

# DiCentra Outstanding and Fixed Bugs

Release 3.8.139

## Recent History

Here is a quick summary of recent changes in the public release. The full history is at the end of this document.

Release	Changes
R 3.8.139 14 Jun 11	<p><b>Preferences</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>It is now possible to suppress the display of image numbers during a competition using the <i>Image Details</i> tab in <i>Edit &gt; Preferences</i>.</li><li>DiCentra would crash if <i>Background Image</i> was set on the <i>Title</i> tab but no image was chosen. You are now required to select an image before you are allowed to save the preferences if you select <i>Background Image</i>.</li></ul> <p><b>All-Comers Comps</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A bug caused All-Comers rules to revert to club comps sometimes during editing. This resulted in the loss of club details when the competition was generated. This has been fixed.</li><li>It is now possible to use the Navigator to select all entries from a given club in <i>All-comers</i> comps using sequences that are automatically generated for each club. This is in addition to selection of entrants by their name.</li></ul> <p><b>Large Inter-Club Comps</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>These comps now accept reference codes that begin with either letters or digits and may contain a mixture of the two.</li></ul> <p><b>Loading Images</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Large sequence numbers are now acceptable again. This fixes a restriction introduced in version 3.8.131. (Some clubs use this to encode the sequence number and an entrant code.)</li><li>Underscores in titles could result in incorrect parsing of file names. When such file names are found during loading now, the information is presented to you to manually sort it.</li><li>In rare cases the order in which images were loaded was not in ascending file name order. This has been fixed. So, if images have a sequence number at the start of the file name, image '1 Moonlight.jpg' will be processed during loading before '4 Sunset.jpg'. Note that '04 Sunset.jpg' will still be loaded before '1 Moonlight.jpg' so ensure that all images have the same number of digits in their sequence number.</li><li>Previously, an 8-bit monochrome image that had an sRGB profile would cause DiCentra to crash when an attempt was made to display the image in the competition. DiCentra now rejects such improper image files during loading.</li></ul> <p><b>Spreadsheets</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Spreadsheets could not be input to Excel 97 and in Open Office showed a few garbage characters at the start. An option is now available to output spreadsheets as ASCII for such cases <u>only</u>. Note that the ½ symbol is replaced by '?' when this is used.</li><li>When spreadsheets were merged to accumulate the results of several competitions, the columns could be misaligned if an entrant was not included in an earlier competition. This has been fixed.</li></ul>

