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1 Introduction

Overview Version 5.2.0

The following table gives an overview of newly added or enhanced features and fixed software bugs:

Description	New	Enhanced	Fixed
New User Interface for MC-Axes	✓		
Counter for Tasklock/Taskunlock	✓		
Communication Module JX3-COM-EIPA	✓		
Default Directory for new Workspaces	✓		
Suppressing a Compiler Warning with Directive	✓		
Warning for Multiple Use of BITS-/ENUM-Constants	✓		
Automatic Deactivation of Setup Window		✓	
JetSym Version Check during Load of Project		✓	
Exclusion of STX Program Files from Debugging	✓		
Improved Transfer of Initialization Values		✓	
Standard Display of Online/Offline Values		✓	
Conversion of Declaration Files	✓		
Selecting Variable Type in Setup Window		✓	
Showing JetSym Files in Windows Explorer	✓		
Handling Write-Protected Files		✓	
"Collapse All"/"Expand All" in Setup Window		✓	
Update of Motor Database		✓	
Indirect Register Access in Setup Window		✓	
Revised "New Project" Dialog		✓	
File Upload from Controller		✓	
New Hardware in Hardware Manager	✓		
Type Mapping in Register Range		✓	
New Axis Module JM-200-ETH	✓		
New Motion-API Version 1.0.0 9	✓		
Tasklock with BitSet/BitClear			✓
Interaction between Enumeration and Class Definition			✓
Data Consistency with Commands "BitSet" and "BitClear"			✓
Incorrect Addressing in STX Structures			✓
Changing Localized Pointer Address			✓
Font Size in Motion Setup			✓

Versionsupdate Introduction

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Warning Message at Change in Motion Setup			✓
Displaying Strings with Register Number			✓
Reading/Writing Data Dump Files from/to JetSTX-VM			✓
Incorrect Line Number in Task Window			✓
Writing Incorrect Initialization Values			✓
JetSym Hang-Up at Intellisense Update			✓
Opening Office 2010 Files			✓
Using "this"-Pointer with "protected" Members			✓
Inconsistent Display of "char" Values			✓
Intellisense Update after Renaming an Identifier			✓
Jumping to Source Code after Renaming an Identifier			✓
Misbehavior at Oscilloscope Recording			✓
Command "Undo" with Structures			✓
Profiler Channel at Oscilloscope			✓
Side Effect using Macro "Limits"			✓
Flag's Reference as a Function Parameter			✓
Direct Usage of Pointer Returned by a Function			✓
Message during Connection Attempt over CAN			✓
Relevant Project Files			✓
No Compiler Error at Usage of Protected Functions			✓
No Download & Debug at Partial Download			✓
Half Visible Edit Field in Motion Setup			✓
Number Coloring in Program Editor			✓
Changing Write-Protected Files			✓
JetSym Library as New File			✓
New File over Context Menu in Project Tree			✓
Program Crash after Closing a Workspace			✓
Multiple Entries after Hardware Scan			✓
Renaming Identifier in Write-Protected Files			✓
Changing Non-Localized String Variables over CAN			✓
Online Recognition of Operating System			✓
Check-In of newly created Files in TFS			✓
Renaming Identifiers in Tasks without "Autorun"			✓
Incorrect Text in Dialog "Find in Files"			✓
Optimization of Program Download			✓

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Program Crash during "Find and Replace"			✓
Settings in Dialog "Find in Files"			✓
Copy/Paste in Declaration File			✓
Wrong Unit at Command "MotionReadValue"			✓
Program Crash during Size Change of Oscilloscope Window			✓
No Controller Restart Possible			✓
No Comment in Tooltip			✓
No Active Project after Conversion from ST to STX			✓
Program Crash after Changing the Hardware Configuration			✓
Incorrect Conversion from JetSym to ST			✓
Display of a Negative Number in Setup Window			✓
Hang-Up at Intellisense Update			✓
Truncated Text in "CPU" Window			✓
Display of Boolean Values in Setup Window			✓
Number Display Type in Setup Window			✓
More User-Friendly "CPU" Window			✓
Selection at Auto-Completion			✓
Type Selection at Register Addresses in Oscilloscope Window			✓
Troubles with Protected Functions in Classes			✓
Too short Recording in Oscilloscope Profiler			✓
Hexadecimal Display of Enumeration Values			✓
Compatibility of String Variables			✓
Takeover of Pub/Sub-Variables			✓
Special Characters in Comments in Setup Window			✓
Program Crash after Canceling a Transfer			✓
Misbehavior with Expression "[export jde]"			✓
Bug in English Online Help			✓
No Validation of Timeout Entry in CPU Window			✓
Misbehavior in Oscilloscope Window			✓
Display of Time Members within a Structure Array			✓
No Support of Expanded Semaphores in JetSTX-VM			✓
Copying/Moving Axes			✓
Unexpected Closing of Configuration Window			✓
No Compiler Error with Standalone Command "REG"			✓

