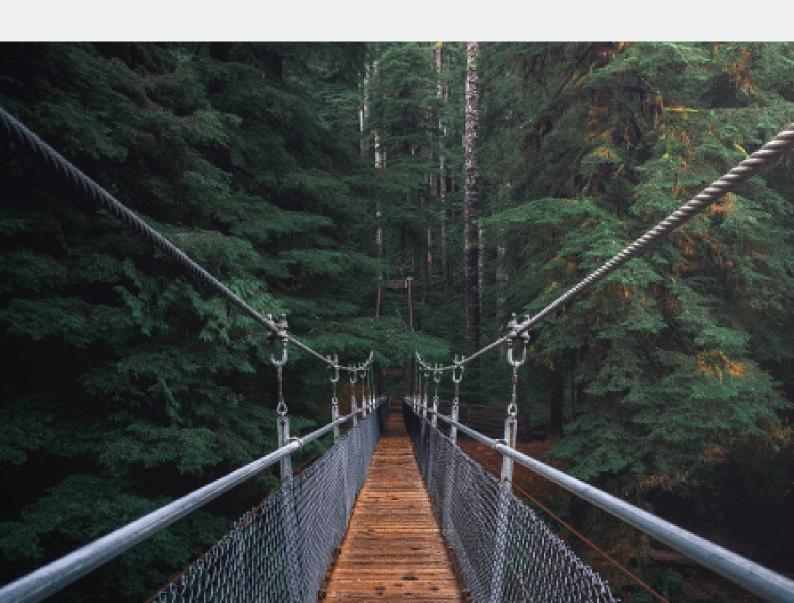




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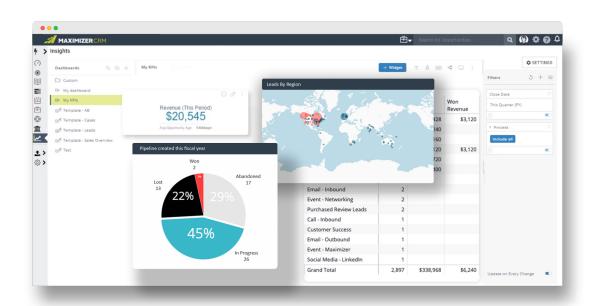
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Insights - Business Intelligence

| | 2020 R1 | 2019 | 2018 R2 | 2017 R2 | 2016 R2 |
|---|---------|------|---------|---------|---------|
| Multiple data sets on the same chart (This year v.s. Last Year can be removed with one click) | • | | | | |
| Data Exploration (dynamic dashboard filters, drill downs and click throughs) | • | | | | |
| New chart types (Stacked bar chart, Scatter Map, Map, Calendar Heatmap, Treemap, Funnel, Polar Chart, Sunburst) | • | | | | |
| Pivot Table Capabilities (Groups, Subtotals) | • | | | | |
| Export widget as PDF, PNG CSV | • | | | | |
| Scheduled emailed report subscription | • | | | | |
| Easily customizable widgets (duplicate, rename, change color, add free text etc.) | • | | | | |
| Single and multi-value grouping on dashboards | • | | | | |

^{*}Business intelligence capabilities outline above are available with Maximizer CRM Insights.





Reporting & Dashboards

| | 2020 R1 | 2019 | 2018 R2 | 2017 R2 | 2016 R2 |
|---|--------------|------|---------|--|--|
| Notifications sent by emails | • | • | | | |
| Condition based Notifications | • | • | • | Added in 2017 R2 | |
| Pre-built Excel report templates for Dashboards (Address Book, Customer Service, Opportunity, Campaigns and Hotlist) | • | • | • | Enhanced (Allow selecting column setup for report template) | Enhanced in 2016 (Added Excel report for Hotlist) |
| Auditing functionality | • | • | • | • | Added auditing for opportunities and cases in 2016 R2 |
| Web reports (sales funnel, users' activity, incoming vs outgoing phone calls, email campaign response metrics, customer service workload reports) | • | • | • | • | • |
| Drill down to specific slices of pie and bar graphs in dashboards | • | • | • | • | Enhanced in 2016 (Respect colum set- up associated with saved search) |
| Single and multi-value grouping on dashboards | • | • | • | • | • |
| Share dashboards via email | • | • | • | • | • |
| SQL server reporting services (SSRS) | Discontinued | • | • | Available in Web | Available in Web Access Only |