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R 3.8.131 3 Dec 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ If the # character is used in folder names to include a comment and there is a dot immediately before it, then DiCentra erroneously reported that a .wie file had been loaded. This has now been corrected.</li><li>▪ For competitions where a sequence number is expected at the start of image file names, DiCentra could hang if this is missing and the image title started with a large number, e.g. "77777 trombones.jpg". This has been fixed.</li><li>▪ The dialogue for editing image filenames that do not match the expected format has been improved to reduce re-typing.</li><li>▪ Function key F2 can now be used to alternately start a slide show from the beginning or stop it.</li><li>▪ If places were added as awards in place-marked competitions the results were not shown in the correct order. This has been fixed.</li><li>▪ Fonts for text displayed during a competition are now scaled to avoid layout problems when Windows is configured with font scaling of more than 100%.</li></ul>
R 3.8.126 20 Sep 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ When creating new rules, surplus spaces in the competition name would cause an error report to be produced. This has been fixed.</li><li>▪ Under some circumstances the sRGB profile, and possibly others, did not show in the drop-down list of available profiles on the main DiCentra screen. This has been fixed.</li></ul>
R 3.8.125 1 May 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ <i>PageDown</i> and <i>PageUp</i> can now be used to move forward and back through images. This is useful for some presenter devices.</li><li>▪ Folders on CDs that have a blank at the end of their name caused an error when loading. (Windows won't allow them to be copied either.) A message is now displayed indicating how to recover such folders.</li><li>▪ Windows 7 sometimes changes the name of an image's <i>Adobe RGB</i> colour space to <i>opRGB</i>. DiCentra now handles this without comment if the competition colour space is Adobe RGB. Adobe RGB variants, such as 'Epson Adobe RGB' are also accepted.</li><li>▪ The status panel is minimised once the competition is made. It can be expanded manually.</li><li>▪ New awards have been added for Very Highly Commended, Highly Commended, Commended, Best in Exhibition and Judge's Choice. See the User Guide p. 56 for normal keyboard commands and p. 43 for Lightbox commands.</li><li>▪ The Lightbox now allows sorting by Award or Award Reversed.</li><li>▪ The <i>Held</i> status of images can be changed in the Lightbox.</li></ul>
R 3.7.121 23 Mar 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Some entries were not printed at a page break when the <i>Blank Scoresheet</i> was printed from Wordpad. This has been fixed.</li></ul>
R 3.7.119 15 Feb 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ On some Windows 7 systems colour management was not correctly restored when DiCentra closed. This has been fixed.</li></ul>
R 3.7.117 21 Nov 09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ A 'Save' button has been added to the Navigator to ease the process of saving selections as sequences, and adding or removing sets of images from sequences.</li></ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ For inter-club competitions using 'by' as a separator, all capitalisations of the word are now accepted.</li> <li>▪ When you run a competition, back-arrow now allows stepping from the competition banner page to the last image. This also works when a sequence, such as held images, is being shown.</li> <li>▪ A problem with rules editor apparently reverting to include a reference number in Large Interclub competitions has been fixed.</li> <li>▪ A problem with unreadable rules files has been fixed. It occurred with competition dates greater than 12<sup>th</sup> of the month on machines with different regional settings to the machine on which the rules had been created.</li> <li>▪ The range of display/projector sizes in rules and preferences has been expanded.</li> </ul>
<p>R 3.6.114 23 Oct 09</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ When making interclub comps and some clubs had too few entries, a dialogue was presented with no OK button. This has been fixed.</li> <li>▪ On some systems the Load Entry progress bar could get hidden behind the main DiCentra Window. This has been fixed.</li> <li>▪ Closing DiCentra when it was apparently stuck could cause Log files to remain locked. This has been fixed.</li> <li>▪ On some systems there were reports of DiCentra reporting it was unable to read certain rules files on startup or after importing them. It is now less sensitive to certain variations in Rules files.</li> <li>▪ An extra field 'ESeq' has been added to spreadsheet reports. This is the entrant's number for the image (in the range 1 to max. images per person or per club).</li> </ul>
<p>R 3.6.112 16 Oct 09</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Spreadsheet reports by author can now be generated for All-Comers competitions. The results for all images by a given author are contained in one row of the .csv file.</li> <li>▪ It is now possible to export and import results-only. This can be useful after a competition when exporting the results back to a desktop/master machine.</li> <li>▪ A "x:\ Disk full" message was erroneously produced when a file with a long name was imported or exported. A more informative message has been added.</li> </ul> <p><i>Note: The full names of files will change slightly when a competition is moved between machines. Occasionally this results in their length becoming greater than the Windows limit of 256 characters. If an error message occurs, try re-importing just the rules and competition. If this is still not successful you will need to go back to the original images or folders and shorten the offending names before exporting again.</i></p>
<p>R 3.6.111 25 Sept 09</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Typing the 'c' command in a competition to clear all held images now asks for confirmation</li> <li>▪ The Light Box can now be used for marking place-marked competitions. Just select a thumbnail and type its position (1-9) or 0 to clear its place</li> <li>▪ This change means that the <a href="#">Arrange &gt; By Place</a> and <a href="#">Arrange &gt; By Place Reversed</a> context menu commands now work for these competitions</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ A bug with ordering of place-marked competitions in the scoresheet has been fixed</li> <li>▪ Titles that include curly brackets no longer cause problems with printable reports</li> <li>▪ A sequence "No Titles" is now generated automatically for portfolio competitions for those who do not want title images to be seen</li> </ul>
R 3.6.108 20 Sept 09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Fixes problems with renaming and deleting entrants in competitions with entry numbers</li> <li>▪ Importing 'Rules and Competition Only' fixed to leave log information undisturbed</li> <li>▪ Fixed problem with losing last character before # in folder names</li> <li>▪ Fixed to replace illegal filename characters by tilde (~)</li> <li>▪ Fixed to remove error when importing 'Rules Only' if there is no <i>Assembly Area</i> folder in the same folder</li> <li>▪ Added progress bar to indicate progress while making large competitions</li> <li>▪ Fixed unexpected error that occurred at the end of making a <i>Multi-Judge</i> type competition</li> </ul>
R 3.6.105 3 Jul 09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Fixes a problem where rules that do not use sequence numbers appear to revert to having a sequence number if they are re-opened with File &gt; Open Rules.</li> </ul>
R 3.6.104 21 May 09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Fixed problem that navigator did not correctly select clubs in large inter-club competitions</li> </ul>
R 3.6.103 3 May 09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Includes a number of bug fixes</li> </ul>
R 3.6.102 23 Apr 09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The short-hand marks entry for triple judge competitions has been fixed so that it now works as before.</li> <li>▪ The image number qualifier (<i>Exactly, Maximum, Unlimited</i>) for large inter-club competitions did not always show the correct setting. This has been fixed.</li> </ul>
R 3.6.101 14 Apr 09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Under certain circumstances the first filename component specified in a competition's rules could get reset to 'Sequence Number' or 'Reference Number' after the rules had been saved. This has been fixed.</li> <li>▪ The 'Don't split into rounds' option for score sheets has been fixed.</li> </ul>
R 3.6.99 9 Apr 09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ A new tie-break mechanism has been added for inter-club competitions. An extra image from each club involved is ranked if a tie occurs.</li> <li>▪ Inter-club competitions that use this mechanism must have a sequence number for each image and the final one is taken to be the tie-break image.</li> <li>▪ A new Large Interclub Competition type has been introduced that allows a variable number of images per club, and allows reference numbers (e.g. C078123) to be included with the image name on reports.</li> <li>▪ On machines with internet access, it is now possible to check if you have the latest version and to access the DiCentra web page.</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Options allow blank score sheets to be produced for judges without information identifying clubs or entrants.</li><li>Trial mode now allows all DiCentra features except projector setup to be used, but limits its use to competitions with no more than 3 entrants and 3 images per entrant.</li><li>A rare problem that caused a crash during a competition has been fixed. This problem only occurred rarely, and only with monochrome images.</li><li>A rare crash on Vista machines when DiCentra starts has been fixed.</li></ul>
R 3.5.92 3 Mar 09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A text box that obscured part of competition images has been suppressed</li></ul>
R 3.5.91 1 Mar 09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A problem that caused DiCentra to produce an error at start-up on machines where the system drive was not C: has been fixed.</li><li>A problem where (very rare) images caused a crash during a competition has been fixed.</li></ul>
R 3.5.88 16 Feb 09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A problem that caused DiCentra to produce an error (and display an elephant) instead of the title slides for portfolio competitions has been fixed.</li></ul>
R 3.5.87 13 Feb 09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>The progress bar that shows when images are being loaded should no longer obscure other dialogues.</li><li>There is a new shortcut to start a complete slide show: F2 – function key 2.</li><li>The separator between image number and title in portfolio image names can now be chosen from the usual range, including underscore.</li><li>1050 x 1050 pixels is now an allowable image size.</li></ul>
R 3.5.86 6 Feb 09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A bug which caused DiCentra to crash when used in try-out mode has been fixed.</li><li>When All-comers competitions are made, the dialogue to choose the number of entries accepted is now of fixed size to prevent the OK button disappearing off the screen.</li><li>Some entrants accidentally include a dot at the start of an image's title or include underscores instead of spaces. These are now cleaned up automatically.</li></ul>
R3.5.85 2 Feb 09	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>The limit on number of entries per club for inter-club competitions has been removed.</li><li>A progress bar is now shown when loading images and the need to click 'OK' after each entrant's images have been loaded is now optional.</li><li>All appropriate installed profiles are now shown in the profile list. A bug in colour processing has been fixed.</li><li>Shortcuts have been added to allow quick switching to show held images on the lightbox ('x') and to view held images (&lt;down arrow&gt;).</li><li>New awards have been added for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> place and Hon. Mention.</li><li>Awards can now be added using &lt;Alt&gt;+x, where x is 1, 2, 3 or 4 for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup>. It is g, s, b, r for gold, silver, bronze or ribbon, and c, m or w for certificate, Hon. Mention or winner.</li></ul>

