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## Abstract

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# CHAPTER 1. RELEASE NOTES

Learn about the current release.

**Note:** The 2.4 and earlier versions of Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management are *removed* from service, and are no longer supported. Documentation for versions 2.4 and earlier is not updated. The documentation might remain available, but is deprecated without any Errata or other updates available.

- [What's new in Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes](#)
- [Errata updates](#)
- [Known issues and limitations](#)
- [Deprecations and removals](#)
- [Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes considerations for GDPR readiness](#)
- [FIPS readiness](#)

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## 1.1. WHAT'S NEW IN RED HAT ADVANCED CLUSTER MANAGEMENT FOR KUBERNETES

Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes provides visibility of your entire Kubernetes domain with built-in governance, cluster lifecycle management, and application lifecycle management, along with observability. With this release, you can move towards managing clusters in more environments, GitOps integration for applications, and more.

**Important:** Some features and components are identified and released as [Technology Preview](#).

- [Installation](#)
- [Web console](#)
- [Clusters](#)
- [Applications](#)
- [Governance](#)
- [Add-ons](#)
- [Backup and restore](#)

### 1.1.1. Installation

You can now rely on the Operator Lifecycle Manager **operatorcondition** resource to enforce an efficient Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes upgrade procedure, which will prevent errors from attempts to skip releases. See [Upgrading](#) for more details.

### 1.1.2. Web console

- You can get information about your cluster add-ons from the *Overview* page. Click **Cluster add-ons** for information about availability and health.
- Grafana component version is upgraded from version 8.1.3 to 8.5.20. Refer to [Verifying Grafana version](#).
- When creating a credential, adding an internal certificate authority now automatically updates your **clouds.yaml** with the certificate information.
- The **search-api** and **search\_indexer** now expose metrics. Read [Searching in the console introduction](#).
- Add multiple environment variables for search pods using the **envVar** section to specify a value for each variable that you name. See [Search customization and configurations](#).
- The **prometheus-alertmanager** is upgraded to v0.25.0.
- Thanos is upgraded to v0.31.0
- You can now select multiple nodes to view from the *Utilization* dashboard.
- Filters and time ranges remain as you navigate through your Grafana dashboards.
- The following three dashboards are provided when the service is enabled, *Alert Analysis*, *Clusters by Alert*, and *Alerts by Cluster*.
- A new **Remove automation template** option is available on the clusters page.
- You can now receive descriptions, links to Ansible templates, and inventories from the *Automation* and *Policy Automation* editor based on your selection.

For other topics for observability from the web console, see [Observability service introduction](#).

### 1.1.3. Cluster

Cluster lifecycle components and features are within the multicluster engine operator, which is a software operator that enhances cluster fleet management. The multicluster engine operator supports Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform and Kubernetes cluster lifecycle management across clouds and data centers. OpenShift Container Platform is a prerequisite for this technology.

View release notes, as well as tasks and support information at [Cluster lifecycle overview](#).

### 1.1.4. Applications

- You can use the Argo CD pull model to deploy resources from your hub cluster to each managed cluster with the same **ApplicationSet** CRD that is used for the push model. Pull model implementation applies OpenShift Cluster Manager registration, placement, and **manifestWork** APIs so that the hub cluster can use the secure communication channel between the hub cluster and the managed cluster to deploy resources. See [Deploying Argo CD with the push and pull model](#) for more information.
- Configure application placement tolerations to register managed clusters that deploy applications to Red Hat OpenShift GitOps. See [Configuring application placement tolerations for Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management and OpenShift GitOps](#) for more details.

For other Application topics, see [Managing applications](#).

### 1.1.5. Governance

- You can now configure the Policy Generator to remove extra metadata when replicating policies, along with specifying placement label selectors for your policies and policy sets. Read [Policy Generator configuration reference table](#) for more details.
- Use the **copyConfigMapData** and **copySecretData** functions to copy the data contents of a specific ConfigMap or secret. Read [Template functions](#) for more details.
- Add multiple YAML strings for your policy templates. Read [Configuration policy YAML table](#) for more details.
- You can now create, edit, and display descriptions for your policies by using the **policy.open-cluster-management.io/description** annotation. Read [Creating a cluster security policy from the console](#).
- Use the **.ManagedClusterLabels** variable in hub cluster templates to lookup label values from the managed cluster, when the policy is propagated. See the [Comparison of hub cluster and managed cluster templates](#) section to view the comparison table.
- Leverage the Gatekeeper integration for multicluster distribution and Gatekeeper audit results aggregation on your hub cluster by using Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management policies. Refer to [Integrating gatekeeper constraints and constraint templates](#).
- You can configure the rate of requests and bursts for the API server to change the responsiveness of the configuration policy controller. Read [Configure the rate of requests to the API server](#) for more information.
- Apply the Red Hat OpenShift Platform Plus policy set to install Red Hat OpenShift Platform Plus. See [Red Hat OpenShift Platform Plus policy set](#) for more details.

See [Governance](#) to learn more about the dashboard and the policy framework.

### 1.1.6. Add-ons

- You can now replicate a persistent volume by using an Rsync-TLS replication. Rsync-TLS uses a TLS-protected tunnel provided by stunnel for enhanced security. See [Configuring an Rsync-TLS replication](#) for more information.

### 1.1.7. Backup and restore

See [Backup and restore](#) to learn about disaster recovery solutions for your hub cluster.

### 1.1.8. Learn more about this release

- Get an overview of Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes from [Welcome to Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes](#).
- See more release notes, such as *Known Issues and Limitations* in the Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management [Release notes](#).
- See the [Multicluster architecture](#) topic to learn more about major components of the product.

- See support information and more in the Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management [Troubleshooting](#) guide.
- Access the open source *Open Cluster Management* repository for interaction, growth, and contributions from the open community. To get involved, see [open-cluster-management.io](https://open-cluster-management.io). Visit the [GitHub repository](#) for more information.

## 1.2. ERRATA UPDATES

By default, Errata updates are automatically applied when released. The details are published here when the release is available.

**Important:** For reference, [Errata](#) links and Jira numbers might be added to the content and used internally. Links that require access might not be available for the user.

FIPS notice: If you do not specify your own ciphers in **spec.ingress.sslCiphers**, then the **multiclusterhub-operator** provides a default list of ciphers. For 2.4, this list includes two ciphers that are *not* FIPS approved. If you upgrade from a version 2.4.x or earlier and want FIPS compliance, remove the following two ciphers from the **multiclusterhub** resource: **ECDHE-ECDSA-CHACHA20-POLY1305** and **ECDHE-RSA-CHACHA20-POLY1305**.

See [Upgrading by using the operator](#) for more information about upgrades.

### 1.2.1. Errata 2.8.4

- Delivers updates to one or more of the product container images.

### 1.2.2. Errata 2.8.3

- Delivers updates to one or more of the product container images and security fixes.

### 1.2.3. Errata 2.8.2

- Delivers updates to one or more of the product container images and security fixes.
- Fixes an issue that caused policies to show a compliant state, even if some objects are not compliant. ([ACM-6171](#))
- Fixes an issue that caused an error message to appear when deploying **ApplicationSet** applications from the console. ([ACM-6003](#))
- Fixes an issue that caused policies with empty labels to not be applied. ([ACM-5398](#))

### 1.2.4. Errata 2.8.1

- Delivers updates to one or more of the product container images and security fixes.
- Fixes an issue that caused a missing root policy status. ([ACM-6291](#))

## 1.3. KNOWN ISSUES

Review the known issues for application management. The following list contains known issues for this release, or known issues that continued from the previous release.

For your Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform cluster, see [OpenShift Container Platform known issues](#).

For more about deprecations and removals, see [Deprecations and removals](#).

Cluster management or *cluster lifecycle* is provided by the multicluster engine operator with or without {product-title-short}. See the following known issues and limitations for cluster management that apply to {product-title-short} only. Most cluster management known issues are located in the cluster lifecycle documentation at [cluster lifecycle known issues](#).

- [Installation known issues](#)
- [Business continuity known issues](#)
- [Console known issues](#)
- [Application known issues](#)
- [Observability known issues](#)
- [Governance known issues](#)
- [Networking known issues](#)

### 1.3.1. Installation known issues

Review the known issues for installation. The following list contains known issues for this release, or known issues that continued from the previous release.

For your Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform cluster, see [OpenShift Container Platform known issues](#)[OpenShift Container Platform known issues].

For more about deprecations and removals, see [Deprecations and removals](#).

#### 1.3.1.1. Deprecated resources remain after upgrade to Errata releases

After you upgrade from 2.4.x to 2.5.x, and then to 2.6.x, deprecated resources in the managed cluster namespace might remain. You need to manually delete these deprecated resources if version 2.6.x was upgraded from 2.4.x:

**Note:** You need to wait 30 minutes or more before you upgrade from version 2.5.x to version 2.6.x.

You can delete from the console, or you can run a command similar to the following example for the resources you want to delete:

```
oc delete -n <managed cluster namespace> managedclusteraddons.addon.open-cluster-management.io <resource-name>
```

See the list of deprecated resources that might remain:

```
managedclusteraddons.addon.open-cluster-management.io:
policy-controller
manifestworks.work.open-cluster-management.io:
-klusterlet-addon-appmgr
-klusterlet-addon-certpolicyctrl
-klusterlet-addon-crds
```

```
-klusterlet-addon-iampolicyctrl
-klusterlet-addon-operator
-klusterlet-addon-policyctrl
-klusterlet-addon-workmgr
```

### 1.3.1.2. Pods might not come back up after upgrading Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management

After upgrading Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management to a new version, a few pods that belong to a **StatefulSet** might remain in a **failed** state. This infrequent event is caused by a known [Kubernetes issue](#).

