


# Forward compatibility

The cross-version compatibility checking mechanism is implemented when a project with new feature usages is loaded with an older version of the modeling tool. Currently, the cross-version compatibility checking mechanism tracks feature usages of 2022x Refresh1 and later Refresh versions that result in triggering **Missing features detected** notification in earlier versions. The following table shows tracked features, the version they appear in, and whether the project can be committed/saved without any consequences.

| Feature name  | Version        | Secure to commit/save |
|---|----------------|-----------------------|
| <a href="#">Requirements verification in Instance Table</a> | 2022x Refresh1 | Yes                   |

 **Important**  
Features required but missing in an earlier tool version (for example, 2022x) are memorized by the cross-version compatibility checking mechanism. This process will continue with each Refresh release (i.e., 2022x Refresh2 might have features that are missing in both 2022x Refresh1 and 2022x).