Keep this address private * ℹ

Country/Region *

[Australia]

Address 1 *

[474 St Kilda Rd]

Address 2

[Apt, suite, unit, building, floor, etc.]

City/Town *   State/Province *

[Melbourne]   [VICTORIA]

Zip/Postal Code *

[3004]

Contact information

Email   Phone

[devnull@ariba.com]   [Phone number (with area code)]

[Add]

Manage your addresses (1)   [+]

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Home Address   PRIVATE

474 St Kilda Rd
Melbourne, VICTORIA 3004
Australia

[Close]

- Click to hide the address from other guided buying users; they see only the words "Private Address." Only shippers, service providers, and guided buying administrators can see the address.

- Addresses are stored for use in Requisitions and Non-PO invoices (optional).

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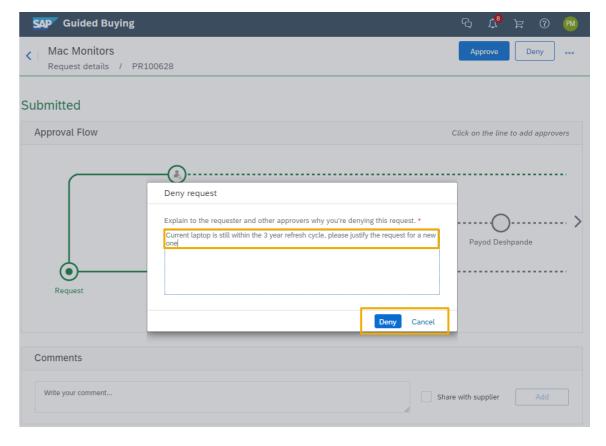1. Enhancements to inventory reservations [CP-19234]

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Feature at a Glance
Introducing: **Mandatory Comments on Requisition When Denied**

Detailed feature information

1. From approve requisition screen, approver selects Deny
2. Deny button will only be made available once comments are added

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Feature at a Glance
Introducing: **Self-service transfer of ownership**

Detailed feature information

Transferring ownership can be performed by opening the transfer of ownership form and completing the required fields.

- **From User** refers to the user who the approvable documents currently belong
- **To User** refers to the user who will receive ownership of the approvable documents
- **Approvable Type** refers to which type of approvable documents will be transferred. Options for this field are **Purchase Requisition, Invoice and All.**
- **Approvable Status** refers to the status that the approvable documents to be transferred are in.
- **Date Range** refers to the range of creation dates for which approvable documents will be transferred
- **Reason** provides context for approvers for why the transfer is being performed
- **Additional comments** can be added for additional context
- Clicking the **Apply** button uses the above criteria to search for documents requiring transfer

Note that transferring ownership of purchase requisitions will cascade transfer of ownership of purchase orders and receipts associated with the purchase requisition.

Transferring ownership of invoices will also transfer ownership of invoice reconciliations associated with the invoice.

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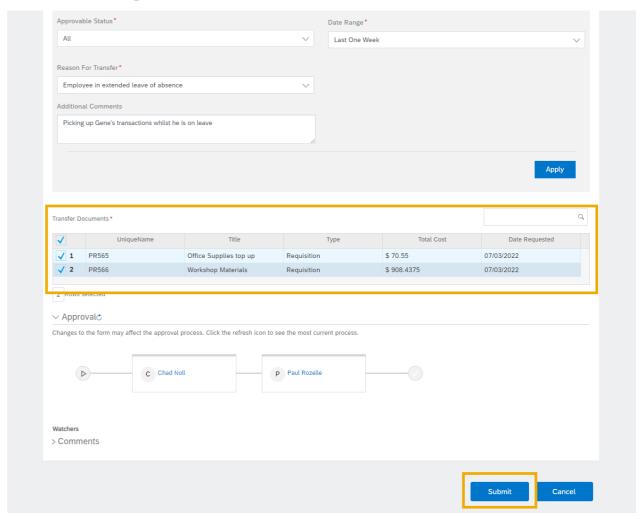## Introducing: **Self-service transfer of ownership**

Document Selection and Approvals

Once the API has retrieved documents that meet the search criteria, the user can select the desired approvable documents to be included in the transfer.

Upon clicking **Submit** the transfer of ownership will proceed through the approval flow configured in the form.

Once approvers have approved, the transfer of ownership will be processed automatically and documents will be transferred to their new owner.

The transfer can be exported to reflect the same in your ERP solution, utilizing a webservice integration.