Versionsupdate Introduction

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Program Crash during File Transfer			✓
Incomplete Tooltip Display			✓
Bad Operability when Controller Offline			✓
Incorrect Compiler Error with Empty Optional Parameters			✓
No STX Variables Value Display			✓
No Focus Change from Setup Window			✓
No Adjustment of EPROM File Extension			✓
Incorrect Program Comparison			✓
No Adjustment at Change of Structure Array Index			✓
Hidden Control Elements in "Compare & Download"			✓
Incorrect Register Display in Motion Setup			✓
Program Crash at Selection of Data Dump File			✓
Program Crash at Insertion of Motion Command "MotionCamDefine"			✓
Project Folder Cannot Be Deleted			✓
Index Value Change within a Structure Array in a Setup Window			✓
Maximizing Dialog "Compare & Download"			✓
Project Folder Cannot Be Deleted			✓
Bug at Conversion of a JetSym ST Project to JetSym STX			✓
Active Trace after Changing to a JetSym or JetSym ST Project			✓
Program Crash when Opening or Updating a Tooltip			✓
Incorrect Value Display of Variables having Type "char"			✓

2 New features

Introduction

All new features and extensions of this version are listed subsequently.

2.1 New User Interface for MC-Axes

User Interface MC Axis

Besides the one for the standard axes there is now a new user interface for motion control axes available. Axes groups are still excluded and need the former motion setup to be edited and monitored.

2.2 Counter for Tasklock/Taskunlock

Tasklock/Taskunlock

There is a counter for the command pair "Tasklock/Taskunlock" introduced with this version. If command "Tasklock" has been called n-times, then command "Taskunlock" needs to be called n-times as well to re-enable the interpreter to switch to another task. For a better troubleshooting there is a possibility to monitor the counter for locking/unlocking tasks on monitor window's page "Task".

2.3 Communication Module JX3-COM-EIPA

JX3-COM-EIPA

The communication module JX3-COM-EIPA is supported from this version onwards.

2.4 Default Directory for new Workspaces

User Defined Default Directory

The default directory for creating a new workspace used to be at a fixed location. From now on the user can alter it permanently using command "Tools/Options".

2.5 Suppressing a Compiler Warning with Directive

Supressing a Compiler Warning

With the help of a compiler directive "#pragma" it is possible to suppress the output of a certain compiler warning. The output is suppressed after the following directive:

#pragma warning(disable:xxxx)

'xxxx' is the placeholder of the compiler warning number to be suppressed. The suppressing can be switched off with the following directive:

#pragma warning(enable:xxxx)

2.6 Warning for Multiple Use of BITS-/ENUM-Constants

Multiple Use of BITS-/ENUM-Constants

From now on the user is informed during the compilation of the program if two different BITS- or ENUM-constant names were addressed to the same value. With the help of this new feature the troubleshooting will be easier in case this happened unintentionally. If this addressing is intended by the user the warning output can be suppressed by either setting the warning level to less than 3 or by using a "#pragma" directive described in chapter 2.7.

2.7 Automatic Deactivation of Setup Window

Deactivation of Setup Window

Until now the setup window has been deactivated automatically as soon as its document did not belong to the active project anymore. It was hardly visible when a window had been deactivated. Additionally the document was not reactivated when due to a change of the active project it became part of it again. From this version onwards a deactivated setup window are characterized by a gray text font coloring. The window is now reactivated as well as soon as its document becomes part of the active project again except when the deactivation was done beforehand by a manual user operation.

2.8 JetSym Version Check during Load of Project

JetSym Version Check

The JetSym version is now saved in a project and a workspace file which they were edited with before. If the project or workspace is then loaded within a different JetSym version, then the user will be prompted to confirm the continuing the loading. This new method should prevent the user to inadvertently modify the project or workspace file.

2.9 Exclusion of STX Program Files from Debugging

Extended Debugging

Particular STX program files can now be excluded from debugging by using a command to be found in the context menu to be opened with a mouse-right-click on a file icon in the project tree. To give an example: By this exclusion the debugger will not step into a libraries function. For more information please refer to the online help.

2.10 Improved Transfer of Initialization Values

Transfer of Initialization Values

The data file containing the initialization values created by the compiler is now transferred to the controller before the program is downloaded. Additionally all corresponding %vl-registers will be set to the correct value type. This way it is now avoided that incorrect initialization values can be written to the controller.

2.11 Standard Display of Online/Offline Values

Online/Offline Values

The appearances of online/offline values in setup windows, in monitor window as well as in the motion setup have been unified. Please refer to online help for more information.

2.12 Conversion of Declaration Files

Converison of Declaration Files

It is no longer common to use declaration files within STX projects. It is recommended to use variable declaration blocks instead which is defined within the program itself. To prevent the user from manually transferring all variables defined in the declaration file to the program editor there is now a more practical way to do so. The content of rows selected in the declaration file can now be copied to the clipboard and then be pasted in the program file where a variable block containing the same declarations is created.

