

TECHNICAL BULLETIN

DATAFILE

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This bulletin is forwarded to selective dealers on a confidential basis. The bulletin will advise you of all known changes since the last update. Program Version is **F46**. Note that this bulletin contains details of changes since last Technical Bulletin—where changes have been included in program updates since the last technical update the appropriate version number is displayed at the end of the text.

Important Note—these programs will not run without a security file registration number **67xxxx**. Also remember that if using new Word / Mail links that Outlook and Word must be closed, as well as Datafile, before updating programs.

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Number	Application	Description
8301	Nominal Ledger	Update Forward Transactions to Nominal If set to allow update of forward transactions to the nominal then, if set for detail updating, the system will create a separate journal for the forward transactions within the update.
8302	Stock Control	Period End / Log to SYSEVENT.DAT Period End will now log to SYSEVENT.DAT in common with other applications.
8303		Stock Maintenance / Enquiry Actions If use the Enquiry Actions from with Stock maintenance—view an enquiry record and then use the <ESC> key to exit back to the maintenance screen then current input could be replace with P (or other shortcut key)
8304		Period End / Save Current Period Values If set to prompt for period values to save into then the input for the period number was not displayed.
8305		Period End / Highest Transaction Number Update Running period end then, depending on configuration, was possible to update the highest transaction this period with value of -1 which would result in an error when run a stock transaction listing.
8306	Payroll	DPS Mailbox If the HMRC set a general RTI message that included a £-sign then Datafile could generate a EDOMParseError.
8307	Order Processing	Deposit Processing / Suspend Deposit Code If the option to suspend deposits enabled then the system didn't apply the same checks (can't manually add/amend/delete lines) to the suspend deposit stock code as does to the deposit/refund codes.

8308	Order Proc (cont.)	<p>Multiple Order Documents / Detail Selection Criteria If multiple order document set to auto-select by account and any detail selection criteria meant that the first two orders for an account couldn't be processed then the system could warn no details available even if third/subsequent order did include lines that could be selected.</p>
8309	ProFiler	<p>Global Update / Blankout All Records If run a selective global update that blanks out records with a compact afterwards the system generated a 'F-Refresh' entry to the SQLDET database even when the database not set to be mirrored. Similarly if SOP/POP/BOM documents set to refresh SQL tables then a refresh entry could be generated where a database updated but not set to be mirrored.</p>
8310		<p>User-Defined Report / EInvalidOp Error If user defined report include test conditions against a \$SUBHEADER control block was possible to get an error on consecutive re-runs of the report.</p>
8311	General	<p>Update of SQLTBL.DFD—1 If DFD set to be mirrored then any hyphen's in the filename are replaced with underscores (so DEM-SLA.DFD becomes DEM_SLA as the mirrored table). The SQLTBL.DFD contains a list of the databases mirrored to SQL for use with the Excel RTD add-in but the filename here was updated with the hyphen.</p>
8312		<p>Update of SQLTBL.DFD—2 When setting the SQLTBL.DFD to be mirrored then the SQLTBL database itself was unnecessarily included as an entry in the database.</p>
8313		<p>Stock Ledger Enquiry—History/Detail Shortcut Keys If set up a History/Detail database with shortcut key of F then the system activated the legacy File Scan options.</p>
8314		<p>Automatic File Expansion If a file is automatically expanded then the file is exclusively locked for the duration. If another user attempted to access the file whilst expanding then they could be warned that the expand failed and file must be restored rather than warning that file is locked.</p>
8315		<p>Alerts—Add Note If message title contained text data items that included a comma then could get an ERangeError when Alert triggered.</p>
8316		<p>Map Link By default the Map Link options linked to Multimaps which is no longer available, will now link to Google Maps</p>

8317	General (cont.)	<p>Route Map Link The Route Map option linked to Google Maps but Google withdrew this feature and then re-introduced with different formatting. Datafile now changed to use new Google formatting.</p>
8318		<p>Invalid FileHandle on Diamond.d02 If system detects an invalid filehandle on the DIAMOND.D02 file then we close and re-open the file which resets the filehandle and then continue with the D02 update. If D02 in wait mode when the invalid filehandle concerned then the close release the locks but when re-opened the D02 lock was not re-applied meaning another user could potentially update the D02 and override the original users lock. System will now re-apply the D02 lock when re-open the filehandle.</p>
8319		<p>Pre-Set Selection Criteria / Range Values If using pre-set criteria that include a range criteria type then if used the mouse to select the 'value' input and amended when press <Enter> the existing value display was not updated although the report did run with the amended criteria.</p>
8320	Sign-On	<p>Output List of Users to Excel When outputting user details selected column values didn't match with the headings.</p>
8321	Manager	<p>Recalculate O/S Order Values on Sales / Purchase / Job The manager processes for these options reset the value to zero on all records and then process each active order/order line to accumulate new values. If the account/job files set to be mirrored to SQL then the system would generate a change entry for each record on the database for the zeroing process and then a change line as each order / line processed and accumulated. Now sends a single refresh command.</p>