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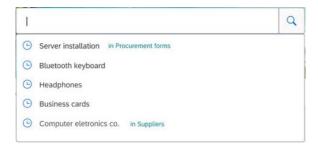
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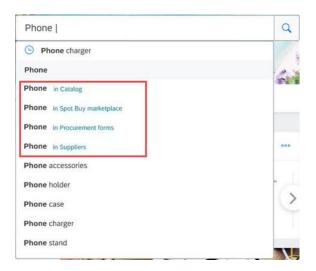7. Supplier risk in guided buying [GB-9926]

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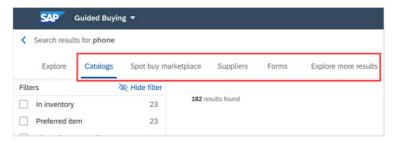
Detailed feature information

Search bar now displays shopping history:

When a search term is entered links to the buying channels containing the item will be displayed:

When you search for an item tabs for each buy channel containing the item will be displayed at the top of the results page:
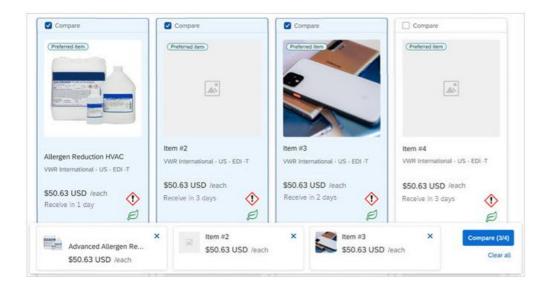

More information about the search result is now displayed such as preferred/qualified status, shipping status, corporate social responsibility indicators or hazardous material indicator:
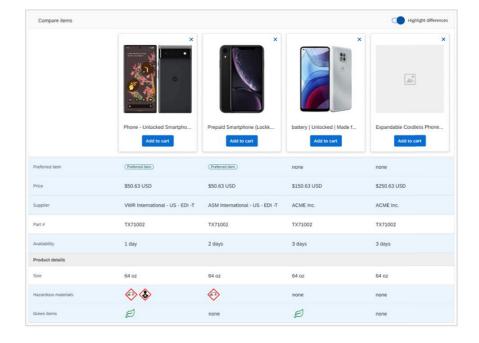

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Introducing: **Improved search in guided buying**

Detailed feature information

When viewing search results, add up to four catalog items to compare:

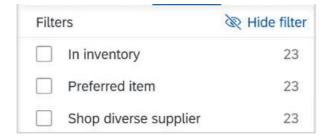Comparing items allows you to view details for multiple items at once:

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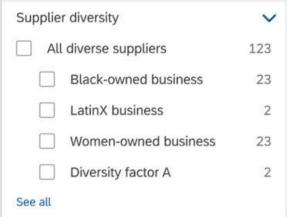
Introducing: **Improved search in guided buying**

Detailed feature information

The following filters are now available on the search results page:

In inventory, Preferred item, and
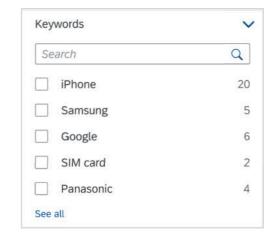**Shop diverse supplier**:

Filters	Hide filter
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☐ Shop diverse supplier	23

Supplier diversity:

Supplier diversity	⌄
☐ All diverse suppliers	123
☐ Black-owned business	23
☐ LatinX business	2
☐ Women-owned business	23
☐ Diversity factor A	2
See all	

Hazardous material:

Hazardous material	⌄
☐ All hazardous materials	123
☐ 🔥 Flammable	2
☐ Compressed Gas	2
☐ Corrosive	2
☐ ⚠ Harmful	2
See all	

Keywords:

Keywords	⌄
Search 🔍	
☐ iPhone	20
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☐ Panasonic	4
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Price:

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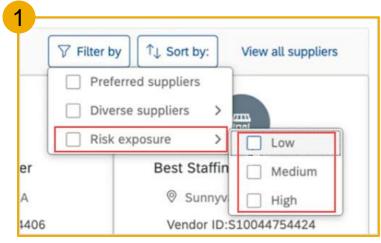
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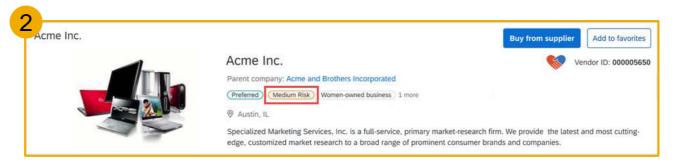
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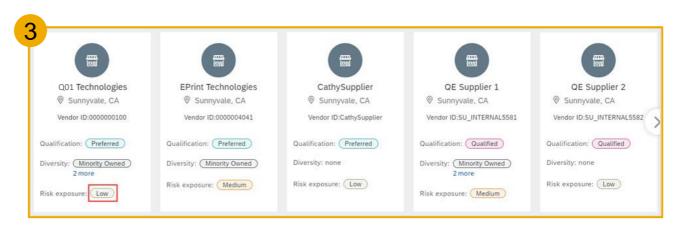Introducing: **Supplier Risk in Guided Buying**