As a workaround for this problem, delete the failed pod. Kubernetes automatically relaunches it with the correct settings.

### 1.3.1.3. OpenShift Container Platform cluster upgrade failed status

When an OpenShift Container Platform cluster is in the upgrade stage, the cluster pods are restarted and the cluster might remain in **upgrade failed** status for a variation of 1-5 minutes. This behavior is expected and resolves after a few minutes.

### 1.3.1.4. Create MultiClusterEngine button not working

After installing Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes in the Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform console, a pop-up window with the following message appears:

#### MultiClusterEngine required

#### Create a MultiClusterEngine instance to use this Operator.

The **Create MultiClusterEngine** button in the pop-up window message might not work. To work around the issue, select **Create instance** in the MultiClusterEngine tile in the Provided APIs section.

## 1.3.2. Business continuity known issues

Review the known issues for Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes. The following list contains known issues for this release, or known issues that continued from the previous release.

For your Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform cluster, see [OpenShift Container Platform known issues](#)[OpenShift Container Platform known issues].

For more about deprecations and removals, see [Deprecations and removals](#).

### 1.3.2.1. Backup and restore known issues

#### 1.3.2.1.1. BackupSchedule shows a FailedValidation status when using OADP 1.1.2, or later

After you enable the Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management backup and restore component and successfully create a **DataProtectionApplication** resource, a **BackupStorageLocation** resource is created with a status of **Available**. When you are using OADP version 1.1.2 or later, you might receive the following message after you create a **BackupSchedule** resource and the status is **FailedValidation**:

```
oc get backupschedule -n open-cluster-management-backup
NAME PHASE MESSAGE
rosa-backup-schedule FailedValidation Backup storage location is not available. Check
```

`velero.io.BackupStorageLocation` and validate storage credentials.

The error is caused by a missing value for **ownerReference** in the **BackupStorageLocation** resource. The value of the **DataProtectionApplication** resource should be used as the value of the **ownerReference**.

To work around the problem, manually add the **ownerReference** to the **BackupStorageLocation**:

1. Open the **oadp-operator.v1.1.2** file by running the following command:

```
oc edit csv -n open-cluster-management-backup oadp-operator.v1.1.2
```

2. Edit the value of **spec.deployments.label.spec.replicas** by replacing the **1** with a **0** in the OADP operator CSV.
3. Patch the **ownerReference** annotations in the YAML script as shown in the following example:

```
metadata:
  resourceVersion: '273482'
  name: dpa-sample-1
  uid: 4701599a-cdf5-48ac-9264-695a95b935a0
  namespace: open-cluster-management-backup
  ownerReferences: <<

  apiVersion: oadp.openshift.io/v1alpha1
  blockOwnerDeletion: true
  controller: true
  kind: DataProtectionApplication
  name: dpa-sample
  uid: 52acd151-52fd-440a-a846-95a0d7368ff7
```

4. Change the value of **spec.deployments.label.spec.replicas** back to **1** to start the data protection application process with the new settings.

### 1.3.2.1.2. Velero restore limitations

A new hub cluster can have a different configuration than the active hub cluster if the new hub cluster, where the data is restored, has user-created resources. For example, this can include an existing policy that was created on the new hub cluster before the backup data is restored on the new hub cluster.

Velero skips existing resources if they are not part of the restored backup, so the policy on the new hub cluster remains unchanged, resulting in a different configuration between the new hub cluster and active hub cluster.

To address this limitation, the cluster backup and restore operator runs a post restore operation to clean up the resources created by the user or a different restore operation when a **restore.cluster.open-cluster-management.io** resource is created.

For more information, see the [Installing the backup and restore operator](#) topic.

### 1.3.2.1.3. Passive configurations do not display managed clusters

Managed clusters are only displayed when the activation data is restored on the passive hub cluster.

### 1.3.2.1.4. Cluster backup and restore upgrade limitation

If you upgrade your cluster from 2.7 to 2.8 with the **enableClusterBackup** parameter set to **true**, the following message appears:

When upgrading from version 2.4 to 2.5, cluster backup must be disabled

Before you upgrade your cluster, disable cluster backup and restore by setting the **enableClusterBackup** parameter to **false**. The **components** section in your **MultiClusterHub** resource might resemble the following YAML file:

You can reenabling the backup and restore component when the upgrade is complete. View the following sample:

```
overrides:
  components:
    - enabled: true
      name: multiclusterhub-repo
    - enabled: true
      name: search
    - enabled: true
      name: management-ingress
    - enabled: true
      name: console
    - enabled: true
      name: insights
    - enabled: true
      name: grc
    - enabled: true
      name: cluster-lifecycle
    - enabled: true
      name: volsync
    - enabled: true
      name: multicluster-engine
    - enabled: false
      name: cluster-proxy-addon
    - enabled: true <<<<<<<<
      name: cluster-backup
  separateCertificateManagement: false
```

If you have manually installed OADP, you must manually uninstall OADP before you upgrade. After the upgrade is successful and backup and restore is reenabling, OADP is installed automatically.

#### 1.3.2.1.5. Managed cluster resource not restored

When you restore the settings for the **local-cluster** managed cluster resource and overwrite the **local-cluster** data on a new hub cluster, the settings are misconfigured. Content from the previous hub cluster **local-cluster** is not backed up because the resource contains **local-cluster** specific information, such as the cluster URL details.

You must manually apply any configuration changes that are related to the **local-cluster** resource on the restored cluster. See *Prepare the new hub cluster* in the [Installing the backup and restore operator](#) topic.

#### 1.3.2.1.6. Restored Hive managed clusters might not be able to connect with the new hub cluster

When you restore the backup of the changed or rotated certificate of authority (CA) for the Hive



managed cluster, on a new hub cluster, the managed cluster fails to connect to the new hub cluster. The connection fails because the **admin kubeconfig** secret for this managed cluster, available with the backup, is no longer valid.

You must manually update the restored **admin kubeconfig** secret of the managed cluster on the new hub cluster.

### 1.3.2.1.7. Imported managed clusters show a *Pending Import* status

Managed clusters that are manually imported on the primary hub cluster show a **Pending Import** status when the activation data is restored on the passive hub cluster. For more information, see [Connecting clusters by using a Managed Service Account](#).

### 1.3.2.1.8. The *appliedmanifestwork* is not removed from managed clusters after restoring the hub cluster

When the hub cluster data is restored on the new hub cluster, the **appliedmanifestwork** is not removed from managed clusters that have a placement rule for an application subscription that is not a fixed cluster set.

See the following example of a placement rule for an application subscription that is not a fixed cluster set:

```
spec:
  clusterReplicas: 1
  clusterSelector:
    matchLabels:
      environment: dev
```

As a result, the application is orphaned when the managed cluster is detached from the restored hub cluster.

To avoid the issue, specify a fixed cluster set in the placement rule. See the following example:

```
spec:
  clusterSelector:
    matchLabels:
      environment: dev
```

You can also delete the remaining **appliedmanifestwork** manually by running the following command:

```
oc delete appliedmanifestwork <the-left-appliedmanifestwork-name>
```

### 1.3.2.1.9. The *appliedmanifestwork* is not removed and hub cluster placement rule does not have a fixed cluster set

When the hub cluster data is restored on the new hub cluster, the **appliedmanifestwork** is not removed from managed clusters that have a placement rule for an application subscription that is not a fixed cluster set. As a result, the application is orphaned when the managed cluster is detached from the restored hub cluster.

See the following example of a placement rule for an application subscription that is not a fixed cluster set:

```
spec:
  clusterReplicas: 1
  clusterSelector:
    matchLabels:
      environment: dev
```

To avoid the issue, specify a fixed cluster set in the placement rule. See the following example:

```
spec:
  clusterSelector:
    matchLabels:
      environment: dev
```

You can also delete the remaining **appliedmanifestwork** manually by running the following command:

```
oc delete appliedmanifestwork <the-left-appliedmanifestwork-name>
```

#### 1.3.2.1.10. *appliedmanifestwork* not removed and *agentID* is missing in the specification

When you are using Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management 2.6 as your primary hub cluster, but your restore hub cluster is on version 2.7 or later, the **agentID** is missing in the specification of **appliedmanifestworks** because the field is introduced in the 2.7 release. This results in the extra **appliedmanifestworks** for the primary hub on the managed cluster.

To avoid the issue, upgrade the primary hub cluster to Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management 2.7, then restore the backup on a new hub cluster.

Fix the managed clusters by setting the **spec.agentID** manually for each **appliedmanifestwork**.

