

ETC Release Notes

Paradigm ControlDesigner Software

Product Line: Paradigm ControlDesigner Software
Description: Version 5.1.0 Software

ControlDesigner Software Components

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Purpose

This release of ControlDesigner Software software corrects minor defects and maintains compatibility with other v5.1.0 software and Paradigm LightDesigner v5.1.1 software.

For any questions relating to the contents of this release or the behavior of this software, please contact ETC Technical Services at the office nearest you. A list of ETC offices appears at the bottom of this page.

Availability

This software is intended for ETC authorized technicians and system designers to create graphical layouts and page navigation for Unison Paradigm Touchscreen stations and interfaces. To obtain this release of software please contact ETC Technical Services.

Documentation

An embedded help system is included with the software. Please keep this release note for descriptions of the newest features, changes, and bug fixes in ControlDesigner software. ETC manuals are also in portable document format (pdf) and are available for download at etcconnect.com.



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Compatibility

This release is compatible with the following ETC hardware and software/firmware:

- **Unison Paradigm LightDesigner** - version 5.1.1 software
- **Unison Paradigm Architectural Control Processor** - version 5.1.0 firmware
- **Unison Paradigm Touchscreen Control Stations (P-TS7 only)** - version 5.1.0 software
- **Unison Paradigm Central Control Server** - version 5.1.0 firmware
- **Unison Paradigm Virtual Touchscreen** - version 5.1.0 software

Incompatibility

ControlDesigner Software v5.1.0 is incompatible with legacy Unison Touchscreen stations.

Installation Instructions

Paradigm ControlDesigner Software can be installed by running the setup installer on a PC running Windows 7, Windows 10, or Windows 11 operating system. Additional hardware requirements include:

- 2.7 GHz+ Intel or compatible AMD equivalent (or better)
- 32 MB non-integrated graphics chip with OpenGL 2.0 support (or better)
- 4 GB RAM
- 2 GB available SSD or HD storage
- Display capable of 1920x1080 resolution (or better)
- 10/100/1000 BaseTX Ethernet
- USB Port
- Keyboard
- Mouse/Trackpad/Trackball

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Key Enhancements in v5.1.0

- Compatibility with other v5.1.0 software and Paradigm LightDesigner v5.1.1 software.
- Bug fixes.

Key Enhancements in v5.0.3

- Compatibility with other v5.0.3 software.

Key Enhancements in v5.0.2

- Compatibility with other v5.0.2 software.

Key Enhancements in v5.0.1

- Public release version of ControlDesigner Software software including supporting documentation for the new features introduced in version 5.0.0 software.
- Compatibility with other v5.0.1 software.

Key Enhancements in v5.0.0

- ControlDesigner provides temporary font usage management for touchscreen configurations and themes that utilize fonts not installed on the host computer.
- Import fonts (*.otf and *.ttf file types) for use with Paradigm applications including ControlDesigner and ThemeDesigner.
- Reorganized fader control properties.
- Bug fixes.

Issues Corrected in v5.1.0

PDGM-19156	Copy/paste of page resets chosen font of objects on pasted page to theme's default
PDGM-18822	ThemeDesigner does not allow "Save" of font edits after "Proceed and Substitute"

Known Issues Remaining in v5.1.0

PDGM-19960	Popups exposed after reducing station lockout level below its visibility threshold
PDGM-19959	"On Page Show" Show Popup actions do not respect visibility thresholds of the popup
PDGM-19853	Popup skins change to default when changing theme file (even if only renamed)
PDGM-19837	Crash when increasing object height or width from 0
PDGM-19748	ControlDesigner Gestures Incorrect Text
PDGM-19721	Dock size is reset to install defaults after minimizing/maximizing program
PDGM-19681	Timed Events in Calendar Widget Agenda tab are non-selectable if station's Lockout Level A is 50% or higher
PDGM-19358	Reset Docks does not reset floating docks Workaround: Dock any floating docks to a window edge before selecting Reset Docks
PDGM-19329	"Add Action" in CD action editor doesn't keep user on the gesture they were adding action to
PDGM-18949	Filenames containing non-ASCII characters cannot be opened with double-click
PDGM-18826	Changing lcd config to use ETC Theme 4.0/5.0 sets all labels incorrectly
PDGM-18666	CD View menu always offers both config and theme widgets
PDGM-18433	When the Default and Inactivity page do not match, clicking anywhere on the Inactivity page navigates to the Default page
PDGM-18111	Duplicated controls do not appear with duplicated non-default font until config re-open
PDGM-17950	Fit to Text only fits to the first line of a multi-line label
PDGM-17828	Object Browser jumps position when clicking an object on a page with page name out of current browser view

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Known Issues Remaining in v5.1.0 (continued)

- PDGM-17617 ControlDesigner crash when selecting keypad Cancel button in the object browser
- PDGM-17054 Buttons do not work on keypad on a Popup set as Custom Wake Behavior for Inactivity Touch/Prox Behavior
- PDGM-16823 Visibility and Lockout thresholds allow a value of -1 %
- PDGM-16670 Grid lines are not visible on dark background skins
- PDGM-16597 Color button simulation in ThemeDesigner does not show "Text" over skin elements, like other buttons do
- PDGM-16432 Snap-to-grid within tab widgets does not appear to align vertically with drawn grid lines
- PDGM-16354 Missing theme skins can cause touch-screens and CD simulation to crash
- PDGM-16304 Resizing a touchscreen config does not adjust workspace correctly (missing scrollbars and not centered) until CD is restarted
- PDGM-16224 LCD configs with multiple fonts can take a long time to upload
- PDGM-16157 Undoing a theme change loses page/widget skin settings and reapplies defaults
- PDGM-16129 "On page show" popup actions do not honor "Auto Show/Hide Popups" preference while editing in CD
- PDGM-15982 When editing the color of widgets or text, the value of any Default is not reflected in the color edit dialog as the starting value
- PDGM-15755 Editing widget width property when right edge is touching display extents adds extra width off screen
- PDGM-13157 ControlDesigner plan zoom doesn't zoom about the mouse pointer position
- PDGM-12114 There is no way to dictate font and font size for system generated widgets
- PDGM-11820 Action Editor does not provide On Button Release for Maintained button type
- PDGM-11226 Extended characters are not supported from LD labels
- PDGM-8887 Alignment grid can become temporarily invisible when working with tabs and frames
- PDGM-8525 Labels of faders are at lower Z-order than the fader object itself
- PDGM-5557 Themes cannot support image formats that separately specify background color
- PDGM-5194 Keypads should prevent duplicate passcodes in actions list