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The level of risk displays for suppliers for non-catalog requests and requests for quotes.
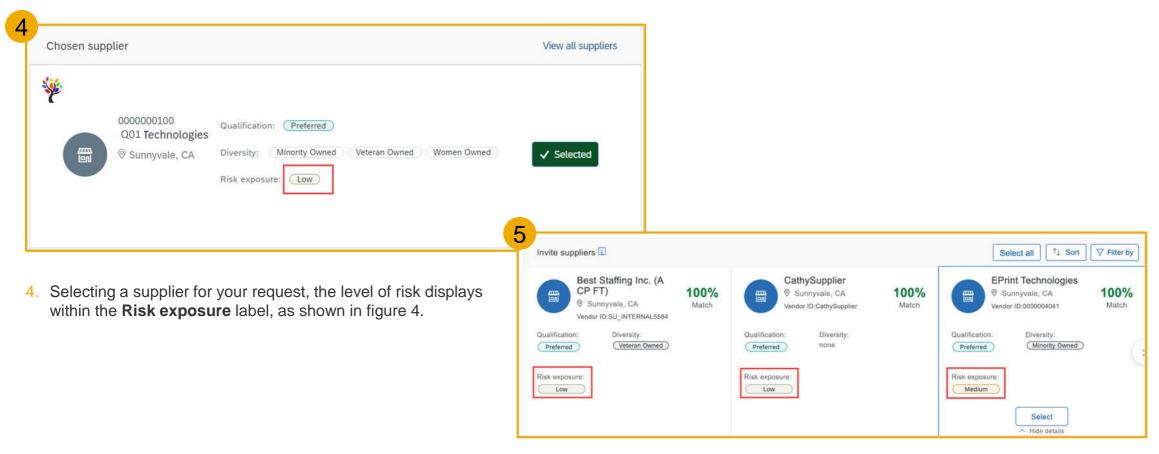
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2. Searching for a supplier, the level of risk displays as **Medium Risk**, **Low Risk**, **High Risk**, or **Unknown**. The supplier shown in figure 2 displays a **Medium Risk** level.

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1. Using filters to search for a supplier, the risk levels are in the **Risk exposure** filter as shown in figure 1.

3. Opening a landing page with a carousel of preferred or qualified suppliers, the level of risk displays within the **Risk exposure** label, as shown in the figure 3.

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Detailed feature information

4. Selecting a supplier for your request, the level of risk displays within the **Risk exposure** label, as shown in figure 4.

5. Requesting a quote for an item, the level of risk displays within the **Risk exposure** label, as shown in figure 5.

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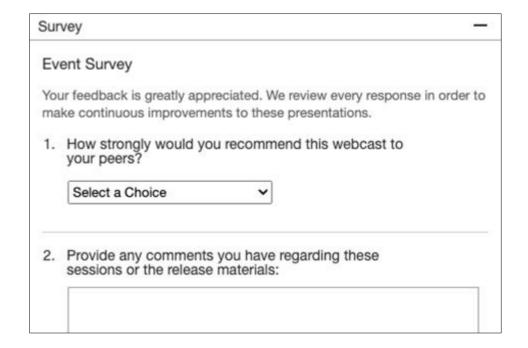
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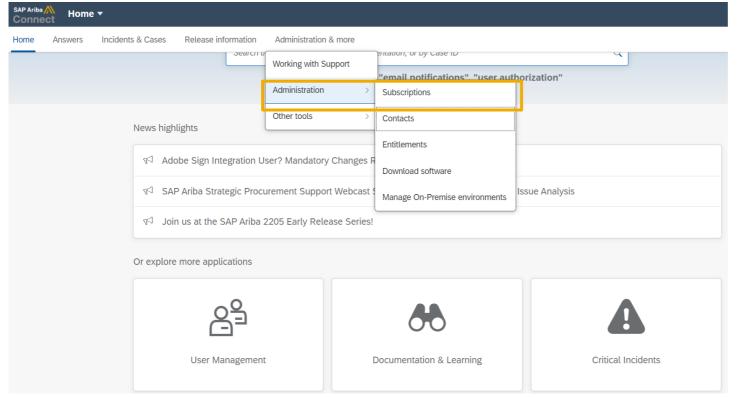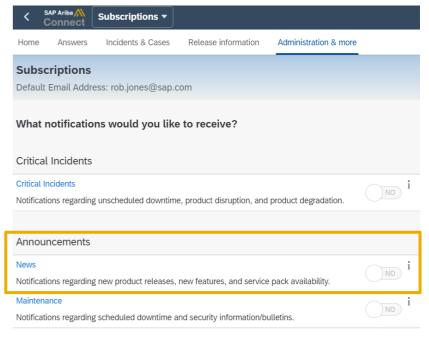# Appendix: Additional information of possible interest

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