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## 1. About the Release

This document is a supplement to the December 2020 ARC Software/Firmware Release Notes and includes only change information since December 2020 release.

### 1.1 Release Identification

The firmware, software, and driver versions for this maintenance release are shown in the following table.

**Table 1-1.** Release Summary

<b>Package Release Date</b>	December 10, 2023
<b>Firmware Version</b>	7.16.0 build 33556 (Basecode B833)
<b>UEFI Version</b>	2.0.100.33556
<b>Legacy BIOS Version</b>	2.0.100.33556
<b>Microchip Adaptec RAID Controller Configuration Utilities (ARCCONF Command Line Interface, maxView Storage Manager, maxView™ vSphere Plugin, Boot USB, EventMonitor)</b>	3.07.00.23980
<b>Drivers Package Version</b>	B60001 [Windows/Linux/VMware] (2019.2 web released build)

## 2. What's New in this Release

This section lists the new features and enhancements that are introduced in ARC Software/Firmware.

### 2.1 Fixes and Enhancements for maxView™ Storage Manager/ARCCONF Version 3.07.00.23980

Microchip strongly recommends the maxView™ users to update to the latest version of the tools to avoid a security vulnerability that has since been resolved.

### 2.2 Fixes and Enhancements for Firmware Release Build 33556

This release provides the following fixes and enhancements:

- Fixed an issue where adapter is not recognized, or system may not boot when UEFI BIOS Secure Boot option is enabled.

### 3. Revision History

The revision history describes the changes that were implemented in the document. The changes are listed by revision, starting with the most current publication.

**Table 3-1.** Revision History

Revision	Date	Description
A	12/2023	This document has the following updates: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 2020.2.1 Patch Release with maxView™ version B23980 and BIOS version B33556</li><li>• Released the document as per Microchip standards and changed the DOC ID from ESC-2171642 to DS60001835A</li></ul>

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