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R3.5.79 3 Dec 08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ A warning is now displayed when you load images for a competition using Adobe RGB (1998) working space if the profile is not already installed on the machine.</li><li>▪ If you suppress initial titles, they no longer briefly appear as you move to the next image while the marks are displayed for the previous one.</li><li>▪ It is no longer necessary to include sequence numbers in the entrant's image filenames for club and inter-club competitions.</li></ul>
R3.5.76 1 Nov 08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ New Multi-judge competition support added. This allows more flexible support for certain types of competitions with between 2 and 5 judges.</li></ul>
R3.4.70 8 Oct 08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ In large competitions, a problem with the previous image's details being shown momentarily when marks were entered has been fixed.</li></ul>
R3.4.69 6 Oct 08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ If club names are included in all-comers competitions, they are now included in the printable results, on-screen scoresheet and the results spreadsheet.</li></ul>
R3.4.68 24 Sep 08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Download size has been reduced from about 25 Mbytes to about 7 Mbytes.</li><li>▪ The Certificate selector was not enabled in the Navigator if certificates were awarded using the Lightbox. This has been fixed.</li><li>▪ Titles that contain an '&amp;' character now display correctly in the on-screen image details.</li><li>▪ Progress bar for Import/Export of competitions should not now stall for large competitions. (Copying did continue even though there appeared to be no progress.)</li></ul>