Sales

| | 2020 R1 | 2019 | 2018/R2 | 2017/R2 | 2016/R2 |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| Separated Leads module | • | • | | | |
| Support user-defined fields for leads | • | | | | |
| Customizable Industry and Source fields for leads | • | | | | |
| Support multiple lead qualification processes | • | | | | |
| Support column setup in Leads module | • | | | | |
| Support multiple sales processes | • | • | • | • | |
| Track opportunity stage age | • | • | • | • | |
| Track overall opportunity age | • | • | • | • | |
| Monitor progress by comparing stage age with target age | • | • | • | • | |
| Opportunity auditing | • | • | • | • | Added in 2016 R2 |
| Forecast report | • | • | • | • | • |
| Opportunity Details following tab | • | • | • | • | • |
| Define mandatory fields in opportunities using logic and rules | • | • | • | • | • |
| Work with strategy | Strategy is read-only | Strategy is read-only | Strategy is read-only | Strategy is read-only | • |
| Opportunities following tab in Address Book and Hotlist modules | • | • | • | • | • |
| Better linkage between contacts and associated account manager | • | • | • | • | • |
| Web lead capture | Web form creates entries in AB | Web form creates entries in AB | • | • | • |
| Capture campaign sources for leads and opportunities | • | • | • | • | • |
| Sales opportunity monitoring & quota management | • | • | • | • | • |



Customer Service

| | 2020 R1 | 2019 | 2018 R2 | 2017 R2 | 2016 R2 |
|---|---------|------|---------|---------|------------------|
| Case notification email templates | • | • | | | |
| Case Details following tab | • | • | • | • | • |
| Customer Service case auditing | • | • | • | • | Added in 2016 R2 |
| Define mandatory fields in cases using logic and rules | • | • | • | • | Added in 2016 R2 |
| Pre-defined subjects included in search dialog | • | • | • | • | • |
| Customer Service following tab in Address Book and Hotlist modules | • | • | • | • | • |
| Web links to Knowledge Base articles | • | • | • | • | • |
| Notifications | • | • | • | • | • |

Marketing

| | 2020 R1 | 2019 | 2018 R2 | 2017 R2 | Version 2016/R2 |
|---|---------|------|---------|---------|---|
| Campaign manager | • | • | • | • | Improved in 2016 (Performance for adding subscribers) |
| Web lead capture | | • | • | • | • |
| Campaign ROI management, reponse metrics and built-in marketing reports | • | • | • | • | • |
| Automated campaign templates | • | • | • | • | • |
| Anti-spam functionality | • | • | • | • | • |
| HTML text editor | • | • | • | • | • |



Business Productivity

General

| | 2020 R1 | 2019 | 2018 R2 | 2017 R2 | 2016 R2 |
|---|---------|------|---------|----------------------------|---------|
| Allow the Administrator to manage default entries for others | • | | | | |
| Custom tab with widgets | • | • | | | |
| File import tool allows creating new items for table fields | • | | | | |
| File import tool support cases | • | | | | |
| File import tool supports leads | • | • | | | |
| File import tool (Excel, CSV, tab) | • | • | • | | |
| Duration user-defined field for age calculation | • | • | • | • | |
| Date Last Contacted system field | • | • | • | • | |
| Automatically update Date Last Contacted field based on rules | • | • | • | • | |
| Support email template for appointment invitation and reminder | • | • | • | • | |
| Deletion protection | • | • | • | Added in 2017 R2 | |
| Appointment invitation and reminder | • | • | • | • | • |
| Templates for Word (including templates for invoice, letter, purchase order, quote etc.) | • | • | • | • | |
| Templates for import (including templates for CSV, tab-delimited and MXI import) | • | • | • | • | |
| Templates for creating users (including templates for creating sales rep and manager, Customer Service rep and manager, administrator) | • | • | • | • | |
| Quick search enhancement. Use search parameters to narrow down the search; combine multiple parameters; search opportunities and cases by Address Book entry. | • | • | | | |
| Quick search enhancement. Support searching opportunities or cases (2017); provide suggestions (2017 R2). | • | • | • | Added in 2017 + 2017 R2 | • |



Email

| | 2020 R1 | 2019 | 2018 R2 | 2017 R2 | 2016 R2 |
|--|---------|------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------------------------|
| Bcc all outgoing emails | • | • | • Added in 2018 R2 | | |
| Anti-spam functionality | • | • | • | • | • |
| Enhanced email unsubscribe functionality, and web form for email preference management | • | • | • | • | • |
| Email merge fields | • | • | • | • | Enhanced in 2016 (Allow user fields) |
| Email handling | • | • | • | • | • |
| Automated sending of outgoing emails to different email inboxes | • | • | • | • | • |