2.13 Selecting Variable Type in Setup Window

Restricted Selection of Variable Types

Within the setup window the variable type can only be altered by the user if a register number or register variable is monitored. Type "int" or "float" cannot be forced anymore because the register type is already fixed by the program itself. Monitored variables are showing the declared type. The type string displayed for structures and pointers is "auto" or an empty string.

2.14 Showing JetSym Files in Windows Explorer

Open Project Directory in Windows Explorer

Over a command of a project tree file object context menu the Windows Explorer can now be opened where the file's directory is opened and the corresponding file is already selected. Additionally files can now also be included to the JetSym project by just a Drag&Drop operation from the Windows Explorer to the JetSym program. Of course a check will be performed to verify that the file type fits into required folder of the project tree.

2.15 Handling Write-Protected Files

Write Protected Files

The user will now be informed at his first attempt to alter a write-protected file. If command "Replace in files" is called and one or several files are write-protected, then the replacing progress is aborted immediately after the detection of the first one and the user is informed accordingly. In the output window the path of the write-protected file is display besides the text to be replaced.

2.16 "Collapse All"/"Expand All" in Setup Window

"Collapse All"/"Expand All"

With the help of two new commands "Collapse All" and "Expand All", array as well as structures can now be opened and closed completely in one go within the setup window.

2.17 Update of Motor Database

Updated Motor Database

The motor database now contains the new motor types (JHN).

2.18 Indirect Register Access in Setup Window

Indirect Register Access

Since a very long time it is possible to access indirectly to register values. A register used to point to another one contains the number of the register to be monitored. The indirect addressing also works when a %vl-Variable was used as a pointer, while this was not possible with STX variables neither addressed with %rl nor without any addressing. From this version onwards these variables can be used for indirect addressing on condition that their data type is "int". But it has to be noted at this point that two commands has to be sent to the controller when a new value is written to a controller's using a STX variable without register addressing as a pointer. The first command reads the current value of the STX variable, the second then uses this value read to write the new value to the registers the variable is pointing to. Between these two commands there is the danger of inconsistency for a short time because in the meantime the STX program could change the number in the STX variable used as a pointer. It is up to the user to ensure that this does not happen or has an effect which is not requested.

2.19 Revised "New Project" Dialog

Dialog "New Project"

The dialog "New Project" was revised. Besides other alterations the width of the edit fields for the file and project paths were enlarged. Additionally the dialog's window size is now user adjustable.

2.20 File Upload from Controller

File Upload from Controller

In the controller's file explorer available in the "CPU" window, besides the ability to see the structure of the controller's file system as well as the contents of the files it is now possible to upload one or several files, even complete directories to the PC.

2.21 New Hardware in Hardware Manager

JX-AI4-EI

From this version onwards the following module is supported by the hardware manager: "JX-AI4-EI".

2.22 Type Mapping in Register Range

Type Mapping in Register Range

If variables, structure elements or arrays of type "double" were mapped to registers using "%rl"-addressing, then the type of the two registers containing the "double"-value were set to type "float" and their values were displayed in the setup window accordingly. Because this does not make any real sense, the type of these two registers are now set to "int".

2.23 New Axis Module JM-200-ETH

JM-200-ETH

From this version onwards JetSym supports the new Ethernet axis module JM-200-ETH, which has compared to the already known module JC-310-JM no controller functionality. This module replaces its predecessor JM-200-OEM and can be used from now on as its replacement.

2.24 New Motion-API Version 1.0.0.9

Motion-API Version 1.0.0.9

This version of JetSym comes with a new version of the Motion-API (Version 1.0.0.9). See the online help fordetails.

3 Fixed software bugs

Introduction

This chapter describes the software bugs which have been fixed in the new software release.

Tasklock with BitSet/BitClear

Symptoms

Locking a task did not work, if there was a "BitSet"- or "BitClear"-command located in the area surrounded by the command pair "Tasklock"/Taskunlock". The reason for this was the fact the both bit operation commands need to lock the task during their performance and unlock them at the end. With the help of the newly introduced counter for locking/unlocking a task as described in chapter 2.3 this bug is now permanently fixed.

Remedy/workaround

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Interaction between Enumeration and Class Definition

Symptoms

An enumeration is defined without using the keyword "enum". In the same program there is a member of an array type declared having the same name as one of the enumeration constants. It was impossible under these circumstances to expand the array tree of the member variable in the setup as well as in the monitor window.

Remedy/workaround

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Data Consistency with Commands "BitSet" and "BitClear"

Symptoms

During the execution of the commands "BitSet" and "BitClear" the task is locked. This way another task is not able to change the register value while one of the two commands is still in progress. However this protection only worked locally on the controller. So there was the possibility that the register value could be altered by another controller using one of the network commands like "N_Copy_To". With the new commands "NetBitSetReg" and "NetBitClearReg" the protection now works network wide.

Remedy/workaround

Incorrect Addressing in STX Structures

Symptoms It occurred in rare cases that the structure members showed different ad-

dresses in the setup window compared to the same ones displayed in the

monitor window.