1. Run the following command to get the **agentID**:

```
oc get klusterlet klusterlet -o jsonpath='{.metadata.uid}'
```

2. Run the following command to set the **spec.agentID** for each **appliedmanifestwork**:

```
oc patch appliedmanifestwork <appliedmanifestwork_name> --type=merge -p '{"spec": {"agentID": "$AGENT_ID"}}'
```

#### 1.3.2.1.11. The *managed-serviceaccount* add-on status shows *Unknown*

The managed cluster **appliedmanifestwork addon-managed-serviceaccount-deploy** is removed from the imported managed cluster if you are using the Managed Service Account without enabling it on the multicluster engine for Kubernetes operator resource of the new hub cluster.

The managed cluster is still imported to the new hub cluster, but the **managed-serviceaccount** add-on status shows **Unknown**.

You can recover the **managed-serviceaccount** add-on after enabling the Managed Service Account in the multicluster engine operator resource. See [Enabling automatic import](#) to learn how to enable the Managed Service Account.

### 1.3.3. Console known issues

Review the known issues for the console. The following list contains known issues for this release, or known issues that continued from the previous release.

For your Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform cluster, see [OpenShift Container Platform known issues](#).

For more about deprecations and removals, see [Deprecations and removals](#).

### 1.3.3.1. Search PostgreSQL pod is in CrashLoopBackoff state

The **search-postgres** pod is in **CrashLoopBackoff** state. If Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management is deployed in a cluster with nodes that have the **hugepages** parameter enabled and the **search-postgres** pod gets scheduled in these nodes, then the pod does not start.

Complete the following steps to increase the memory of the **search-postgres** pod:

1. Pause the **search-operator** pod with the following command:

```
oc annotate search search-v2-operator search-pause=true
```

2. Update the **search-postgres** deployment with a limit for the **hugepages** parameter. Run the following command to set the **hugepages** parameter to **512Mi**:

```
oc patch deployment search-postgres --type json -p [{"op": "add", "path":
"/spec/template/spec/containers/0/resources/limits/hugepages-2Mi", "value": "512Mi"}]
```

3. Before you verify the memory usage for the pod, make sure your **search-postgres** pod is in the **Running** state. Run the following command:

```
oc get pod <your-postgres-pod-name> -o jsonpath="Status: {.status.phase}"
```

4. Run the following command to verify the memory usage of the **search-postgres** pod:

```
oc get pod <your-postgres-pod-name> -o
jsonpath='{.spec.containers[0].resources.limits.hugepages-2Mi}'
```

The following value appears, **512Mi**.

### 1.3.3.2. Console features might not display in Firefox earlier version

There are known issues with dark theme styling for older versions of Firefox. Upgrade to the latest version for the best console compatibility.

For more information, see [Supported browsers](#).

### 1.3.3.3. Restrictions for storage size in search customization

When you update the storage size in the **searchcustomization** CR, the PVC configuration does not change. If you need to update the storage size, update the PVC (**<storageclassname>-search-redisgraph-0**) with the following command:

```
oc edit pvc <storageclassname>-search-redisgraph-0
```

### 1.3.3.4. Search query parsing error

If an environment becomes large and requires more tests for scaling, the search queries can timeout which results in a parsing error message being displayed. This error is displayed after 30 seconds of waiting for a search query.

Extend the timeout time with the following command:

```
kubectl annotate route multcloud-console haproxy.router.openshift.io/timeout=Xs
```

### 1.3.3.5. Cannot edit namespace bindings for cluster set

When you edit namespace bindings for a cluster set with the **admin** role or **bind** role, you might encounter an error that resembles the following message:

**ResourceError: managedclustersetbindings.cluster.open-cluster-management.io "<cluster-set>" is forbidden: User "<user>" cannot create/delete resource "managedclustersetbindings" in API group "cluster.open-cluster-management.io" in the namespace "<namespace>".**

To resolve the issue, make sure you also have permission to create or delete a **ManagedClusterSetBinding** resource in the namespace you want to bind. The role bindings only allow you to bind the cluster set to the namespace.

### 1.3.3.6. Horizontal scrolling does not work after provisioning hosted control plane cluster

After provisioning a hosted control plane cluster, you might not be able to scroll horizontally in the cluster overview of the Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management console if the **ClusterVersionUpgradeable** parameter is too long. You cannot view the hidden data as a result.

To work around the issue, zoom out by using your browser zoom controls, increase your Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management console window size, or copy and paste the text to a different location.

### 1.3.3.7. *EditApplicationSet* expand feature repeats

When you add multiple label expressions or attempt to enter your cluster selector for your **ApplicationSet**, you might receive the following message repeatedly, "Expand to enter expression". You can enter your cluster selection despite this issue.

### 1.3.3.8. Application console does not support Argo CD pull model

When you deploy **ApplicationSet** resources using the Argo CD pull model, the application is displayed incorrectly from the *Topology* page. Deploying **ApplicationSet** applications using the Argo CD pull model is not supported.

## 1.3.4. Application known issues and limitations

Review the known issues for application management. The following list contains known issues for this release, or known issues that continued from the previous release.

For your Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform cluster, see [OpenShift Container Platform known issues](#).

For more about deprecations and removals, see [Deprecations and removals](#).

See the following known issues for the application lifecycle component.

### 1.3.4.1. Local cluster is excluded as a managed cluster for pull model

The hub cluster application set deploys to target managed clusters, but the local cluster, which is a managed hub cluster, is excluded as a target managed cluster.

### 1.3.4.2. Argo CD controller and the propagation controller might reconcile simultaneously

Both the Argo CD controller and the propagation controller might reconcile on the same application resource and cause the duplicate instances of application deployment on the managed clusters, but from the different deployment models.

For deploying applications by using the pull model, the Argo CD controllers ignore these application resources when the Argo CD **argocd.argoproj.io/skip-reconcile** annotation is added to the template section of the **ApplicationSet**.

The **argocd.argoproj.io/skip-reconcile** annotation is only available in the GitOps operator version 1.9.0, or later. To prevent conflicts, wait until the hub cluster and all the managed clusters are upgraded to GitOps operator version 1.9.0 before implementing the pull model.

### 1.3.4.3. Resource fails to deploy

All the resources listed in the **MulticlusterApplicationSetReport** are actually deployed on the managed clusters. If a resource fails to deploy, the resource is not included in the resource list, but the cause is listed in the error message.

### 1.3.4.4. Resource allocation might take several minutes

For large environments with over 1000 managed clusters and Argo CD application sets that are deployed to hundreds of managed clusters, Argo CD application creation on the hub cluster might take several minutes. You can set the **requeueAfterSeconds** to **zero** in the **clusterDecisionResource** generator of the application set, as it is displayed in the following example file:

```
apiVersion: argoproj.io/v1alpha1
kind: ApplicationSet
metadata:
  name: cm-allclusters-app-set
  namespace: openshift-gitops
spec:
  generators:
  - clusterDecisionResource:
      configMapRef: ocm-placement-generator
      labelSelector:
        matchLabels:
          cluster.open-cluster-management.io/placement: app-placement
      requeueAfterSeconds: 0
```

### 1.3.4.5. Application ObjectBucket channel type cannot use allow and deny lists

You cannot specify allow and deny lists with ObjectBucket channel type in the **subscription-admin** role. In other channel types, the allow and deny lists in the subscription indicates which Kubernetes resources can be deployed, and which Kubernetes resources should not be deployed.

#### 1.3.4.5.1. Argo Application cannot be deployed on 3.x OpenShift Container Platform managed clusters

Argo **ApplicationSet** from the console cannot be deployed on 3.x OpenShift Container Platform managed clusters because the **Infrastructure.config.openshift.io** API is not available on 3.x.

#### 1.3.4.6. Changes to the `multicluster_operators_subscription` image do not take effect automatically

The **application-manager** add-on that is running on the managed clusters is now handled by the subscription operator, when it was previously handled by the `klusterlet` operator. The subscription operator is not managed the **multicluster-hub**, so changes to the **multicluster\_operators\_subscription** image in the **multicluster-hub** image manifest ConfigMap do not take effect automatically.

If the image that is used by the subscription operator is overridden by changing the **multicluster\_operators\_subscription** image in the **multicluster-hub** image manifest ConfigMap, the **application-manager** add-on on the managed clusters does not use the new image until the subscription operator pod is restarted. You need to restart the pod.

#### 1.3.4.7. Policy resource not deployed unless by subscription administrator

The **policy.open-cluster-management.io/v1** resources are no longer deployed by an application subscription by default for Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management version 2.4.

A subscription administrator needs to deploy the application subscription to change this default behavior.

See [Creating an allow and deny list as subscription administrator](#) for information. **policy.open-cluster-management.io/v1** resources that were deployed by existing application subscriptions in previous Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management versions remain, but are no longer reconciled with the source repository unless the application subscriptions are deployed by a subscription administrator.