### Release Numbering

DiCentra release numbers have the following meaning:

- *First number:* Major release number. This changes when substantial changes have been made.
- *Second number:* Minor release number. This changes whenever new features have been added to the previous release. For example, release 2.1.19 has some extra features dealing with projector setup compared to version 2.0.17.
- *Third number:* Build number. This will change when bug fixes have been applied or with a minor release. Thus, when some bugs in 2.0.16 were fixed the release number changed to 2.0.17.

### Reported Issues Awaiting Full Solution

The following are known limitations or bugs.

No.	Date	Details
B3.31	24/9/09	Symptoms: <b>A message beginning "DisplayInfo.RB_GetScreenIndex ..." is sometimes displayed when only the projector is being used on a laptop (not using laptop screen).</b> Fix: Dismiss the message. It should only occur once at the start of a competition or projector setup. Status: No fix available at present.

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B3.30	1/5/09	Symptoms: <b>Opacity setting in Preferences has no effect on opacity of image details panel during a competition.</b> Fix: No fix at present. It is thought that the display adaptor on the machines affected does not support certain features that are needed. Status: No fix available at present.
B3.29	20/3/09	Symptoms: <b>When DiCentra was run on one Vista machine, DiCentra crashed immediately.</b> Fix: This has been fixed, but there could still be a problem installing the licence on such machines. Contact <a href="mailto:software@wilburimaging.com">software@wilburimaging.com</a> for a workaround if this affects you. Status: Partially fixed in 3.6.99. A full fix will be available shortly.
B3.28	8/3/09	Symptoms: <b>DiCentra's policy is only to change image files that do not meet the competition's rules. However, it has been noticed that where Tiff files are allowed they get converted to JPEGs for the competition.</b> Fix: None. Status: This will be fixed shortly.
B3.24	2/2/09	Symptoms: <b>A beep is sounded when adding an award in the lightbox using &lt;Alt&gt;+code.</b> Fix: None. Status: Although the beep is annoying the award is correctly added (or removed).
B3.22	13/1/09	Symptoms: <b>Installing .NET 1.1 runtime (needed by DiCentra) on Vista can fail.</b> Fix: Contact <a href="mailto:software@wilburimaging.com">software@wilburimaging.com</a> Status: This is very rare. .NET 1.1 runtime needs to be installed for DiCentra to work (even if .NET 2.0 or .NET 3.5 are already installed. The problem is being investigated, but contact us if this affects you.
B3.19	31/10/08	Symptoms: <b>Images extracted for judges' preview may contain information that can identify the author.</b> Fix: None Status: It is relatively easy to remove EXIF data, but other forms of identification also exist in image files. Further efforts to remove this will be made if there is sufficient demand.
B3.15	25/8/08	Symptoms: <b>For competitions with entry numbers, the status panel does not show the entry number.</b> Fix: None Status: Will be added later
B3.1	1/8/07	Symptoms: <b>With Vista, some text in Status/Log may get cropped</b> Fix: None Status: Being investigated