Remedy/workaround

Changing Localized Pointer Address

Symptoms Up the now it was not possible to change the address of a localized pointer

within the monitor window. This can now be done from this version onwards.

Remedy/workaround -

Font Size in Motion Setup

Symptoms As part of the motion setup revision mentioned in chapter 2.1 the misleading

entry is now removed in the dialog "Tools/Options/Motion" for single and for MC

axes.

Remedy/workaround

Warning Message at Change in Motion Setup

Symptoms If inside the motion setup a virtual rotary axis was altered from bidirectional to

unidirectional, then because of an incorrect default value the warning message 1104 appeared on screen ("Reference run: Unidirectional axis cannot be referenced biphasic"). With the introduction of the revised motion setup (refer to

chapter 2.1) this bug is now fixed.

Remedy/workaround -

Displaying Strings with Register Number

Symptoms

In the setup window string could be monitored by either giving the string variable name or by entering a register number and selecting the string type. However up to now monitoring strings with register numbers offered "string" as well as "regstring" for the type selection too, even "regstring" should be the only possible type here. This bug was now fixed during the revision of the setup window.

Remedy/workaround

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Reading/Writing Data Dump Files from/to JetSTX-VM

Symptoms

Neither command "FileDARead" nor "FileDAWrite" (used to read/write data dump files) did work in a program running on the virtual controller JetSTX-VM. From this version onwards this bug is fixed.

Remedy/workaround

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Incorrect Line Number in Task Window

Symptoms

Tasks not identified with keyword "autorun" were started from another task and ran through to the end. After they ran through, the tasks page of the monitor setup window showed the task's last line number, which is correct. But as soon as the controller program had then been restarted with the JetSym command, the task monitoring still showed the number of the task's last line. From now on the task line number in the monitor will be reset to the first line at the restart of a controller program.

Remedy/workaround

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Writing Incorrect Initialization Values

Symptoms

With the expansion described in chapter 2.12 it will be avoided in the future, that initialization values were written in the incorrect type format (e.g. "int" instead of "float") to the controller depending on program actually running before the program download is performed. Please note that the operating systems of the controllers JetSym communicates with needs to be updated as well to fix this bug. The operating system files needed for the update can be found in JetSym's installation directory.

Remedy/workaround

JetSym Hang-Up at Intellisense Update

Symptoms If a class contained a member pointer variable to itself, then JetSym hung-up

during the Intellisense update process. This does not happen anymore from this version onwards. Instead a compiler error message will be shown in the output

window.

Remedy/workaround

Opening Office 2010 Files

Symptoms A double click on an office 2010 file icon located in the project tree now starts

the office program like Word or Excel itself, because they cannot be loaded with

JetSym's active document server anymore.

Remedy/workaround MSOffice 2010 documents should not be opened within previous versions of

JetSym. They should be opened by the according MSOffice program itselg.

Using "this"-Pointer with "protected" Members

Symptoms Compiling a program was aborted with error no. 3871 ("No access to protected

object members "baseclass.value"), if the "this"-pointer was used within a

method of a derived class to access protected class members.

Remedy/workaround

Inconsistent Display of "char" Values

Symptoms The value display of variables of type "char" was different between the setup

and the monitor window. While the character as well as its numeric value was displayed in the setup window, the monitor just showed the character only. From this version onwards the monitor displays character values the same way as the

setup window does.

Remedy/workaround -

Symptoms From now on an update of Intellisense is performed immediately after renaming

an identifier. This way it is ensured that Intellisense always offers a current

selection list of all identifiers available.

Remedy/workaround Trigger Intellisense update manually, e.g. by building the program.

Jumping to Source Code after Renaming an Identifier

Symptoms After renaming an identifier JetSym offers the possibility to jump to the locations

they have been renamed by a double click on the entry in the output window. This feature did not work within setup and oscilloscope documents. It showed an incorrect selection in setup documents, within oscilloscope documents there

was nothing selected at all.

Remedy/workaround

Misbehavior at Oscilloscope Recording

Symptoms An oscilloscope document had been closed while a recording started by a

trigger was still in progress. After the document was reopened and an attempt to upload the data from the controller was made, then the status kept staying on "Connecting..." From this version onwards the correct status ("Ready") is shown and the user is informed about the recording still being in progress.

Remedy/workaround -

Command "Undo" with Structures

Symptoms After executing command "Expand All" with a structure monitored in the setup

window command "Undo" was executed several times. This procedure always

ended in an odd display of the structure.

Remedy/workaround Close and re-open the structure.

Profiler Channel at Oscilloscope

Symptoms

Profiler channels will now always be displayed in stepped mode, because this is the only way showing them correctly. Up to now it was necessary to switch to stepped mode display manually.

