

Mainpac Pty Ltd Product Release Notes



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If you have any issues or problems with this release, contact the Mainpac Help Desk on 1300 MAINPAC (Australia), +61 8 8431 9818 (Int.) or email Help@Mainpac.com.au.
All issues below have been addressed and tested in line with Mainpac Pty Ltd's usual development and quality processes.

Administration

Mainpac Connect has been enhanced to include additional entities available for import: JobTempEquipmentList, JobTempResourceList, JobTempToolList, StockIssue, StockItem, Stocktake, WorkOrderRequest, Equipment, Tools, Work Orders.

Mainpac Connect now provides the ability to automatically detect multi-site databases and the ability for users to switch between predefined database connections.
NOTE: Next and Previous buttons must be used to move between tabs on the Data Definition Maintenance form rather than tab headings.

Attached Documents

Document Management capabilities have been enhanced. Major changes include:

- The ability to upload multiple documents/files.
- Drag-and-drop capabilities for re-ordering files and folders.
- Search capabilities to easily locate files and folders.

Refer to the Help Text section on "Attaching and Managing Documents" for more details.

Financial Assets

The financial assets claim run has been fine-tuned and is now more efficient, resulting in greatly reduced times to complete (any given claim run).

Labour Resource Management

Known Issue and Workaround

Where the application is configured to use Labour Resource Scheduling, labour resource records do not update correctly under the following circumstances:

1. Where the labour resource is allocated to a work order; and
2. Changes are made to the labour resource's PEG , Primary Resource, Date Started, Date Finished, Employee Type, Shift details and date; and
3. The View button is used after entering these changes.

Workaround

When making changes under the above circumstances, use the Update to ensure the changes are saved. Avoid use of the View button as changes will not be saved.

Operational Assets

Previously, meter / usage records entered against Structure operational assets were not filtering correctly to children Automatic operational assets. Readings / usage are now filtering through correctly.

Purchasing

Previously, if there was an attempt to add a Purchase Order with a value above the user's Order Value Limit a warning message would correctly display. However, any subsequent attempt to add the same Purchase Order (without making changes) resulted in an error message incorrectly displaying. The error message no longer displays, and the user will continue to be warned if the Purchase Order Value exceeds their Order Value Limit.

Searches on requisitions provide a filter "Supplier". The filter applies to actual suppliers, i.e. the supplier on requisitions that have been converted to Purchase Orders. To avoid confusion, the label for this search filter has been changed to "Supplier on Purchase Order".

"Date Received" is now a mandatory field on Receipts, in order to prevent saving and committing of receipts without a date.

Reports

Where a (standard) Mainpac report has been generated and there are no results in the database that match the report criteria, the report will provide a message advising that there are no matching records.

Work Orders

The IE web browser retains values in some Mainpac fields, such as lookups on the Transactions grid. These values are not validated against the lookup table, meaning the grid does not recognise the entry. To prevent this, data entry fields have been set to "not remember" previous entries. (Note that search screens will continue to remember previous entries.)

Problems associated with adding and editing Work Orders due to custom menu options have been corrected.

Search criteria on work orders have been expanded to include grid details.

Work Orders (standard and rounds): resource classes, child work orders, work order steps, labour resource scheduling, safety incidents, value add, follow-up work orders, isolation sets.

Template work orders: resource class, steps, isolation sets.

Forecast work orders: resources, child work orders.

Breakdown work orders: breakdown parts, breakdown transactions.