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B3.2	12/8/07	<p>Symptoms: <b>Saving marks and generating the lightbox screen can be slow for large competitions (&gt; 500 images)</b></p> <p>Fix: None</p> <p>Status: Update being developed</p>
B3.5	12/8/07	<p>Symptoms: <b>'Lose last' and 'Lose random' tie-break policies are not implemented</b></p> <p>Fix: None</p> <p>Status: Being investigated</p>
B3.6	12/8/07	<p>Symptoms: <b>A folder for the entrant or club name needs to be included in the rules</b></p> <p>Fix: If entries are submitted on CD or USB memory stick without the relevant folder, DiCentra prompts for the entrant name. Alternatively, a suitably named folder can be created on hard disk into which the entries can be copied. They can then be loaded from this folder.</p> <p>Status: Being investigated</p>
B3.7	12/8/07	<p>Symptoms: <b>User Guide pagination is erratic</b></p> <p>Comment: Chapters should start on right hand pages but some start on left hand pages and there are sometimes spurious blank pages between chapters thanks to Word.</p> <p>Status: One day it may get fixed ...</p>
B3.11	12/2/08	<p>Symptoms: <b>Sample folders and/or rules do not get installed</b></p> <p>Comment: In a small number of installations the sample files do not get properly installed. The projector test chart image also sometimes goes missing.</p> <p>Status: Being investigated.</p>
B3.13	12/2/08	<p>Symptoms: <b>Image number in image details is compressed and unreadable</b></p> <p>Cause: This is believed to be due to display driver settings. Check <i>Control Panel &gt; Display &gt; Settings &gt; Advanced &gt; General &gt; DPI Setting</i>. The normal setting is 96 dpi for modern displays. If it is set to 120 dpi this is likely to be the problem.</p> <p>Status: Please contact us if you experience this problem and this does not fix it.</p>
B3.14	12/2/08	<p>Symptoms: <b>On SXGA+ projectors (1400 x 1024 or similar) part of the Lightbox and Scoresheet windows are inaccessible</b></p> <p>Cause: This is believed to be due to display driver settings. Check <i>Control Panel &gt; Display &gt; Settings &gt; Advanced &gt; General &gt; DPI Setting</i>. The normal setting is 96 dpi for modern displays. If it is set to 120 dpi this is likely to be the problem.</p> <p>Status: Please contact us if you experience this problem and this does not fix it.</p>

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B3.34	20/10/09	Symptoms: <b>Reports of 'xxx log' file is locked when starting DiCentra and selecting a competition</b> Cause: Bug. Status: Fixed in 3.6.114
B3.33	23/10/09	Symptoms: <b>When making an inter-club competition where one or more entrants has insufficient images a dialogue is presented without an OK button.</b> Cause: Bug. Status: Fixed in 3.6.114
B3.32	22/10/09	Symptoms: <b>When DiCentra is started a couple of 'Can't read xxx Rules' are displayed. There may also be problems importing exported competitions.</b> Cause: Bug. Status: DiCentra is now less sensitive to certain acceptable variations in Rules files. Fixed in 3.6.114
B3.31	3/7/09	Symptoms: <b>If rules that do not use sequence numbers for images are re-opened using File &gt; Open Rules ... the first field in the filename appears as Sequence Number.</b> Cause: Bug. Status: Fixed in 3.6.105
B3.27	8/3/09	Symptoms: <b>Sometimes an invalid profile is added to a monochrome image file when it is loaded. This causes DiCentra to crash during the competition.</b> Cause: Bug. Status: Fixed in 3.6.99
B3.26	28/2/09	Symptoms: <b>Very rarely an image file will load correctly but will cause DiCentra to crash when run in a competition</b> Cause: This is due to an inconsistency in the profile information in the image file Status: Fixed in 3.5.91
B3.25	28/2/09	Symptoms: <b>On machines whose system drive is not C:, DiCentra fails to start</b> Cause: Coding limitation. Status: Fixed in 3.5.91
B3.23	19/1/09	Symptoms: <b>Very occasionally the list of projector profiles is incomplete, usually only showing 'sRGB color space profile.icm'</b> Cause: The cause is unknown but DiCentra has been fixed to list all appropriate installed profiles. Status: Fixed in 3.5.85