Remedy/workaround

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Side Effect using Macro "Limits"

Symptoms

The JetSym ST command "Limits" usable for an instruction as well as for a query was not taken over to the STX language because of plausibility reasons. But for compatibility reason a macro with the same name was introduced within the STX language. But using this macro has the side effect, that the variable value to be checked for its limits needs to be read twice, once for the comparison with the upper and once more to compare it with the lower limit. It is therefore recommended not to use this macro in STX programs. Please refer to the online help for more about this topic as well as for an example how to realize the limits check inside the program without losing any functionality.

Remedy/workaround

Stop using the deprecated command "Limits" in STX programs.

Flag's Reference as a Function Parameter

Symptoms

If a function's input parameter was a reference to a flag and this parameter was used within the function, then the operating system crashed without using the memory protection. This is an expected behavior, but the user should be informed about it over a compiler error. This is now the case from this version onwards.

Remedy/workaround

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Direct Usage of Pointer Returned by a Function

Symptoms

The compiler allows the direct usage of a pointer which is returned by a STX function (e.g. @foo := 10), but in previous version it was not translated correctly. This bug is now fixed.

Remedy/workaround

Message during Connection Attempt over CAN

Symptoms During a connection attempt to a controller over CAN interface it happened

occasionally that the message "Could not load library VCImpl.dll!" appeared on

screen. This is prevented from this version onwards.

Remedy/workaround

Relevant Project Files

Symptoms In this version's online help a list of relevant project files can be found, which

need to be handed over or to be kept under version control to ensure that the

project can be fully compiled and is properly functioning.

Remedy/workaround

No Compiler Error at Usage of Protected Functions

Symptoms A class containing a protected function is derived twice. Within the second

derived class a function is defined where the protected function of another base class object was called. This is not allowed and should cause a compiler error

which was not the case in previous JetSym versions.

Remedy/workaround -

No Download & Debug at Partial Download

Symptoms If option "Partial Download" was selected in the project settings it was not

possible to download a program automatically followed by the start of a debug session. The program flow was not interrupted at a breakpoint. From this version onwards the Download & Debug functionality is working properly even in

this case.

Remedy/workaround If a program should stop at a breakpoint located at the program beginning, the

option "Partial Download" should be deactivated.

Half Visible Edit Field in Motion Setup

Symptoms On page "Parameters/Motor" inside the motion setup for MC-axes only the

upper half of the edit field for the intermediate circuit voltage was visible. As part

of the motion setup revision this bug in now fixed.

Remedy/workaround

Number Coloring in Program Editor

Symptoms Depending on the format (hexadecimal, decimal, binary) numbers were not

colored correctly within the program editor. From this version onwards all

number formats are shown in the correct color.

Remedy/workaround -

Changing Write-Protected Files

Symptoms Certain user operations altering a document like "Comment Block", "Uncom-

ment Block" or "Find in Files" could be performed without any warning even when its file was write-protected. The user was not informed until he attempted to save the document. With this version this bug is fixed showing the following behavior: If the file is part of the source control, then the user will be prompted to check out the file, otherwise he will be queried whether to remove

the write-protection flag or not.

Remedy/workaround -

JetSym Library as New File

Symptoms On page "Files" in dialog "New" the file type "JetSym Library" was available for

selection even this not a file but a project type. After the user selected this entry neither a file nor a project was created. The user was not informed about his invalid selection whatsoever. From this version onwards the entry "JetSym Li-

brary" is not available on the "Files" page anymore.

Remedy/workaround -

New File over Context Menu in Project Tree

Symptoms If a new file was created using the command in the project tree's context menu,

then dialog "New" offered besides the page for the correct file type the page

"Other Documents" for selection.

Remedy/workaround

Program Crash after Closing a Workspace

Symptoms A workspace had been closed and the prompt message, if all documents should

be closed as well had been answered with "No". Certain operations like closing

a file could then cause a program crash.

Remedy/workaround Wenn möglich beim Schließen eines Projektes alle damit verbundenen Do-

kumente ebenfalls schließen lassen.

Multiple Entries after Hardware Scan

Symptoms A double click on button "Scan" in dialog "Hardware Scan" caused multiple

entries of the hardware found by the scan. The JetSym program crashed in rare

cases. This bug is now fixed.

Remedy/workaround

Renaming Identifier in Write-Protected Files

Symptoms If an identifier was renamed in several files, then no alterations were done in the

write-protected ones among them without informing the user. This had the effect that the resulted program could not be compiled anymore. From this version onwards the operation is performed the same way as descripted in chapter

<u>2.16</u>.

Remedy/workaround

Changing Non-Localized String Variables over CAN

Symptoms Non-Localized string variable values could not be changed in the setup and in

the monitor window if the communication was done over CAN interface.

Remedy/workaround -

Online Recognition of Operating System

Symptoms If a program was download during variables were monitored in the setup as well

as in the monitor window, then a message box appeared telling that the online recognition of the controller's operating system did not work; even the controller

was definitely online. This bug is fixed from Version 5.1.2 onwards.

Remedy/workaround -

Check-In of newly created Files in TFS

Symptoms Up to this version files created by executing command "New" could not be

checked-in to the Team Foundation Server.