#### 1.3.4.8. Application Ansible hook stand-alone mode

Ansible hook stand-alone mode is not supported. To deploy Ansible hook on the hub cluster with a subscription, you might use the following subscription YAML:

```
apiVersion: apps.open-cluster-management.io/v1
kind: Subscription
metadata:
  name: sub-rhacm-gitops-demo
  namespace: hello-openshift
annotations:
  apps.open-cluster-management.io/github-path: myapp
  apps.open-cluster-management.io/github-branch: master
spec:
  hooksecretref:
    name: toweraccess
  channel: rhacm-gitops-demo/ch-rhacm-gitops-demo
  placement:
    local: true
```

However, this configuration might never create the Ansible instance, since the **spec.placement.local:true** has the subscription running on **standalone** mode. You need to create the subscription in hub mode.

1. Create a placement rule that deploys to **local-cluster**. See the following sample where **local-cluster: "true"** refers to your hub cluster:

```
apiVersion: apps.open-cluster-management.io/v1
kind: PlacementRule
metadata:
  name: <towhichcluster>
  namespace: hello-openshift
spec:
  clusterSelector:
    matchLabels:
      local-cluster: "true"
```

2. Reference that placement rule in your subscription. See the following sample:

```
apiVersion: apps.open-cluster-management.io/v1
kind: Subscription
metadata:
  name: sub-rhacm-gitops-demo
  namespace: hello-openshift
annotations:
  apps.open-cluster-management.io/github-path: myapp
  apps.open-cluster-management.io/github-branch: master
spec:
  hooksecretref:
    name: toweraccess
  channel: rhacm-gitops-demo/ch-rhacm-gitops-demo
  placement:
    placementRef:
      name: <towhichcluster>
      kind: PlacementRule
```

After applying both, you should see the Ansible instance created in your hub cluster.

#### 1.3.4.9. Application not deployed after an updated placement rule

If applications are not deploying after an update to a placement rule, verify that the **application-manager** pod is running. The **application-manager** is the subscription container that needs to run on managed clusters.

You can run **oc get pods -n open-cluster-management-agent-addon |grep application-manager** to verify.

You can also search for **kind:pod cluster:yourcluster** in the console and see if the **application-manager** is running.

If you cannot verify, attempt to import the cluster again and verify again.

#### 1.3.4.10. Subscription operator does not create an SCC

Learn about Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform SCC at [Managing Security Context Constraints \(SCC\)](#), which is an additional configuration required on the managed cluster.

Different deployments have different security context and different service accounts. The subscription operator cannot create an SCC CR automatically.. Administrators control permissions for pods. A

Security Context Constraints (SCC) CR is required to enable appropriate permissions for the relative service accounts to create pods in the non-default namespace. To manually create an SCC CR in your namespace, complete the following steps:

1. Find the service account that is defined in the deployments. For example, see the following **nginx** deployments:

```
nginx-ingress-52edb
nginx-ingress-52edb-backend
```

2. Create an SCC CR in your namespace to assign the required permissions to the service account or accounts. See the following example, where **kind: SecurityContextConstraints** is added:

```
apiVersion: security.openshift.io/v1
defaultAddCapabilities:
kind: SecurityContextConstraints
metadata:
  name: ingress-nginx
  namespace: ns-sub-1
priority: null
readOnlyRootFilesystem: false
requiredDropCapabilities:
fsGroup:
  type: RunAsAny
runAsUser:
  type: RunAsAny
seLinuxContext:
  type: RunAsAny
users:
- system:serviceaccount:my-operator:nginx-ingress-52edb
- system:serviceaccount:my-operator:nginx-ingress-52edb-backend
```

#### 1.3.4.11. Application channels require unique namespaces

Creating more than one channel in the same namespace can cause errors with the hub cluster.

For instance, namespace **charts-v1** is used by the installer as a Helm type channel, so do not create any additional channels in **charts-v1**. Ensure that you create your channel in a unique namespace. All channels need an individual namespace, except GitHub channels, which can share a namespace with another GitHub channel.

#### 1.3.4.12. Ansible Automation Platform job fail

Ansible jobs fail to run when you select an incompatible option. Ansible Automation Platform only works when the **-cluster-scoped** channel options are chosen. This affects all components that need to perform Ansible jobs.

#### 1.3.4.13. Ansible Automation Platform operator access Ansible Automation Platform outside of a proxy

The Red Hat Ansible Automation Platform operator cannot access Ansible Automation Platform outside of a proxy-enabled OpenShift Container Platform cluster. To resolve, you can install the Ansible Automation Platform within the proxy. See install steps that are provided by Ansible Automation Platform.



### 1.3.4.14. Application name requirements

An application name cannot exceed 37 characters. The application deployment displays the following error if the characters exceed this amount.

```
status:
  phase: PropagationFailed
  reason: 'Deployable.apps.open-cluster-management.io "_long_lengthy_name_" is invalid:
  metadata.labels: Invalid value: "_long_lengthy_name_": must be no more than 63 characters/n'
```

### 1.3.4.15. Application console table limitations

See the following limitations to various *Application* tables in the console:

- From the *Applications* table on the *Overview* page and the *Subscriptions* table on the *Advanced configuration* page, the *Clusters* column displays a count of clusters where application resources are deployed. Since applications are defined by resources on the local cluster, the local cluster is included in the search results, whether actual application resources are deployed on the local cluster or not.
- From the *Advanced configuration* table for *Subscriptions*, the *Applications* column displays the total number of applications that use that subscription, but if the subscription deploys child applications, those are included in the search result, as well.
- From the *Advanced configuration* table for *Channels*, the *Subscriptions* column displays the total number of subscriptions on the local cluster that use that channel, but this does not include subscriptions that are deployed by other subscriptions, which are included in the search result.

### 1.3.4.16. No Application console topology filtering

The *Console* and *Topology* for *Application* changes for the 2.8. There is no filtering capability from the console *Topology* page.

### 1.3.4.17. Allow and deny list does not work in Object storage applications

The **allow** and **deny** list feature does not work in Object storage application subscriptions.

## 1.3.5. Observability known issues

Review the known issues for Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes. The following list contains known issues for this release, or known issues that continued from the previous release.

For your Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform cluster, see [OpenShift Container Platform known issues](#)[OpenShift Container Platform known issues].

For more about deprecations and removals, see [Deprecations and removals](#).

### 1.3.5.1. Duplicate local-clusters on Service-level Overview dashboard

When various hub clusters deploy Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management observability using the same S3 storage, *duplicate local-clusters* can be detected and displayed within the *Kubernetes/Service-Level Overview/API Server* dashboard. The duplicate clusters affect the results within the following panels: *Top Clusters*, *Number of clusters that has exceeded the SLO*, and *Number of clusters that are*

meeting the SLO. The **local-clusters** are unique clusters associated with the shared S3 storage. To prevent multiple **local-clusters** from displaying within the dashboard, it is recommended for each unique hub cluster to deploy observability with a S3 bucket specifically for the hub cluster.

### 1.3.5.2. Observability endpoint operator fails to pull image

The observability endpoint operator fails if you create a pull-secret to deploy to the MultiClusterObservability CustomResource (CR) and there is no pull-secret in the **open-cluster-management-observability** namespace. When you import a new cluster, or import a Hive cluster that is created with Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management, you need to manually create a pull-image secret on the managed cluster.

For more information, see [Enabling observability](#).

### 1.3.5.3. There is no data from ROKS clusters

Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management observability does not display data from a ROKS cluster on some panels within built-in dashboards. This is because ROKS does not expose any API server metrics from servers they manage. The following Grafana dashboards contain panels that do not support ROKS clusters: **Kubernetes/API server**, **Kubernetes/Compute Resources/Workload**, **Kubernetes/Compute Resources/Namespace(Workload)**

### 1.3.5.4. There is no etcd data from ROKS clusters

For ROKS clusters, Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management observability does not display data in the *etcd* panel of the dashboard.

### 1.3.5.5. Metrics are unavailable in the Grafana console

- Annotation query failed in the Grafana console:  
When you search for a specific annotation in the Grafana console, you might receive the following error message due to an expired token:

#### **"Annotation Query Failed"**

Refresh your browser and verify you are logged into your hub cluster.

- Error in *rbac-query-proxy* pod:  
Due to unauthorized access to the **managedcluster** resource, you might receive the following error when you query a cluster or project:

#### **no project or cluster found**

Check the role permissions and update appropriately. See [Role-based access control](#) for more information.

### 1.3.5.6. Prometheus data loss on managed clusters

By default, Prometheus on OpenShift uses ephemeral storage. Prometheus loses all metrics data whenever it is restarted.

When observability is enabled or disabled on OpenShift Container Platform managed clusters that are managed by Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management, the observability endpoint operator updates the **cluster-monitoring-config ConfigMap** by adding additional alertmanager configuration that restarts the local Prometheus automatically.

### 1.3.5.7. Error ingesting out-of-order samples

Observability **receive** pods report the following error message:

#### Error on ingesting out-of-order samples

The error message means that the time series data sent by a managed cluster, during a metrics collection interval is older than the time series data it sent in the previous collection interval. When this problem happens, data is discarded by the Thanos receivers and this might create a gap in the data shown in Grafana dashboards. If the error is seen frequently, it is recommended to increase the metrics collection interval to a higher value. For example, you can increase the interval to 60 seconds.