Notes & Documents

| Search notes in Notes following tab | • | • | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|------------------|
| Add documents into Documents tab directly by drag and drop | • | • | • | | |
| Allow printing multiple notes at the same time in Notes following tab | • | • | • | • | Added in 2016 R2 |
| Notes filter that allows selecting multiple note types | • | • | • | • | • |
| Documents filter that allows selecting multiple document types and categories | • | • | • | • | • |
| Default Document | • | • | • | • | • |
| Centralized template library for documents and Excel reports | • | • | • | • | • |
| Email documents from within the documents tab | • | • | • | • | • |



Search

| | 2020 | 2019 | 2018 R2 | 2017 R2 | 2016 R2 |
|---|------|------|---------|---------|---------|
| Ignore year for search date fields by rolling date range | • | • | • | • | • |
| Search Address Book entries by partner | • | • | • | • | • |
| Retrieve partners of the selected Address Book entries | • | • | • | • | • |
| Retrieve all companies/individuals | • | • | • | • | • |
| Retrieve Address Book entries related to the selected opportunities or Customer Service cases | • | • | • | • | • |
| Retrieve opportunities and cases | • | • | • | • | • |
| Saved searches can be configured with variables for greater flexibility | • | • | • | • | • |

Address Book Entries

| Automatically format phone number based on locale setting | • | • | • | | |
|--|---|---|---|---|---|
| New global edit tool using backend service (Address book only) | • | • | • | | |
| Address Book contact social media web search | • | • | • | • | • |
| One click to map from Address Book entry | • | • | • | • | • |
| Ability to define mandatory fields in Address Book entries using logic and rules | • | • | • | • | • |
| Contacts following window | • | • | • | • | • |



Appointments & Tasks

| | 2020 R1 | 2019 | 2018 R2 | 2017 R2 | 2016 R2 |
|---|---------|------|---------|---------|---------|
| Work with leads in Hotlist | • | | | | |
| View multiple users' activities in Hotlist | • | • | • | • | • |
| View multiple users' activities in Hotlist | • | • | • | • | • |
| Monitor tasks you have assigned to other users | • | • | • | • | • |
| Batch editing task dates | • | • | • | • | • |
| Rolling date range in Hotlist | • | • | • | • | • |
| Unfinished appointments carry forward in Hotlist | • | • | • | • | • |
| Details tab for contact information in Hotlist module | • | • | • | • | • |
| Printing of individual appointments and improved print appointment details report | • | • | • | • | • |
| Activities following tab | • | • | • | • | • |
| Task dependencies and sequencing in action plan | • | • | • | • | • |
| Appointment management with accounts (Non-Maximizer users) | • | • | • | • | • |



Other Improvements

| | 2020 R1 | 2019 | 2018 R2 | 2017 R2 | 2016 R2 |
|---|---------|------|---------|---|-------------------------------------|
| Move multiple entries from the following tab to the main page at the same time | • | • | • | • | Added in 2016 R2 |
| Action Panel in following tabs (Available in more following tabs, accessing the command when the panel is collapsed.) | • | • | • | • | Added in 2016 R2 |
| Ability to search for a field in User-defined Field following tab | • | • | • | • | Added n 2016 R2 |
| Ability to search for a field in various dialog, including advanced search, column setup, merge field, Key Fields and formula user-defined field. | • | • | • | • | Added n 2016 R2 |
| Ability to search for a field in Global Edit dialog | • | • | • | Added in 2017 R2 | |
| Perform other actions while editing a note | • | • | • | • | • |
| Pre-built email and campaign templates | • | • | • | • | • |
| VOIP integration | • | • | • | • | • |
| User-defined fields with clickable hyperlinks | • | • | • | • | • |
| Quick access for frequently used saved searches and Favorite Lists | • | • | • | Enhanced in 2017 R2 to allow more icons and groupings | • |
| Customer timeline | • | • | • | • | • |
| Web links to external documents and social media profiles | • | • | • | • | • |
| Notes and emails text editor | • | • | • | • | • |
| Context video help | • | • | • | • | Videos have been updated in 2016 R2 |
| In-product "help" videos (Hotlists, email, notes and documents, global editing, user management, etc.) | • | • | • | • | • Added n 2016 R2 |