Remedy/workaround -

Renaming Identifiers in Tasks without "Autorun"

Symptoms Identifiers located in a task without the keyword "autorun" were overlooked

completely when trying to rename them. From this version onwards they will be

renamed as well.

Remedy/workaround -

Incorrect Text in Dialog "Find in Files"

Symptoms In the combo box "Look in" inside the dialog "Find in Files" the incorrect entry

"All Projects" is now replaced by the correct one ("Entire Workspace").

Remedy/workaround -

Optimization of Program Download

Symptoms By parallelizing some of the operations the program download could be opti-

mized with the result that it does not take a very long time for the download anymore (> 60 sec), if there several JX3-BN-ETH modules are placed in the

hardware definition, but which all are not online.

Remedy/workaround

Flags in Compatible Mode (Oscilloscope)

Symptoms In oscilloscope documents it was possible to define flags to be recorded in

compatible mode even this is not allowed. From this version onwards it will now

be prevented and an error message is shown.

Remedy/workaround

Program Crash during "Find and Replace"

Symptoms If operation "Find and Replace" was started while a "Find" one was still in

progress, then JetSym versions before 5.1.2 crashed.

Remedy/workaround -

Settings in Dialog "Find in Files"

Symptoms The settings made in dialog "Find in Files" were saved, if the search was

started. But nothing was saved if the dialog was closed by clicking on button "Close". From this version onwards, the settings will be also saved when closing the dialog over button "Close", but not if it is closed by pressing ESC-key or

clicking on the cancel button in the top-right corner.

Remedy/workaround

Copy/Paste in Declaration File

Symptoms Copying data of a declaration file into the clipboard and then pasting it in

another was just possible within one JetSym program instance. From this version onwards the data can also be pasted in a declaration file opened in

another JetSym program instance.

Remedy/workaround

Wrong Unit at Command "MotionReadValue"

Symptoms In the Motion Wizard used to define the motion command "MotionReadValue"

the unit for the speed value was "o'/s" instead of the correct one: "rpm".

Remedy/workaround -

Program Crash during Size Change of Oscilloscope Window

Symptoms The JetSym program cashed occasionally, if the window size of an oscilloscope

document was changed during data recording. Now the window size can be

altered at any time.

Remedy/workaround -

No Controller Restart Possible

Symptoms On page "Advanced Configuration" in window "CPU" it was not possible to

restart the controller by clicking on the namesake button if the controller type had been changed beforehand. The user was informed over a message box, that the controller was offline even this was definitely not the case. From this

version onwards the restart is performed correctly.

Remedy/workaround -

No Comment in Tooltip

Symptoms

A comment written behind a structure element should be displayed in the tooltip the same way this is done with standard variables. Using JetSym version 5.1 or 5.1.2 this did not work after an Intellisense update initialized either manually or automatically. A call to command "Rebuild All" was necessary to get the result expected.

Remedy/workaround

No Active Project after Conversion from ST to STX

Symptoms There was no project active anymore after the active project had been con-

verted from JetSym ST to JetSym STX. The conversion from STX Motion Wizard to STX Motion API had the same effect. Both bugs are now fixed.

Remedy/workaround -

Program Crash after Changing the Hardware Configuration

Symptoms After making changes to the hardware configuration by altering the controller

type or by adding/removing motors the JetSym program could crash right after

the setup was switched between online and offline several times.

Remedy/workaround -

Incorrect Conversion from JetSym to ST

Symptoms During the conversion of a project from JetSym to ST a "JX2-Al4" module

defined in the hardware configuration was removed by mistake. From this

version onwards it will not be removed anymore.

Remedy/workaround -

Display of a Negative Number in Setup Window

Symptoms

In a setup window containing task-local variables the cursor was placed in the top-most cell in column "Number" after a project build. Moving the cursor downwards in the same column going over the rows displaying the task-local variables the cell in the "Number" columns contained a negative number. This was actually an offset value which should not be visible at all.

Remedy/workaround

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Hang-Up at Intellisense Update

Symptoms

JetSym hung-up during an Intellisense update if a task was not terminated by an "end_task;" command. From this version the Intellisense update runs perfectly even under the condition described above.

Remedy/workaround

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Truncated Text in "CPU" Window

Symptoms

On page "Diagnostic/Errors/General" of the "CPU" window some texts displayed in the combo-box shown in row "Global Error", column "Content" were truncated on the right side. The window has been enlarged to show the full text.

Remedy/workaround

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Display of Boolean Values in Setup Window

Symptoms

In the setup window Boolean values are displayed with the digits "0" and "1". New values can be written by entering "0" and "1" as well. On the opposite side the monitor window shows the status of Boolean values with the texts "true" and "false" and new values can be written by entering texts "0", "1", "true" and "false". From this version onwards the setup shows and accepts Boolean values the same way as the Monitor window does.