The problem is only noticed when the time series interval is set to a lower value, such as 30 seconds. Note, this problem is not seen when the metrics collection interval is set to the default value of 300 seconds.

### 1.3.5.8. Grafana deployment fails after upgrade

If you have a **grafana-dev** instance deployed in earlier versions before 2.6, and you upgrade the environment to 2.6, the **grafana-dev** does not work. You must delete the existing **grafana-dev** instance by running the following command:

```
./setup-grafana-dev.sh --clean
```

Recreate the instance with the following command:

```
./setup-grafana-dev.sh --deploy
```

### 1.3.5.9. *klusterlet-addon-search* pod fails

The **klusterlet-addon-search** pod fails because the memory limit is reached. You must update the memory request and limit by customizing the **klusterlet-addon-search** deployment on your managed cluster. Edit the **ManagedClusterAddon** custom resource named **search-collector**, on your hub cluster. Add the following annotations to the **search-collector** and update the memory, **addon.open-cluster-management.io/search\_memory\_request=512Mi** and **addon.open-cluster-management.io/search\_memory\_limit=1024Mi**.

For example, if you have a managed cluster named **foobar**, run the following command to change the memory request to **512Mi** and the memory limit to **1024Mi**:

```
oc annotate managedclusteraddon search-collector -n foobar \
addon.open-cluster-management.io/search_memory_request=512Mi \
addon.open-cluster-management.io/search_memory_limit=1024Mi
```

### 1.3.5.10. Enabling *disableHubSelfManagement* causes empty list in Grafana dashboard

The Grafana dashboard shows an empty label list if the **disableHubSelfManagement** parameter is set to **true** in the **multiclusterengine** custom resource. You must set the parameter to **false** or remove the parameter to see the label list. See [disableHubSelfManagement](#) for more details.

#### 1.3.5.10.1. Endpoint URL cannot have fully qualified domain names (FQDN)

When you use the FQDN or protocol for the **endpoint** parameter, your observability pods are not enabled. The following error message is displayed:

Endpoint url cannot have fully qualified paths

Enter the URL without the protocol. Your **endpoint** value must resemble the following URL for your secrets:

endpoint: example.com:443

#### 1.3.5.10.2. Grafana downsampled data mismatch

When you attempt to query historical data and there is a discrepancy between the calculated step value and downsampled data, the result is empty. For example, if the calculated step value is **5m** and the downsampled data is in a one-hour interval, data does not appear from Grafana.

This discrepancy occurs because a URL query parameter must be passed through the Thanos Query front-end data source. Afterwards, the URL query can perform additional queries for other downsampling levels when data is missing.

You must manually update the Thanos Query front-end data source configuration. Complete the following steps:

1. Go to the Query front-end data source.
2. To update your query parameters, click the *Misc* section.
3. From the *Custom query parameters* field, select **max\_source\_resolution=auto**.
4. To verify that the data is displayed, refresh your Grafana page.

Your query data appears from the Grafana dashboard.

#### 1.3.5.11. Metrics collector does not detect proxy configuration

A proxy configuration in a managed cluster that you configure by using the **addonDeploymentConfig** is not detected by the metrics collector. As a workaround, you can enable the proxy by removing the managed cluster **ManifestWork**. Removing the **ManifestWork** forces the changes in the **addonDeploymentConfig** to be applied.

#### 1.3.5.12. HTTPS proxy with a custom CA bundle is not supported

A proxy configuration in a managed cluster does not work when a custom CA bundle is required.

### 1.3.6. Governance known issues

Review the known issues for Governance. The following list contains known issues for this release, or known issues that continued from the previous release.

For your Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform cluster, see [OpenShift Container Platform known issues](#)[OpenShift Container Platform known issues].

For more about deprecations and removals, see [Deprecations and removals](#).

### 1.3.6.1. Unable to log out from Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management

When you use an external identity provider to log in to Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management, you might not be able to log out of Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management. This occurs when you use Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management, installed with IBM Cloud and Keycloak as the identity providers.

You must log out of the external identity provider before you attempt to log out of Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management.

### 1.3.6.2. Gatekeeper operator installation fails

When you install the gatekeeper operator on Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform version 4.9, the installation fails. Before you upgrade OpenShift Container Platform to version 4.9.0., you must upgrade the gatekeeper operator to version 0.2.0. See [Upgrading gatekeeper and the gatekeeper operator](#) for more information.

### 1.3.6.3. Configuration policy listed complaint when namespace is stuck in *Terminating* state

When you have a configuration policy that is configured with **mustnothave** for the **complianceType** parameter and **enforce** for the **remediationAction** parameter, the policy is listed as compliant after a deletion request is made to the Kubernetes API. Therefore, the Kubernetes object can be stuck in a **Terminating** state while the policy is listed as compliant.

### 1.3.6.4. Operators deployed with policies do not support ARM

While installation into an ARM environment is supported, operators that are deployed with policies might not support ARM environments. The following policies that install operators do not support ARM environments:

- [Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management policy for the Quay Container Security Operator](#)
- [Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management policy for the Compliance Operator](#)

### 1.3.6.5. ConfigurationPolicy CRD is stuck in terminating

When you remove the **config-policy-controller** add-on from a managed cluster by disabling the policy controller in the **KlusterletAddonConfig** or by detaching the cluster, the **ConfigurationPolicy** CRD might get stuck in a terminating state. If the **ConfigurationPolicy** CRD is stuck in a terminating state, new policies might not be added to the cluster if the add-on is reinstalled later. You can also receive the following error:

```
template-error; Failed to create policy template: create not allowed while custom resource definition is terminating
```

Use the following command to check if the CRD is stuck:

```
oc get crd configurationpolicies.policy.open-cluster-management.io -
o=jsonpath='{.metadata.deletionTimestamp}'
```

If a deletion timestamp is on the resource, the CRD is stuck. To resolve the issue, remove all finalizers from configuration policies that remain on the cluster. Use the following command on the managed cluster and replace **<cluster-namespace>** with the managed cluster namespace:

```
oc get configurationpolicy -n <cluster-namespace> -o name | xargs oc patch -n <cluster-namespace>
--type=merge -p '{"metadata":{"finalizers": []}]}'
```

The configuration policy resources are automatically removed from the cluster and the CRD exits its terminating state. If the add-on has already been reinstalled, the CRD is recreated automatically without a deletion timestamp.

### 1.3.6.6. *pruneObjectBehavior* does not work when modifying existing configuration policy

When you modify an existing configuration policy, **pruneObjectBehavior** does not work. View the following reasons why **pruneObjectBehavior** might not work:

- If you set **pruneObjectBehavior** to **DeleteAll** or **DeletelfCreated** in a configuration policy, old resources that were created before modifying are not cleaned correctly. Only new resources from policy creations and policy updates are tracked and deleted when you delete the configuration policy.
- If you set **pruneObjectBehavior** to **None** or do not set the parameter value, old objects might be unintentionally deleted on the managed cluster. Specifically, this occurs when a user changes the **name**, **namespace**, **kind**, or **apiversion** in the template. The parameter fields can dynamically change when the **object-templates-raw** or **namespaceSelector** parameters change.

### 1.3.6.7. Policy status shows repeated updates when enforced

If a policy is set to **remediationAction: enforce** and is repeatedly updated, the Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management console shows repeated violations with successful updates. See the following two possible causes and solutions for the error:

- Another controller or process is also updating the object with different values.  
To resolve the issue, disable the policy and compare the differences between **objectDefinition** in the policy and the object on the managed cluster. If the values are different, another controller or process might be updating them. Check the **metadata** of the object to help identify why the values are different.
- The **objectDefinition** in the **ConfigurationPolicy** does not match because of Kubernetes processing the object when the policy is applied.  
To resolve the issue, disable the policy and compare the differences between **objectDefinition** in the policy and the object on the managed cluster. If the keys are different or missing, Kubernetes might have processed the keys before applying them to the object, such as removing keys containing default or empty values.

**Note:** If **pruneObjectBehavior** is set to something other than **None**, disabling the policy causes the objects to be cleaned up. In this case, set **pruneObjectBehavior** to **None** so that the objects exist after the policy is disabled.

For example, the **stringData** map in a **Secret** resource is converted by Kubernetes to **data** with **base64** encoded values. Instead of using **stringData**, use **data** directly with **base64** encoded values instead of strings.

### 1.3.6.8. Pod security policies not supported on OpenShift Container Platform 4.12 and later

The support of pod security policies is removed from OpenShift Container Platform 4.12 and later, and from Kubernetes v1.25 and later. If you apply a **PodSecurityPolicy** resource, you might receive the following non-compliant message:

violation - couldn't find mapping resource with kind PodSecurityPolicy, please check if you have CRD deployed

### 1.3.6.9. Duplicate policy template names create inconsistent results

When you create a policy with identical policy template names, you receive inconsistent results that are not detected, but you might not know the cause. For example, defining a policy with multiple configuration policies named **create-pod** causes inconsistent results. **Best practice:** Avoid using duplicate names for policy templates.