Customizations

| | 2020 R1 | 2019 | Version 2018/R2 | Version 2017/R2 | Version 2016/R2 |
|--|---------|------|-----------------|---|-----------------|
| Data access web service API | • | • | • | Enhanced | • |
| Web following grid integration framework | • | • | • | • | • |
| Search Address Book entries by the fields in custom following tabs | • | • | • | • | • |
| Label customization per user | • | • | • | • | • |
| Customizable user profile such as email, address and photo | • | • | • | • | • |
| Customize which following windows to display | • | • | • | • | • |
| Startup preferences | • | • | • | Improved (Added start-up option for Opportunities and Customer Service) | • |
| Key Fields customization | • | • | • | • | • |
| Upload photos for Address Book entries | • | • | • | • | • |
| Easily switch views between individual or teams' customization settings (Saved searches, column views, Favorite Lists) | • | • | • | • | • |
| Coloring rules | • | • | • | • | • |
| Duplicate record checking | • | • | • | • Enhanced | • |
| Expanded key fields customizations and display options | • | • | • | • | • |
| Following tab grid (Column width resizing, column sorting, tooltip display for drop-down lists) | • | • | • | • | • |
| Key field list group titles | • | • | • | • | • |



Usability Enhancements

Accessibility

| | 2020 R1 | 2019 | 2018 R2 | 2017 R2 | 2016 R2 |
|--|---------|------|---------|---------|---------|
| Use keyboard to access the items in header bar | • | | | | |
| Use keyboard shortcuts for navigation and commonly used commands | • | • | | | |

Notification Panel

| | 2020 R1 | 2019 | 2018 R2 | 2017 R2 | 2016 R2 |
|--|---------|---------------|---------------|------------------|---------|
| Display notifications in toasters and desktop notification | • | • Enhanced | • Enhanced | Added in 2017 R2 | |
| Allow dismiss alarms in Notification panel | • | • | • | • | |
| Notification panel for alarms and meeting invitations | • | • | • | • | • |

Calendar

| Refreshing new interface | • | • | • | • | |
|---|---|---|---|--|---------------------|
| Color coded Availability view for find free time | • | • | • | • | |
| Suggest next available time slots in Availability view | • | • | • | • | |
| Ability to create task from inside Calendar | • | • | • | • | |
| Change calendar settings from inside Calendar | • | • | • | • | |
| Option to keep past appointments when deleting recurring appointments | • | • | • | • | |
| Ability to print Calendar view | • | • | • | Enhanced (Supported in all calendar views) | • Monthly view only |



Appointments

| | 2020 R1 | 2019 | 2018 R2 | 2017 R2 | 2016 R2 |
|--|---------|------|---------|-------------------------------------|---------|
| Support organizer in appointment | • | • | • | • | |
| Support all day and multi-day appointments | • | • | • | • | |
| Conflict checking | • | • | • | Optimized to avoid multiple prompts | • |
| Suggest next available time slots in conflict checking | • | • | • | • | |
| Quick search field for inviting users and contacts | • | • | • | • | |
| Create appointment on behalf of others | • | • | • | Improved | • |

List Management

| Automatically adjust row height to fit all the stacked fields in a column setup view | • | • | • | • | • |
|--|---|---|---|---|---|
| Recent column setup views | • | • | • | • | • |
| Column setup alignment editing | • | • | • | • | • |
| Type ahead in list view | • | • | • | • | • |
| Right click contextual menu in all modules | • | • | • | • | • |
| Keyboard navigation in main list view | • | • | • | • | • |
| Ability to combine, convert and duplicate entries | • | • | • | • | • |

Key Fields

| Key Field list tooltip descriptions | • | • | • | • | • |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hide blank fields in Key Fields list | • | • | • | • | • |
| Shortcut for Key Fields setup | • | • | • | • | • |



Other Enhancements

| | 2020 R1 | 2019 | 2018 R2 | 2017 R2 | 2016 R2 |
|--|---------|------|---------|---------|------------------|
| Upload multiple documents at the same time | • | • | • | • | Added in 2016 R2 |
| Support more columns in the dialogs for searching for Address Book entries and in appointment dialog | • | • | • | • | • |
| Place commonly used Maximizer Outlook integration buttons into the Home tab of Outlook | • | • | • | • | • |
| Hide completed activities in Hotlist | • | • | • | • | • |
| Hidden "following" tab for users without viewing rights | • | • | • | • | • |
| Support custom address format | • | • | • | • | • |
| Easier retrieval of Mobile Access URL | • | • | • | • | • |
| Filters in activity tab stored between sessions | • | • | • | • | • |
| Associate column views to saved searches and Favorite Lists | • | • | • | • | • |
| Support for international time zones | • | • | • | • | • |