Remedy/workaround

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Number Display Type in Setup Window

Symptoms If the number display type of a structure's element was changed between

> decimal, hexadecimal and binary followed by a collapsing and re-enlarging its structure, then the number display type was partially not taken over and the

values were still shown in the previously defined one.

Remedy/workaround

More User-Friendly "CPU" Window

Symptoms The ease of use in the diagnostic part of the "CPU" window is now increased, so

that the number of mouse-clicks necessary to open combo-boxes located in this

window is reduced.

Remedy/workaround

Selection at Auto-Completion

Symptoms The selection window used for the auto-completion (Intellisense) was opened

directly and not by entering some text. Under these circumstances the procedure to fill in the entries completely overlooked the beginning characters of the

word already entered and did not reduce the selection accordingly.

Remedy/workaround

Type Selection at Register Addresses in Oscilloscope Window

Symptoms After entering a register number to be recorded within an oscilloscope docu-

ment it is possible to set the type to a different value than "auto", but without

showing any effect. From now on the type selection will be taken over properly.

Remedy/workaround

Trouble with Protected Functions in Classes

Symptoms

A class named "class3" is derived from "class2" which again is derived from "class1". In "class1" there is a virtual function defined which is overridden in "class3", but not in "class2". If the override function in "class3" called its base class function, then the compiler aborted with the error message that a protected function cannot be accessed. This is wrong and now corrected.

Remedy/workaround

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Too short Recording in Oscilloscope Profiler

Symptoms

If the number of data points to be recorded by the oscilloscope profiler was defined to less than 10000, then the sampling did not record all 10000 as expected. If the number was set to more than 10000, then random values have been added for the data points behind the 10000th one. From this version onwards despite the number of data points defined there will be 10000 values evaluated and the scaling is done correctly. Besides this a few troubles concerning the user operation were mended.

Remedy/workaround

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Hexadecimal Display of Enumeration Values

Symptoms

In program editor's tooltips enumeration values are now displayed in both formats hexadecimal as well as decimal.

Remedy/workaround

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Compatibility of String Variables

Symptoms

From now on string variables defined with type "string" and localized with "%vl" are treated by the compiler as Jetter strings ("regstring"). This new behavior ensures a better compatibility with previous controller operating systems. Therefore this as well as future JetSym versions can be used with controllers having an older operating system.

Remedy/workaround

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Takeover of Pub/Sub-Variables

Symptoms In the hardware manager a hardware module, which some of its parameters

had already been published (Pub/Sub-Variables), was moved from one JX3-BN-ETH to another one. In previous versions the entries in the

Pub/Sub-table were not adjusted correctly after performing this operation. If the entry was removed from the hardware manager instead of moving it, then an

exception error occurred.

Remedy/workaround

Special Characters in Comments in Setup Window

Symptoms In column "Name" within a setup window it is possible to enter a comment by

preceding it with a double-slash ("//"). If this comment contained special characters like an umlaut or a sharp-s, then these characters were not saved and

got lost as soon as the setup document was closed.

Remedy/workaround

Program Crash after Canceling a Transfer

Symptoms The program JetSym could crash right after canceling a transfer (program, OS

update, data dump).

Remedy/workaround -

Misbehavior with Expression "[export jde]"

Symptoms The compilation was aborted with an error in case "jde" was not written in lower

case.

Remedy/workaround -

Bug in English Online Help

Symptoms In the English online help the index entry "Know open issues" was not available

while the synonym entry "Liste offener Punkte" is available in the German online

help.

Remedy/workaround

No Validation of Timeout Entry in CPU Window

Symptoms Even timeout values are limited to be within range 10 milliseconds to 30 sec-

onds, no validation was performed after a user entry in the CPU window.

Remedy/workaround

Misbehavior in Oscilloscope Window

Symptoms After adjusting the windows font size to 125% the radio buttons used for the

channel scaling in the oscilloscope window could not be operated anymore.

Remedy/workaround -

Display of Time Members within a Structure Array

Symptoms Neither in a setup nor in a monitor window the remaining time of a time member

within a structure array was displayed.

Remedy/workaround -

No Support of Expanded Semaphores in JetSTX-VM

Symptoms The emulator controller "JetSTX-VM" did not support expanded semaphores.

Remedy/workaround -

Copying/Moving Axes

Symptoms Axes could contain false data after they were copied or moved.

Remedy/workaround -

Unexpected Closing of Configuration Window

Symptoms After adding or removing a project configuration a press on the ENTER key did

close the "Configurations" dialog even the focus was still set on button "Add"

respectively on button "Remove".

Remedy/workaround

No Compiler Error with Standalone Command "REG"

Symptoms If command "REG" was located standalone in a JetSym program without any

assignment or comparison, then no compiler error was generated even this is not valid. By the way the old program "Sympas" running under DOS generates a

compiler error under the very same condition.

Remedy/workaround -

Program Crash during File Transfer

Symptoms If a file to be transferred to the controller exceeded the file system memory

available in the controller, then JetSym crashed. So this also could happen

during the download of a JetSym-STX program.