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B3.20	3/12/08	<p>Symptoms: <b>DiCentra gave an unexpected error message when attempting to correct an image's working space to Adobe RGB (1998) if that profile was not installed on the machine.</b></p> <p>Note: This only applies to competitions expecting images in the Adobe RGB (1998) working space. The profile needs to be installed from the Adobe web site, and DiCentra now provides polite warnings of the problem.</p> <p>Status: Fixed in 3.5.79</p>
B3.21	3/12/08	<p>Symptoms: <b>When set to suppress the initial display of titles during a competition, the title could still appear briefly if the next image was selected while the previous marks and title were on the screen.</b></p> <p>Status: Fixed in 3.5.79</p>
B3.18	20/9/08	<p>Symptoms: <b>When exporting or importing large competitions, the progress bar sometimes appears to stall. Copying still continues, even though there is no visible sign of activity.</b></p> <p>Status: Fixed in 3.4.68</p>
B3.17	20/9/08	<p>Symptoms: <b>For some competitions the Certificates selector in the Navigator is not enabled, even though certificates have been awarded.</b></p> <p>Status: Fixed in 3.4.67</p>
B3.16	25/8/08	<p>Symptoms: <b>The DiCentra download file has doubled in size due to extra samples that have been included.</b></p> <p>Status: Fixed in 3.4.67</p>
B3.3	12/8/07	<p>Symptoms: <b>Names that contain accented characters do not print correctly in reports</b></p> <p>Status: Fixed in 3.0.23</p>
B3.4	12/8/07	<p>Symptoms: <b>Files encoded as 'Progressive JPEG' are rejected as bad files</b></p> <p>Fix: Re-process the image saving it as 'Baseline' coding.</p> <p>Status: Fixed in 3.2.45</p>
B3.8	12/10/07	<p>Symptoms: <b>If there is a gap in an entrant's image numbers or they do not start at 1 the error 'clsEntries:SaveV3Entry:Object reference not set to an instance of an object' occurs</b></p> <p>Status: Fixed in 3.1.34</p>
B3.9	15/10/07	<p>Symptoms: <b>Attempting to load images larger than specified in the rules can produce ' ... A generic error occurred in GDI+'. If you click OK then error B3.8 above will occur too</b></p> <p>Fix: Resize the images in an imaging application for now and try again.</p> <p>Status: Fixed in 3.1.34</p>

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B3.10	6/10/07	Symptoms: <b>Some images with apparently valid colour profiles are being flagged as 'fixed'</b> Cause: Photoshop CS3 uses a different method of indicating colour space of images. Please report any cases where images originating from other applications give similar symptoms. Fix: No action needed for sRGB competitions. Contact <a href="mailto:software@wilburimaging.com">software@wilburimaging.com</a> if you are using Adobe RGB for competitions. Status: Fixed in 3.2.45
B3.12	12/2/08	Symptoms: <b>Problems running from an account without Administrator privileges</b> Comment: In a few cases there seem to be problems running <i>DiCentra</i> from an unprivileged Windows account. Note: Please contact us if you experience these problems. Status: Fixed in 3.3.51
B3.15	20/3/08	Symptoms: <b>Exporting files to a disk with inadequate space causes repeated error messages</b> Status: Fixed in 3.3.51
B3.16	29/4/08	Symptoms: <b>Running DiCentra from a non-Administrative account caused it to crash.</b> Status: Fixed in 3.3.53
B3.17	30/4/08	Symptoms: <b>Some image files cause unexpected error when being loaded.</b> Status: Fixed in 3.3.53