### 1.3.6.10. Governance deployments do not shut down without errors when disabled

When you disable governance deployments in the **MultiClusterHub** object, the deployments are not cleaned without errors. Complete the following steps to disable governance so that the deployments also get cleaned up:

1. Disable the **policyController** in the **KlusterletAddonConfig** for the managed cluster. If you do this for all managed clusters, run the following command:

```
for CLUSTER in $(oc get managedclusters -o jsonpath='{.items[].metadata.name}'); do
  oc patch -n ${CLUSTER} klusterletaddonconfig ${CLUSTER} --type=merge --
  patch='{"spec":{"policyController":{"enabled":false}}}'
done
```

2. For local clusters only: Delete the **ManifestWork** for the local cluster and remove the finalizer on the **ManagedClusterAddon** if the **governance-policy-framework-uninstall** pod of a local cluster is in **CrashLoopBackOff**. Run the following commands:

```
oc delete manifestwork -n local-cluster -l open-cluster-management.io/addon-
name=governance-policy-framework
oc patch managedclusteraddon -n local-cluster governance-policy-framework --type=merge -
-patch='{"metadata":{"finalizers":[]}]'
```

3. Disable governance globally, if required, by setting the **grc** element in the **spec.overrides** section to **false** in the **MultiClusterHub** object. Run the following command:

```
oc edit multiclusterhub <name> -n <namespace>
```

4. For local clusters only: If there are any local cluster policies, you can delete the policies by running the following command:

```
oc delete policies -n local-cluster --all
```

5. To re-enable governance in the **KlusterletAddonConfig**, re-enable the **grc** element of the **spec.overrides** section in the **MultiClusterHub**. Run the following command:

```
for CLUSTER in $(oc get managedclusters -o jsonpath='{.items[].metadata.name}'); do
  oc patch -n ${CLUSTER} klusterletaddonconfig ${CLUSTER} --type=merge --
  patch='{"spec":{"policyController":{"enabled":true}}}'
done
```

6. If the deployments are unsuccessful, the **governance-policy-addon-controller** might have a stale lease. Delete the lease by using the following command:

```
oc delete lease governance-policy-addon-controller-lock -n <namespace>
```

### 1.3.6.11. Objects are deleted due to templating errors

When there are templating errors, such as incorrect syntax in a configuration policy, objects are deleted. Recreate your deleted object with the correct syntax.

### 1.3.6.12. Duplicate Ansible jobs are created for policy automations

If you have a **PolicyAutomation** that is set to *Run once* mode and disabled, an extra Ansible job is created. You can delete the extra Ansible job. Complete the following steps:

1. Run the following command to view the Ansible job list:

```
oc get ansiblejob -n {namespace}
```

2. Delete the duplicate Ansible job by using the following command:

```
oc delete ansiblejob {ansiblejob name} -n {namespace}
```

## 1.3.7. Known issues for networking

Review the known issues for Submariner. The following list contains known issues for this release, or known issues that continued from the previous release.

For your Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform cluster, see [OpenShift Container Platform known issues](#).

For more about deprecations and removals, see [Deprecations and removals](#).

### 1.3.7.1. Submariner known issues

#### 1.3.7.1.1. Not all of the infrastructure providers that Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management can manage are supported

Submariner is not supported with all of the infrastructure providers that Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management can manage. Refer to the [Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management support matrix](#) for a list of supported providers.

#### 1.3.7.1.2. Limited headless services support

Service discovery is not supported for headless services without selectors when using Globalnet.

#### 1.3.7.1.3. Deployments that use VXLAN when NAT is enabled are not supported

Only non-NAT deployments support Submariner deployments with the VXLAN cable driver.

#### 1.3.7.1.4. OVN Kubernetes requires OCP 4.11 and later

If you are using the OVN Kubernetes CNI network, you need Red Hat OpenShift 4.11 or later.

#### 1.3.7.1.5. Self-signed certificates might prevent connection to broker



Self-signed certificates on the broker might prevent joined clusters from connecting to the broker. The connection fails with certificate validation errors. You can disable broker certificate validation by setting **InsecureBrokerConnection** to **true** in the relevant **SubmarinerConfig** object. See the following example:

```
apiVersion: submarineradd-on.open-cluster-management.io/v1alpha1
kind: SubmarinerConfig
metadata:
  name: submariner
  namespace: <managed-cluster-namespace>
spec:
  insecureBrokerConnection: true
```

#### 1.3.7.1.6. Submariner only supports OpenShift SDN or OVN Kubernetes

Submariner only supports Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform clusters that use the OpenShift SDN or the OVN-Kubernetes Container Network Interface (CNI) network provider.

#### 1.3.7.1.7. Command limitation on Microsoft Azure clusters

The **subctl diagnose firewall inter-cluster** command does not work on Microsoft Azure clusters.

#### 1.3.7.1.8. Automatic upgrade not working with custom *CatalogSource* or *Subscription*

Submariner is automatically upgraded when Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes is upgraded. The automatic upgrade might fail if you are using a custom **CatalogSource** or **Subscription**.

To make sure automatic upgrades work when installing Submariner on managed clusters, you must set the **spec.subscriptionConfig.channel** field to **stable-0.15** in the **SubmarinerConfig** custom resource for each managed cluster.

#### 1.3.7.1.9. Submariner version 0.15 is not supported when using Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management version 2.8 with OpenShift Container Platform version 4.14

Submariner version 0.15, which was released with Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management version 2.8, is not supported with OpenShift Container Platform version 4.14, or later. You must either upgrade your Submariner version to 0.16 when using OpenShift Container Platform version 4.14, or later, or continue using OpenShift Container Platform version 4.13 with Submariner version 0.15 and Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management version 2.8.

## 1.4. DEPRECATIONS AND REMOVALS

Learn when parts of the product are deprecated or removed from Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes. Consider the alternative actions in the *Recommended action* and details, which display in the tables for the current release and for two prior releases.

**Important:** The 2.4 and earlier versions of Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management are *removed* and no longer supported. Documentation for versions 2.4 and earlier are not updated. The documentation might remain available, but is deprecated without any Errata or other updates available.

**Best practice:** Upgrade to the most recent version of Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management.

### 1.4.1. API deprecations and removals

Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management follows the Kubernetes deprecation guidelines for APIs. See the [Kubernetes Deprecation Policy](#) for more details about that policy. Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management APIs are only deprecated or removed outside of the following timelines:

- All **V1** APIs are generally available and supported for 12 months or three releases, whichever is greater. V1 APIs are not removed, but can be deprecated outside of that time limit.
- All **beta** APIs are generally available for nine months or three releases, whichever is greater. Beta APIs are not removed outside of that time limit.
- All **alpha** APIs are not required to be supported, but might be listed as deprecated or removed if it benefits users.

#### 1.4.1.1. API deprecations

Product or category	Affected item	Version	Recommended action	More details and links
Discovery	The <code>DiscoveredCluster</code> and <code>DiscoveryConfig</code> <b>v1alpha1</b> APIs are deprecated. Discovery API is upgraded to <b>V1</b> .	2.5	Use <b>V1</b> .	None
Placements	The <b>v1alpha1</b> API is upgraded to <b>v1beta1</b> because <b>v1alpha1</b> is deprecated.	2.5	Use <b>v1beta1</b> .	The field <code>spec.prioritizerPolicy.configurations.name</code> in <code>Placement</code> API <b>v1alpha1</b> is removed. Use <code>spec.prioritizerPolicy.configurations.scoreCoordinate.builtIn</code> in <b>v1beta1</b> .
PlacementDecisions	The <b>v1alpha1</b> API is upgraded to <b>v1beta1</b> because <b>v1alpha1</b> is deprecated.	2.5	Use <b>v1beta1</b> .	None
Applications	The <b>v1alpha1</b> API is removed completely. GitOps clusters API is upgraded to <b>V1beta1</b> .	2.5	Use <b>V1beta1</b> .	None

Product or category	Affected item	Version	Recommended action	More details and links
Applications	<b>deployables.apps.open-cluster-management.io</b>	2.5	None	The deployable API remains just for upgrade path. Any deployable CR create, update, or delete will not get reconciled.
ManagedClusterSets	The <b>v1beta1</b> API is upgraded to <b>v1beta2</b> because <b>v1beta1</b> is deprecated.	2.7	Use <b>v1beta2</b> .	None
ManagedClusterSetBindings	The <b>v1beta1</b> API is upgraded to <b>v1beta2</b> because <b>v1beta1</b> is deprecated.	2.7	Use <b>v1beta2</b> .	None

#### 1.4.1.2. API removals

Product or category	Affected item	Version	Recommended action	More details and links
HypershiftDeployment	The <b>HypershiftDeployment</b> API is removed.	2.7	Do not use this API.	
BareMetalAssets	The <b>v1alpha1</b> API is removed.	2.7	Do not use this API.	Baremetalassets.inventory.open-cluster-management.io
Placements	The <b>v1alpha1</b> API is removed.	2.7	Use <b>v1beta1</b> instead.	Placements.cluster.open-cluster-management.io
PlacementDecisions	The <b>v1alpha1</b> API is removed.	2.7	Use <b>v1beta1</b> instead.	PlacementDecisions.cluster.open-cluster-management.io

