

## Inspira assessment



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## Inspira Assessment was updated 4th September

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### Heads up

*As mentioned in the pre-release notes for September, we will from now on use the Heads up section of the monthly Release notes to let you know about coming changes and improvements. We will therefore discontinue the pre-release notes starting next release.*

*If you have any questions regarding release notes, feel free to send an email to [susanne.klungtveit@inspera.no](mailto:susanne.klungtveit@inspera.no)*

## Highlights of future releases in 2020

There are no major changes planned for the October release, but here is a list of some of the major improvements that we aim to release before the end of 2020, in addition to more general product improvements:

- Note taking and highlighting functionality for students
- Configurable *Connection lost messages* per test / template and improved layout of header in student interface. [Learn more](#)
- Item banking (beta testing upon request only)
- VDI support (beta testing)
- Assign questions to graders
- Threshold editor in marking 2.0
- Basic Turnitin integration (beta release in October, release in November)
- New API for controlling options on a test

In the [Inspira Seminar](#) we will give you are more detailed walk trough of the Inspira Roadmap.

## Minor delay in Urkund integration improvements

We want to ensure that the improvements made to our Urkund integration is error free and have therefore decided to release these improvements on **September 11th** instead of in this release as planned. The improvements are:

- Improved similarity check between submissions in the same test.
- Added UserID, AssessmentID and QuestionID to the submission filename for easier student and test search when plagiarism report shows matching submissions.

Read more about [Plagiarism reports](#) here.

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## In this release

These are the improvements and changes available from September 4th 2020:

## Ending support for GeoGebra question and stimulus type

As informed in the Release note 7th August we are ending support for the GeoGebra question and stimulus type. With the release 4th September we will end support for creating new GeoGebra questions. In the October release we will also end support for viewing existing GeoGebra questions in Inspira. Submissions made using GeoGebra will no longer be visible directly in Inspira, but will be available for download in GGB format.

## Introducing support for GeoGebra as a resource

As informed in the Release note 7th August we are introducing support for [GeoGebra as a resource](#). The resource can be added as a link by the Author to the Question set. The GeoGebra resource will be available to the candidates under the navigation bar throughout the test. When the candidates open the resource in SEB, this will appear as a window on the right side of the test.

To use this service, we ask you to [make a request to our help center](#).

## Enabling import of questions from Excel to Inspira

Inspira will from now provide a free service that converts questions from Excel (or Google sheets) into the IMS QTI 2.1 format which can be uploaded into Inspira. This is useful if wanting to convert for example Moodle questions in their XML format into QTI to upload to Inspira. The question types currently supported are: essay, multiple response and multiple choice. Read more about [Excel to QTI conversion](#).

## Ending Support for SEB 2.3 for Windows

To ensure we have the a stable service, we are ending support for SEB 2.3 for Windows. For the complete list of supported versions, please visit [System Requirements](#) in our Help Center.

## Improvements to Deliver and Monitor

- We have fixed an issue with Test status on the list test view not always displaying appropriate status type.
- *Autosubmit* now works in combination with individual delivery deadlines, also when the individual deadline is before standard endtime.
- In Monitor we have fixed the error message which displayed when trying to send explanations to all candidates.

## Improvements in Grading

### Classic grading

- Manual marks from primary round manually when appeal round has started is now displaying correctly.

### Marking 2.0

- It is now possible to [transfer grades to external system \(i.e. FS\) per committee](#) in Marking 2.0
- In Marking 2.0 we have improved the *Committee missing grader* blocker, so that the other committees that *are* correctly populated with both candidates and graders can still start marking.
- We fixed a bug in the new marking tool related to tests with a large number of candidates. Not all candidates were able to get the candidate action menu and this affected the possibility to confirm grades on candidate level.
- Fixed the *Download all submissions* option in the new grading tool, which in some cases would only include a single submission. This now includes all submissions available for the current user.
- Collaborative grading had an error causing grades set by one grader to appear as missing in some rare cases. This is now fixed.

## API improvements

(for developers)

- New API available to withdraw student appeal: [/v1/test/{testId}/appeals/withdraw](#). This API will change status for student from “appeal” to “regular”

and will move student from appeal committee to regular committee where these are in use.

- New API endpoint available to list all users in one marketplace, based on authentication type:

Admin users:

</v1/users/admins/{authType}>

Student users:

</v1/users/students/{authType}>

- Added new flag “isGradingOnly “ under “options” in GET test method for test setting “*Grading Only - Disable candidates from taking this test online*”.
- Added new flag “testTotalScore “ under “general” in GET test method to show “Maximum marks” field for a test.
- Added support to change / update ExternalUserID through /v1/users/admin API
- Fixed an issue with the appeal grading deadline was not updated through the appeal API

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