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R3.5.79 3 Dec 08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ A warning is now displayed when you load images for a competition using Adobe RGB (1998) working space if the profile is not already installed on the machine.</li><li>▪ If you suppress initial titles, they no longer briefly appear as you move to the next image while the marks are displayed for the previous one.</li><li>▪ It is no longer necessary to include sequence numbers in the entrant's image filenames for club and inter-club competitions.</li></ul>
R3.5.76 1 Nov 08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ New Multi-judge competition support added. This allows more flexible support for certain types of competitions with between 2 and 5 judges.</li></ul>
R3.4.70 8 Oct 08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ In large competitions, a problem with the previous image's details being shown momentarily when marks were entered has been fixed.</li></ul>
R3.4.69 6 Oct 08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ If club names are included in all-comers competitions, they are now included in the printable results, on-screen scoresheet and the results spreadsheet.</li></ul>
R3.4.68 24 Sep 08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Download size has been reduced from about 25 Mbytes to about 7 Mbytes.</li><li>▪ The Certificate selector was not enabled in the Navigator if certificates were awarded using the Lightbox. This has been fixed.</li><li>▪ Titles that contain an '&amp;' character now display correctly in the on-screen image details.</li><li>▪ Progress bar for Import/Export of competitions should not now stall for large competitions. (Copying did continue even though there appeared to be no progress.)</li></ul>
R3.4.65 26 Aug 08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Additions to the Vista fix (R3.3.54) to deal with earlier partial licence installation.</li></ul>
R3.4.64 23 Aug 08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Entry numbers can be assigned to each entrant as their images are loaded, provided the rules are configured appropriately.</li><li>▪ Competitions where portfolios of related images) are to be judged are now supported by DiCentra.</li><li>▪ It has always been possible for entrant names to be entered in surname-first format, but now, if the rules indicate this, the fields produced in results spreadsheets are correct. Where Entry Numbers are also specified in the rules, reports can be produced in Surname or entry number order.</li><li>▪ Marks can now be suppressed in printable reports.</li></ul>
R3.3.54 11 Aug 08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ After installing a licence for <i>DiCentra</i> on Vista, an error message asking for <i>DiCentra</i> to be run once from an administrator account was shown, even if the current account had administrative privileges. This has been fixed.</li></ul>
R3.3.53 4 May 08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Some image files (possibly generated by ACD software) caused DiCentra to give an unexpected error. This has been fixed.</li><li>▪ When running <i>DiCentra</i> from a non-Administrative Windows account it crashed. This has been fixed.</li></ul>

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R3.3.51 24 Mar 08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ <i>Export/Import</i> has an additional option to transfer only those files needed for a competition. This can significantly reduce the file space needed and the transfer time.</li><li>▪ It is now possible to extract all or just a sequence of images and thumbnails from a competition. This can be useful for sending to the judge beforehand, providing a handful of images at the start of a competition for normalisation of judging, or for extracting images and thumbnails for building a web site. (<i>Competition &gt; Extract</i>)</li><li>▪ Sequences can now be built manually as an alternative to using the Lightbox. They can also be edited. This is useful in connection with the Extract function and also for selective report generation. (<i>Competition &gt; Edit Sequence</i> and <i>Competition &gt; Delete Sequence</i>)</li><li>▪ If <i>DiCentra</i> is licensed on a particular machine, all users are now licensed, without needing to install the licence for each user account individually. This takes effect from the time when the new version of <i>DiCentra</i> is first used.</li><li>▪ Multiple different licences can be installed on one machine and the relevant one can be selected. This may be useful where the same computer is used by a licensed club and is also used by a licensed federation of clubs.</li><li>▪ A number of bugs have been fixed:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ <i>DiCentra</i> would not start correctly even in trial mode under Windows accounts without Administrator privileges. This has now been fixed.</li><li>○ If licence installation failed because of an incorrect licence image, subsequent attempts to install the licence would fail until the licence image was removed manually. Failed licence installation attempts now automatically remove the associated licence image.</li></ul></li></ul>
R3.2.45 14 Feb 08	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Competition details, before or after marking, can now be exported for processing by a spreadsheet package such as <i>Excel</i>.<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ The <i>File &gt; Reports</i> menu has been extended to include <i>Printable Reports</i> and <i>Spreadsheet Reports</i> as options.</li><li>○ For interclub and all-comers competitions each spreadsheet row contains the details of one image.</li><li>○ For club competitions this same row-per-image format can be produced. Alternatively, an entrant-per-row format is available and places details of all their images on the same row.</li><li>○ If several club competitions are run as part of a series, <i>DiCentra</i> can merge the current results into an earlier set of results. Merging can only occur for exact matches of entrant names. Some manual fixing of the spreadsheet may be needed where entrants use different forms of their names in different heats of the series. For example, <i>John Smith ARPS</i> and <i>John T Smith ARPS</i> would appear as two separate rows even if they were the same person.</li><li>○ An application note describing this new feature in more detail will be produced shortly.</li></ul></li><li>▪ The <i>Auto Cert</i> drop down in the Rules dialogue has been extended to</li></ul>