Product or category	Affected item	Version	Recommended action	More details and links
ManagedClusterSets	The <b>v1alpha1</b> API is removed.	2.7	Use <b>v1beta1</b> instead.	ManagedClusterSets.cluster.open-cluster-management.io
ManagedClusterSetBindings	The <b>v1alpha1</b> API is removed.	2.7	Use <b>v1beta1</b> instead.	ManagedClusterSetBindings.cluster.open-cluster-management.io
ClusterManagementAddOn	The field <b>addOnConfiguration</b> is deprecated in the <b>ClusterManagementAddOn</b> spec.	2.7	Use the <b>supportedConfigs</b> field.	None
ManagedClusterAddOn	The field <b>addOnConfiguration</b> is deprecated in the <b>ManagedClusterAddOn</b> spec.	2.7	Use the <b>supportedConfigs</b> field.	None
CertPolicyController	The <b>v1</b> API is deprecated.	2.6	Do not use this API.	CertPolicyController.agent.open-cluster-management.io
ApplicationManager	The <b>v1</b> API is deprecated.	2.6	Do not use this API.	ApplicationManager.agent.open-cluster-management.io
IAMPolicyController	The <b>v1</b> API is deprecated.	2.6	Do not use this API.	IAMPolicyController.agent.open-cluster-management.io
PolicyController	The <b>v1</b> API is deprecated.	2.6	Do not use this API.	PolicyController.agent.open-cluster-management.io
SearchCollector	The <b>v1</b> API is deprecated.	2.6	Do not use this API.	SearchCollector.agent.open-cluster-management.io

Product or category	Affected item	Version	Recommended action	More details and links
WorkManager	The <b>v1</b> API is deprecated.	2.6	Do not use this API.	WorkManager.agent.open-cluster-management.io

### 1.4.2. Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management deprecations

A *deprecated* component, feature, or service is supported, but no longer recommended for use and might become obsolete in future releases. Consider the alternative actions in the *Recommended action* and details that are provided in the following table:

Product or category	Affected item	Version	Recommended action	More details and links
Applications and Governance	<b>PlacementRule</b>	2.8	Use <b>Placement</b> anywhere that you might use <b>PlacementRule</b> .	While <b>PlacementRule</b> is still available, it is not supported and the console displays <b>Placement</b> by default.
Installer	<b>ingress.sslCiphers</b> field in <b>operator.open-cluster-management.io_multiclusterhubs_crd.yaml</b>	2.7	None	See <a href="#">Advanced Configuration</a> for configuring install.
Installer	<b>customCACertificate</b> field in <b>operator.open-cluster-management.io_multiclusterhubs_crd.yaml</b>	2.7	None	See <a href="#">Advanced Configuration</a> for configuring install.

Product or category	Affected item	Version	Recommended action	More details and links
Governance	Gatekeeper operator	2.6	You can continue to use the Gatekeeper operator while it is deprecated. The Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management Governance team is currently investigating an alternative.	See <a href="#">Managing Gatekeeper operator policies</a> for more details.
Observability	<b>data.custom_rules.yaml.groups.rules</b> is deprecated	2.5	Use <b>data.custom_rules.yaml.groups.recording_rules</b> .	See <a href="#">Customizing observability</a> .
Installer	<b>enableClusterProxyAddon</b> and <b>enableClusterBackup</b> fields in <b>operator.open-cluster-management.io_multiclusterhubs_crd.yaml</b>	2.5	None	See <a href="#">Advanced Configuration</a> for configuring install.

### 1.4.3. Removals

A *removed* item is typically function that was deprecated in previous releases and is no longer available in the product. You must use alternatives for the removed function. Consider the alternative actions in the *Recommended action* and details that are provided in the following table:

Product or category	Affected item	Version	Recommended action	More details and links
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Product or category	Affected item	Version	Recommended action	More details and links
Governance	The management ingress used in previous releases is removed.	2.7	You can no longer customize the management ingress certificate. If you brought your own certificates to use with the management ingress, you must remove the certificates using the following command: <b>oc -n open-cluster-management delete secret byo-ca-cert byo-ingress-tls-secret</b>	None
Search	<b>SearchCustomizations.open-cluster-management.io</b> custom resource definition is removed.	2.7	Use <b>search.open-cluster-management.io/v1alpha1</b> to customize search.	None
Search	RedisGraph was replaced by PostgreSQL as the internal database.	2.7	No change required.	The search component is reimplemented by using PostgreSQL as the internal database.
Console	Standalone web console	2.7	Use the integrated web console.	See <a href="#">Accessing your console</a> for more information.

Product or category	Affected item	Version	Recommended action	More details and links
Governance	Integrity shield (Technology Preview)	2.7	You can continue to use Integrity shield as a community-provided signing solution. For more details, see the Integrity Shield documentation, <a href="#">Getting Started documentation</a> .	None
Governance	Integrity shield (Technology Preview)	2.7	None	You can continue to use Integrity shield as a community-provided signing solution. For more details, see the Integrity Shield documentation, <a href="#">Getting Started documentation</a> .
Clusters	Configuring a Red Hat Ansible job using labels	2.6	Configure the Red Hat Ansible job by using the console.	See <a href="#">Configuring an Automation template to run on a cluster by using the console</a> for more information.
Clusters	Cluster creation using bare metal assets	2.6	Create an infrastructure environment with the console	See <a href="#">Creating a cluster in an on-premises environment</a> for the preceding process.
Add-on operator	Installation of built-in managed cluster add-ons	2.6	None	None
Governance	Custom policy controller	2.6	No action is required	None



Product or category	Affected item	Version	Recommended action	More details and links
Governance	The unused <b>LabelSelector</b> parameter is removed from the configuration policy.	2.6	None	See the <a href="#">Kubernetes configuration policy controller</a> documentation.
Governance	Custom policy controller	2.6	No action is required	None
Governance	The unused <b>LabelSelector</b> parameter is removed from the configuration policy.	2.6	None	See the <a href="#">Kubernetes configuration policy controller</a> documentation.
Applications	Deployable controller	2.5	None	The Deployable controller removed.

## 1.5. RED HAT ADVANCED CLUSTER MANAGEMENT FOR KUBERNETES PLATFORM CONSIDERATIONS FOR GDPR READINESS

### 1.5.1. Notice

This document is intended to help you in your preparations for General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) readiness. It provides information about features of the Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform that you can configure, and aspects of the product's use, that you should consider to help your organization with GDPR readiness. This information is not an exhaustive list, due to the many ways that clients can choose and configure features, and the large variety of ways that the product can be used in itself and with third-party clusters and systems.

**Clients are responsible for ensuring their own compliance with various laws and regulations, including the European Union General Data Protection Regulation. Clients are solely responsible for obtaining advice of competent legal counsel as to the identification and interpretation of any relevant laws and regulations that may affect the clients' business and any actions the clients may need to take to comply with such laws and regulations.**

The products, services, and other capabilities described herein are not suitable for all client situations and may have restricted availability. Red Hat does not provide legal, accounting, or auditing advice or represent or warrant that its services or products will ensure that clients are in compliance with any law or regulation.

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### 1.5.3. GDPR

General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) has been adopted by the European Union ("EU") and applies from May 25, 2018.

#### 1.5.3.1. Why is GDPR important?

GDPR establishes a stronger data protection regulatory framework for processing personal data of individuals. GDPR brings:

- New and enhanced rights for individuals
- Widened definition of personal data
- New obligations for processors
- Potential for significant financial penalties for non-compliance
- Compulsory data breach notification

#### 1.5.3.2. Read more about GDPR

- [EU GDPR Information Portal](#)
- [Red Hat GDPR website](#)

### 1.5.4. Product Configuration for GDPR

The following sections describe aspects of data management within the Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform and provide information on capabilities to help clients with GDPR requirements.

### 1.5.5. Data Life Cycle

Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes is an application platform for developing and managing on-premises, containerized applications. It is an integrated environment for managing containers that includes the container orchestrator Kubernetes, cluster lifecycle, application lifecycle, and security frameworks (governance, risk, and compliance).

As such, the Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform deals primarily with technical data that is related to the configuration and management of the platform, some of which might be subject to GDPR. The Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform also deals with information about users who manage the platform. This data will be described throughout this document for the awareness of clients responsible for meeting GDPR requirements.

This data is persisted on the platform on local or remote file systems as configuration files or in databases. Applications that are developed to run on the Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform might deal with other forms of personal data subject to GDPR. The mechanisms that are used to protect and manage platform data are also available to applications that run on the platform. Additional mechanisms might be required to manage and protect personal data that is collected by applications run on the Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform.

To best understand the Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform and its data flows, you must understand how Kubernetes, Docker, and the Operator work. These open source components are fundamental to the Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform. You use Kubernetes deployments to place instances of applications, which are built into Operators that reference Docker images. The Operator contain the details about your application, and the Docker images contain all the software packages that your applications need to run.

#### 1.5.5.1. What types of data flow through Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform

As a platform, Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes deals with several categories of technical data that could be considered as personal data, such as an administrator user ID and password, service user IDs and passwords, IP addresses, and Kubernetes node names. The Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform also deals with information about users who manage the platform. Applications that run on the platform might introduce other categories of personal data unknown to the platform.