Remedy/workaround -

Incomplete Tooltip Display

Symptoms In the tooltip of a variable of previously defined enumeration type did not display

the type's name.

Remedy/workaround -

Bad Operability when Controller Offline

Symptoms If one or more setup windows were open attempted to communicate with a

non-connected controller, then the operability became worse drastically. In

some cases program crashes occurred..

Remedy/workaround

Incorrect Compiler Error with Empty Optional Parameters

Symptoms If one or more setup windows were open attempted to communicate with a

non-connected controller, then the operability became worse drastically. In

some cases program crashes occurred.

Remedy/workaround

No STX Variables Value Display

Symptoms Especially right after the download of a program it could happen, that monitored

STX variables in the setup or monitor window did not display a value, but the

text "Invalid TCP/STX protocol parameter".

Remedy/workaround

No Focus Change from Setup Window

Symptoms Under certain circumstances the focus could not be changed from the setup

window to another one.

Remedy/workaround

No Adjustment of EPROM File Extension

Symptoms The file extension of the EPROM file was not adjusted when changing the

controller type.

Remedy/workaround

Symptoms It the macro to define the number of axis groups is used within the program a

program comparison always ended with the message, that the program on the controller differs from the one in the editor, even when the program had just

been downloaded.

Remedy/workaround -

No Adjustment at Change of Structure Array Index

Symptoms If the index of a structure array monitored in a setup window was incremented or

decremented by the +/- keys the index change only took effect in the root

element, but not in the other ones.

Remedy/workaround

Hidden Control Elements in "Compare & Download"

Symptoms If dialog window "Compare & Download" was maximized, some of its control

elements were hidden by the task bar.

Remedy/workaround -

Incorrect Register Display in Motion Setup

Symptoms An incorrect register was displayed in the Tooltip inside the motion setup as

soon as the mouse was moved over one of the six LEDs located left of the

enable button.

Remedy/workaround

Program Crash at Selection of Data Dump File

Symptoms JetSym program crashed under Windows XP at the selection of a data dump file

during the first data transfer launched right after the first installation of JetSym

on a PC system.

Remedy/workaround

Program Crash at Insertion of Motion Command "MotionCamDefine"

Symptoms JetSym could crash at the insertion of the motion command "MotionCamDefine"

using Motion Wizard.

Remedy/workaround

Project Folder Cannot Be Deleted

Symptoms A workspace was opened by a double click on the workspace file in the Win-

dows Explorer. Then the workspace was closed using command "Close Workspace". After these operations the project folder could mistakenly not be

deleted.

Remedy/workaround -

Index Value Change within a Structure Array in a Setup Window

Symptoms A structure array was displayed in a setup window showing all branches (en-

hanced mode). Any change made to the array index of the root element by

using the keys "+" and "-" did not affect the other structure members.

Remedy/workaround Collapse the structure and re-expand it. Then all structure members are dis-

played with the correct index values again.

Maximizing Dialog "Compare & Download"

Symptoms After maximizing dialog window "Compare & Download" some of the control

elements were hidden behind the task bar.

Remedy/workaround Avoid maximizing this dialog. Adjust the dialog's window size manually instead.

This size will be re-used until the termination of JetSym.

Project Folder Cannot Be Deleted

Symptoms A workspace was opened by a double click on the workspace file in the Win-

dows Explorer. Then the workspace was closed using command "Close Workspace". After these operations the project folder could mistakenly not be

deleted inside the Windows Explorer.

Remedy/workaround

Bug at Conversion of a JetSym ST Project to JetSym STX

Symptoms At the conversion of a JetSym ST project to a JetSym STX one inside a "case"

statement the keyword "break" could be inserted at an incorrect location, if there were nested "if..then..else..endif" statements. Additionally a commented Motion Wizard command was converted correctly but if the conversion made two program lines out of one just the first line remained commented. The second line changed to be uncommented one, which then caused a compiler error.

Remedy/workaround -

Active Trace after Changing to a JetSym or JetSym ST Project

Symptoms Inside a workspace containing different project types (JetSym, JetSym ST,

JetSym STX) with a JetSym STX project was selected to be the active one and the tracing function was activated. The change of the active project to a JetSym or JetSym ST one did not deactivate the tracing, even these project types do not support this functionality. Additionally the tracing could then not be deactivated anymore until the active project was changed back to a JetSym STX one.

Remedy/workaround -

Program Crash when Opening or Updating a Tooltip

Symptoms JetSym program could crash as soon as a tooltip was opened or its content was

opened, if the text length exceeded 80 characters.

Remedy/workaround

Incorrect Value Display of Variables having Type "char"

Symptoms In the setup as well as in the monitor window variables of type "char" displayed

in case of special characters like the German umlaut ('ä', 'ö', 'ü') the correct numeric value, but the wrong character. Additionally it was not possible to enter

a special character directly.

Remedy/workaround Special characters can be altered by entering the corresponding numeric value.



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