Integrations

| | 2020 R1 | 2019 | 2018 R2 | 2017 R2 | 2016 R2 |
|---|---|------|---------|------------------|---------|
| App Directory | • | • | • | | |
| Integration with Hubspot | • | • | | | |
| Integration with Twilio | • | • | | | |
| Integration with QuickBooks | • | • | • | | |
| Map following tab | • | • | • | | |
| Excel Quote Add-in (for CRM Live and on premise) | • | • | • | Added in 2017 R2 | |
| Outlook 365 Add-in (for CRM Live only) | • | • | • | • | |
| Maximizer Connect for use with Zapier | Enhanced (Create new or update existing entries and schedule activities) | • | • | • | • |
| Maximizer Connect for use with MailChimp (for CRM Live only and on premise) | • | • | • | • | • |
| Word add-in | • | • | • | • | • |
| 64-bit Word add-in | • | • | • | • | • |
| Instant label and envelope merge in Word | • | • | • | • | • |
| Word Merge | • | • | • | • | • |
| Access document templates stored in Maximizer in Word add-in | • | • | • | • | • |
| Create or update Maximizer document templates in Word add-in | • | • | • | • | • |
| Save documents to Maximizer entries during Word merge | • | • | • | • | • |
| Save any Word document to entries | • | • | • | • | • |
| Outlook add-in | • | • | • | • | • |
| 64-bit Outlook add-in | • | • | • | • | • |
| Auto-save emails by email conversation | • | • | • | • | • |
| Auto-save emails by email address | • | • | • | • | • |



Integrations (continued)

| | 2020 R1 | 2019 | 2018 R2 | 2017 R2 | 2016 R2 |
|--|---------|------|---------|---------|------------------|
| Create a note against Maximizer entry when saving an email in Outlook add-in | • | • | • | • | • |
| Allow specify name and description for the document when saving an email from Outlook add-in | • | • | • | • | • |
| Contacts synchronization between Outlook and Maximizer | • | • | • | • | • |
| Tasks Synchronization between Outlook and Maximizer | • | • | • | • | • |
| Ability to create task in Maximizer based on email in Outlook | • | • | • | • | • |
| Saving emails to Maximizer without creating duplicates | • | • | • | • | • |
| Saving emails to Maximizer contacts | • | • | • | • | Added in 2016 R2 |
| Saving emails to Maximizer opportunities | • | • | • | • | • |
| Saving email to Maximizer CS cases | • | • | • | • | • |
| Maximizer and Outlook calendar synching | • | • | • | • | • |
| Mr./Ms. merge fields in Word add-in | • | • | • | • | • |
| Envelope and label address formatting | • | • | • | • | • |



OS Support & Additional Features

| | 2020 R1 | 2019 | 2018 R2 | 2017 R2 | 2016 R2 |
|--|--------------|------|---------|---------|---------|
| 64-bit installation | • | | | | |
| Support TL5 1.2 | • | | | | |
| Password hash and salt and single sign-on | • | | | | |
| Support password complexity rule | • | | | | |
| Windows 10 | • | • | • | • | • |
| Windows 8.1 | • | • | • | • | • |
| Windows 8 | • | • | • | • | • |
| Windows 8 RT | • | • | • | • | • |
| Windows Server 2019 | • | • | | • | |
| Windows 2016 | • | • | • | • | |
| Windows Server 2012/R2 | • | • | • | • | • |
| Windows Server 2008/R2 | Discontinued | • | • | • | • |
| SQL Server 2019 | • | | | | |
| SQL Server 2017 | • | • | • | | |
| SQL Server 2016 | • | • | • | • | |
| SQL Server 2012/R2, 2014 | • | • | • | • | • |
| SQL Server 2008/R2 | Discontinued | • | • | • | • |
| Microsoft Internet Information Server 8.0, 8.5, 10 | • | • | • | • | |
| Microsoft Internet Information Server 7.0, 7.5 | Discontinued | • | • | • | • |
| Microsoft Office 365 (Desktop version) | • | • | • | • | • |
| Outlook 365 web version | • | • | • | • | |
| Microsoft Edge browser | • | • | • | • | • |
| Internet Explorer 11 | • | • | • | • | • |



OS Support and Additional Features (continued)

| | 2020 R1 | 2019 | 2018 R2 | 2017 R2 | 2016 R2 |
|--|---------|------|---------|---|--|
| Google Chrome for Windows and Mac | • | • | • | • | • |
| Modzilla Firefox for Windows or Mac | • | • | • | • | • |
| Android support for Mobile Access | • | • | • | • | Supported up to 6.0 |
| iOS support for Mobile Access | • | • | • | • | Support up to iOS 8 for 2016 and iOS 9 for 2016 R2 |
| All Access Licensing (Windows Access, Web Access and Mobile Access) | • | • | • | Workstation for Windows Access is no longer supported | • |
| Service Access Licensing | • | • | • | • | • |





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