Information on how this technical data is collected/created, stored, accessed, secured, logged, and deleted is described in later sections of this document.

#### 1.5.5.2. Personal data used for online contact

Customers can submit online comments/feedback/requests for information about in a variety of ways, primarily:

- The public Slack community if there is a Slack channel
- The public comments or tickets on the product documentation
- The public conversations in a technical community

Typically, only the client name and email address are used, to enable personal replies for the subject of the contact, and the use of personal data conforms to the [Red Hat Online Privacy Statement](#) .

### 1.5.6. Data Collection

The Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform does not collect sensitive personal data. It does create and manage technical data, such as an administrator user ID and password, service user IDs and passwords, IP addresses, and Kubernetes node names, which might be considered personal data. The Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform also deals with information about users who manage the platform. All such information is only accessible by the system administrator through a management console with role-based access control or by the system administrator through login to a Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform node.

Applications that run on the Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform might collect personal data.

When you assess the use of the Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform running containerized applications and your need to meet the requirements of GDPR, you must consider the types of personal data that are collected by the application and aspects of how that data is managed, such as:

- How is the data protected as it flows to and from the application? Is the data encrypted in transit?
- How is the data stored by the application? Is the data encrypted at rest?
- How are credentials that are used to access the application collected and stored?
- How are credentials that are used by the application to access data sources collected and stored?
- How is data collected by the application removed as needed?

This is not a definitive list of the types of data that are collected by the Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform. It is provided as an example for consideration. If you have any questions about the types of data, contact Red Hat.

### 1.5.7. Data storage

The Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform persists technical data that is related to configuration and management of the platform in stateful stores on local or remote file systems as configuration files or in databases. Consideration must be given to securing all data at rest. The Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform supports encryption of data at rest in stateful stores that use **dm-crypt**.

The following items highlight the areas where data is stored, which you might want to consider for GDPR.

- **Platform Configuration Data:** The Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform configuration can be customized by updating a configuration YAML file with properties for general settings, Kubernetes, logs, network, Docker, and other settings. This data is used as input to the Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform installer for deploying one or more nodes. The properties also include an administrator user ID and password that are used for bootstrap.
- **Kubernetes Configuration Data:** Kubernetes cluster state data is stored in a distributed key-value store, **etcd**.
- **User Authentication Data, including User IDs and passwords:** User ID and password management are handled through a client enterprise LDAP directory. Users and groups that are defined in LDAP can be added to Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform teams and assigned access roles. Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform stores the email address and user ID from LDAP, but does not store the password. Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform stores the group name and upon login, caches the available groups to which a user belongs. Group membership is not persisted in any long-term way. Securing user and group data at rest in the enterprise LDAP must be considered. Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform also includes an authentication service, Open ID Connect (OIDC) that interacts with the enterprise directory and maintains access tokens. This service uses ETCD as a backing store.

- **Service authentication data, including user IDs and passwords.** Credentials that are used by Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform components for inter-component access are defined as Kubernetes Secrets. All Kubernetes resource definitions are persisted in the **etcd** key-value data store. Initial credentials values are defined in the platform configuration data as Kubernetes Secret configuration YAML files. For more information, see [Secrets](#) in the Kubernetes documentation.

### 1.5.8. Data access

Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform data can be accessed through the following defined set of product interfaces.

- Web user interface (the console)
- Kubernetes **kubectl** CLI
- Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes CLI
- **oc** CLI

These interfaces are designed to allow you to make administrative changes to your Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes cluster. Administration access to Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes can be secured and involves three logical, ordered stages when a request is made: authentication, role-mapping, and authorization.

#### 1.5.8.1. Authentication

The Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform authentication manager accepts user credentials from the console and forwards the credentials to the backend OIDC provider, which validates the user credentials against the enterprise directory. The OIDC provider then returns an authentication cookie (**auth-cookie**) with the content of a JSON Web Token (**JWT**) to the authentication manager. The JWT token persists information such as the user ID and email address, in addition to group membership at the time of the authentication request. This authentication cookie is then sent back to the console. The cookie is refreshed during the session. It is valid for 12 hours after you sign out of the console or close your web browser.

For all subsequent authentication requests made from the console, the front-end NGINX server decodes the available authentication cookie in the request and validates the request by calling the authentication manager.

The Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform CLI requires the user to provide credentials to log in.

The **kubectl** and **oc** CLI also requires credentials to access the cluster. These credentials can be obtained from the management console and expire after 12 hours. Access through service accounts is supported.

#### 1.5.8.2. Role Mapping

Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform supports role-based access control (RBAC). In the role mapping stage, the user name that is provided in the authentication stage is mapped to a user or group role. The roles are used when authorizing which administrative activities can be carried out by the authenticated user.

#### 1.5.8.3. Authorization

Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform roles control access to cluster configuration actions, to catalog and Helm resources, and to Kubernetes resources. Several IAM (Identity and Access Management) roles are provided, including Cluster Administrator, Administrator, Operator, Editor, Viewer. A role is assigned to users or user groups when you add them to a team. Team access to resources can be controlled by namespace.

#### 1.5.8.4. Pod Security

Pod security policies are used to set up cluster-level control over what a pod can do or what it can access.

#### 1.5.9. Data Processing

Users of Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes can control the way that technical data that is related to configuration and management is processed and secured through system configuration.

**Role-based access control** (RBAC) controls what data and functions can be accessed by users.

**Data-in-transit** is protected by using **TLS. HTTPS (TLS underlying)** is used for secure data transfer between user client and back end services. Users can specify the root certificate to use during installation.

**Data-at-rest** protection is supported by using **dm-crypt** to encrypt data.

These same platform mechanisms that are used to manage and secure Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform technical data can be used to manage and secure personal data for user-developed or user-provided applications. Clients can develop their own capabilities to implement further controls.

#### 1.5.10. Data Deletion

Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform provides commands, application programming interfaces (APIs), and user interface actions to delete data that is created or collected by the product. These functions enable users to delete technical data, such as service user IDs and passwords, IP addresses, Kubernetes node names, or any other platform configuration data, as well as information about users who manage the platform.

Areas of Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform to consider for support of data deletion:

- All technical data that is related to platform configuration can be deleted through the management console or the Kubernetes **kubectrl** API.

Areas of Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform to consider for support of account data deletion:

- All technical data that is related to platform configuration can be deleted through the Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes or the Kubernetes **kubectrl** API.

Function to remove user ID and password data that is managed through an enterprise LDAP directory would be provided by the LDAP product used with Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform.

#### 1.5.11. Capability for Restricting Use of Personal Data

Using the facilities summarized in this document, Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform enables an end user to restrict usage of any technical data within the platform that is considered personal data.

Under GDPR, users have rights to access, modify, and restrict processing. Refer to other sections of this document to control the following:

- Right to access
  - Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform administrators can use Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform features to provide individuals access to their data.
  - Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform administrators can use Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform features to provide individuals information about what data Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform holds about the individual.
- Right to modify
  - Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform administrators can use Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform features to allow an individual to modify or correct their data.
  - Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform administrators can use Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform features to correct an individual's data for them.
- Right to restrict processing
  - Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform administrators can use Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform features to stop processing an individual's data.

### 1.5.12. Appendix

As a platform, Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes deals with several categories of technical data that could be considered as personal data, such as an administrator user ID and password, service user IDs and passwords, IP addresses, and Kubernetes node names. Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes platform also deals with information about users who manage the platform. Applications that run on the platform might introduce other categories of personal data that are unknown to the platform.

This appendix includes details on data that is logged by the platform services.

## 1.6. FIPS READINESS

FIPS readiness has been completed for Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management for Kubernetes.

Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform is designed for FIPS. When running on Red Hat Enterprise Linux or Red Hat Enterprise Linux CoreOS booted in FIPS mode, OpenShift Container Platform core components use the Red Hat Enterprise Linux cryptographic libraries submitted to NIST for FIPS Validation on only the architectures supported by OpenShift Container Platform. For more information about the NIST validation program, see [Cryptographic Module Validation Program](#). For the latest NIST status for the individual versions of the RHEL cryptographic libraries submitted for validation, see [Compliance Activities and Government Standards](#).

## 1.6.1. Limitations

Read the following limitations with Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management and FIPS.

- Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform only supports FIPS on the x86\_64 architecture.
- Persistent Volume Claim (PVC) and S3 storage that is used by the search and observability components must be encrypted when you configure the provided storage. Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management does not provide storage encryption, see the OpenShift Container Platform documentation, [Configuring persistent storage](#).
- When you provision managed clusters using the Red Hat Advanced Cluster Management console, select the following check box in the *Cluster details* section of the managed cluster creation to enable the FIPS standards:

FIPS with information text: Use the Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS) modules provided with Red Hat Enterprise Linux CoreOS instead of the default Kubernetes cryptography suite file before you deploy the new managed cluster.

## 1.6.2. Additional resources

- For more information about the NIST validation program, see [Cryptographic Module Validation Program](#).
- For the latest NIST status for the individual versions of the RHEL cryptographic libraries submitted for validation, see [Compliance Activities and Government Standards](#).
- For more details about architectures that are supported by OpenShift Container Platform, see [{cop-short} 4.13 release notes](#).