

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

The CeTe Document Converter license key can be entered via a new configuration option: Administration > Configuration > Global Settings > Report Server. The CeTe Document Converter is used to convert documents to pdf format on 64-bit servers.

Newly-created Profiles with the correct permissions can now enter Public Holiday dates when adding new Public Holiday Groups. Previously, Public Holiday Groups could be created but the profile user could not enter dates against the Group.

The System User field has been moved on the Users screen. The field now appears below the User Name field (previously they were below the Password fields when adding a new user). The Password fields are cleared whenever the System User checkbox is ticked. Moving the checkbox ensures that System User is selected prior to Passwords being entered.

General

An upgrade issue concerning the Document Library has been resolved. Upgrades to V3.4 and above caused errors in the Document Library for databases with deleted documents. The upgrade now performs data cleansing to ensure the validity of all records within the Document module.

Some lookup dialogue boxes allow users to select more than one value, e.g. you may select multiple Authorisations for entry on a Labour Resource record, you may select multiple Labour Classes for entry on a Work Order scheduling record. Multi-select lookups have been enhanced to provide for double-click selection where only one value is required, i.e. to use a single value double-click on that value.

Inventory

The Stocktake screen has been enhanced. Records within the stock items grid can now be sorted to allow for easy selection when adding items to a Stocktake Group.

The Stocktake screen has additional search criteria available when selecting stock items for a Stocktake Group. The search criteria allow stock items to be more easily located and displayed. The additional criteria are Bin From, Bin To, Supplier and Next Stock Take Date.

Labour Resource Management

The Experience grids on the Labour Resource record have been enhanced to include an End Date for Services and Project Experience.

Operational Assets

An error that arises when using the Operational Asset Structure screen to move rotatable operational assets within the same operational view has been resolved. Rotables may now be moved as required.

System performance when entering meter readings is improved upon upgrade to V3.5.1, particularly for customers with large numbers of meters.

Meter readings/usage have been enhanced to allow multiple meter readings/usage on a single day. A new field for entering the meter reading/usage time has been added. Multiple readings/usage cannot be entered for the same time on any given day.

Purchasing

If (1) a stock item has been deleted and (2) is present as a line item on a purchase order; then that line item will not be copied across when using the Purchase Order context menu's Add Similar function. This prevents errors when the purchase order status is changed.

Mainpac now keeps a record of the number of times a Purchase Order is printed / viewed. This information is not available via the UI but can be used in custom reports if required.

Using the Add Similar Line Item function on a purchase order previously caused an error. The issue has now been resolved. The Add Similar Line Item function is available via the context menu on the purchase order line item record.

If a requisition cannot be logically converted into a Purchase Order due to missing mandatory details (e.g. the Account Code is mandatory on purchase orders but not mandatory on requisitions), no Purchase Order will be created if there is an attempt to convert the requisition. Previously a purchase order was created without any line item details.

Purchasing profile options have been enhanced to provide greater control over printing purchase orders on release. The options are:

1. Never - do not allow the user to print when a purchase order is released.
2. Print on release - allow the user to print the first time a purchase order is released and do not permit them to print the purchase order again (if they re-release it).
3. Print on release and re-release - allow the user to print each time they release a purchase order, including when they re-release a purchase order.

Reports

Sorting the Profiles grid on the KPI Manager screen previously caused an error when the KPI Manager screen was re-visited. The error has been resolved.

Utilities

An issue where (1) users required full access to the Document Library in order to view documents attached to records and (2) users required full access to delete documents has been resolved. Users with view-only access are now able to view attached documents and can also be given permission to delete documents.

The Document Library has been enhanced to provide increased usability.

1. Right click on the top level "Document Library" to sort folders and files in ascending / descending order. Folders appear at the top of the structure.
2. Right click on any folder or file to open / edit / delete the folder/file.

New folders and files continue to be added to the end of the structure. Sorting will place them in the desired order.

Work Orders

It is no longer necessary to have permission to view Locations before being able to create a Work Order for an operational asset that nominates a location.

An issue where meter details were not updating on tasks upon completion of the associated work order has been resolved. Usage Last Done, Usage Next Due, Meter Last Done and Meter Next Due details are now automatically updated when meter readings are entered upon completion of a work order arising from a usage-based task.

The Trigger search criteria for Work Orders now finds work orders that have the same Trigger value.