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	<p>show the top 5 possible marks.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ It is now possible to prevent displaying the image details when an image is first shown. This can be useful for the initial run through of all images, or because you prefer it. The details are still displayed when marks are entered or the Ctrl or # keys are pressed. To use it:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ <i>Edit &gt; Preferences &gt; Image details</i> and uncheck <i>Show Details Initially</i>, or</li><li>○ Use the context (right-click) menu and click <i>Initial Details</i> to toggle the setting on or off. Each time you run the competition this is set to the <i>Preferences</i> setting above, or</li><li>○ Type D on the keyboard to toggle the current setting.</li></ul></li><li>▪ A number of bugs have been fixed:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Some JPEG images with correct colour space were flagged as having the wrong colour space and were 'fixed'. This seems to be a problem with some files produced by Photoshop CS2 and CS3. <i>DiCentra</i> has been changed to deal with such files correctly.</li><li>○ Processing of entrants' images has been re-worked. In a number of cases where 'bad' files are detected, the reason is now given in <i>DiCentra's</i> log.</li><li>○ Images with large printer profiles as the colour space no longer cause a crash, and should be processed correctly to the target colour space if the rules allow.</li><li>○ If all images from an entrant were skipped or rejected an unexpected error '<i>Malformed .wie file</i>' occurred. This has been fixed.</li><li>○ After the <i>Help</i> panel was displayed and dismissed during a competition the keyboard appeared to stop working. This has been fixed.</li></ul></li></ul>
R3.1.34 1 Nov 07	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ The image details bar that is shown during competitions has been re-worked:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Opacity of image details background can be controlled via Preferences to make it less obtrusive.</li><li>○ Awards are now shown in the details area.</li><li>○ Image details can be suppressed when an image is initially shown (Preferences). In this situation they are still shown when marks are entered or on demand.</li><li>○ Users can substitute their own images for award badges (see User Guide).</li></ul></li><li>▪ The context (right-click) menu in the Lightbox now includes an <i>Arrange by item</i>.<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ This can be used to sort the images in the lightbox by mark, mark reversed or by image number.</li><li>○ Any unmarked images will be moved from the included set and added to the excluded set.</li><li>○ The two sets can be recombined by using <i>Arrange by &gt; Number, Include All</i></li></ul></li><li>▪ Awards (Gold, Silver, ... Certificate) can be assigned in the Lightbox</li></ul>

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	<p>by selecting the relevant thumbnail and typing the usual command letter (g, l, ... * resp.). Assigning an award to the same image again clears the award.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ A number of bugs have been fixed:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Wrong sized images do not now cause 'GDI+' error</li><li>○ Images originating from CD can now be deleted. This allows competitions and entrants to be deleted without giving an error.</li><li>○ Licence images originating from CD now work correctly</li><li>○ Gaps in image sequence numbering no longer give an 'object reference' error</li><li>○ When 'Reject incorrect images' is selected in the rules, incorrect images no longer give an 'object reference' error.</li></ul></li></ul>
R3.0.23 27 Aug 07	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ A number of small bug fixes have been made. These include:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ The background colour was sometimes seen when moving from the title to an image in a competition. This was more of a problem if image details were selected to be shown before the image.</li><li>○ The arrow characters were missing from the help screen (F1) when running a competition.</li><li>○ Accented characters are now produced correctly in reports</li><li>○ Deleting a competition now works without producing an error.</li><li>○ The average mark is now shown correctly in the competition statistics.</li><li>○ The log report statistics captions have been changed for clarity.</li></ul></li></ul>
R3.0.22 13 Aug 07	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Initial product release – see the Release Notes for the changes from the Beta release 2.</li></ul>

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