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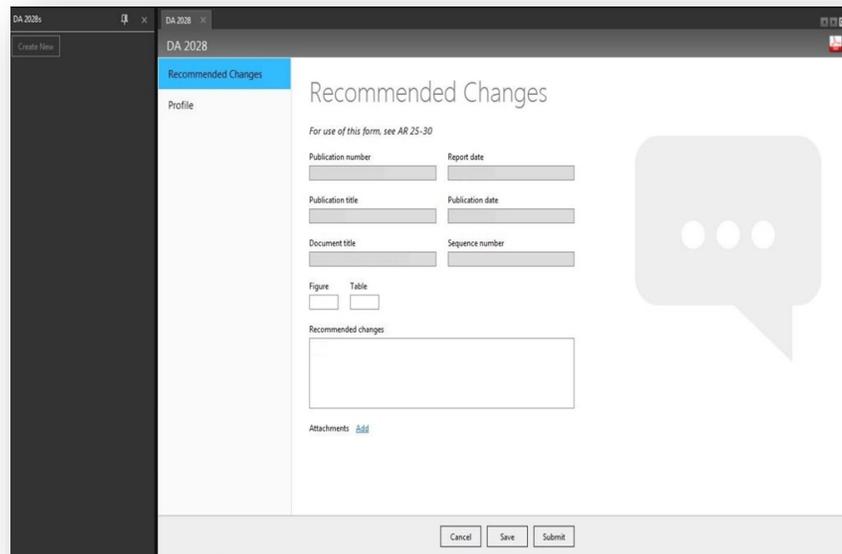
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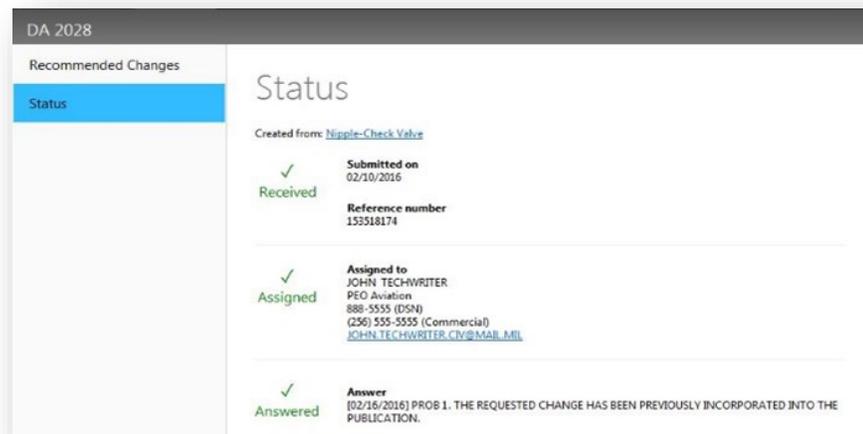
What's New in IADS?

DA 2028's

The application features a new user interface making it easier to navigate the step-by-step creation and submission of DA 2028 recommended changes.



IADS will now check for status changes for IADS submitted DA 2028's. Once you've submitted a DA 2028, the Status section will appear and track the progression of your DA 2028.



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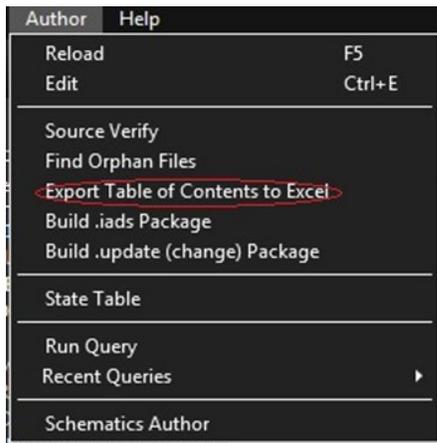
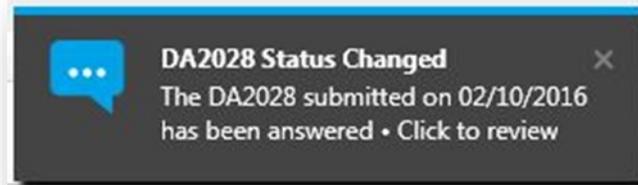
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DA 2028's continued...

Status updates are accompanied by notifications that will appear in the top right corner of the application when a status change occurs. You will be notified when submitted DA 2028s are answered and if a DA 2028 has been saved but not submitted.

This feature is automatic, to disable this feature go to User Settings > Notifications.



How to Export Table of Contents

We have added the ability for Authors to export the IETM Table of Contents to Excel.

Select "Export Table of Contents to Excel" from the Author menu.

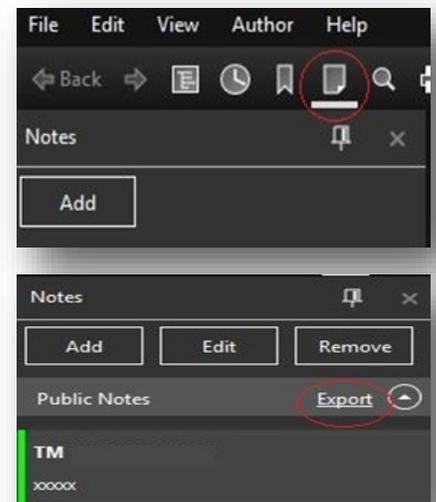
This export captures the work package sequence number, title, file name, file path and RPSTL button links for each work package listed in the Table of Contents.

How to Export Public Notes

Public Notes can also be exported into an Excel spreadsheet.

To export Public Notes, click on the "Add/View Notes" tab on the toolbar.

Select "Export" to save Public Notes as an Excel spreadsheet.



Orphan Files

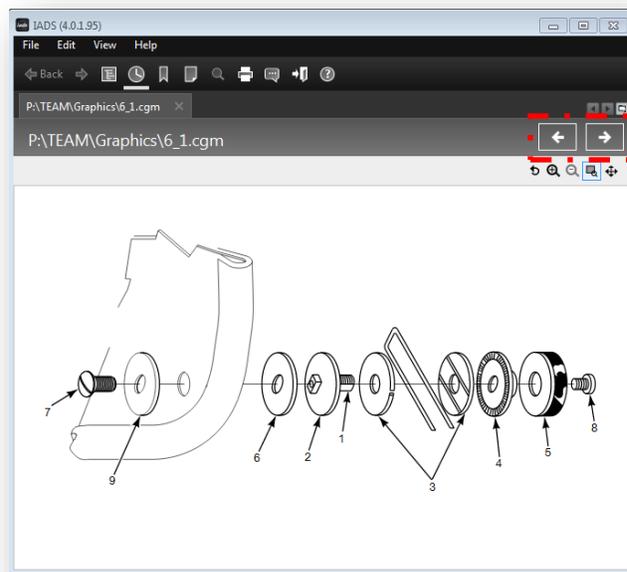
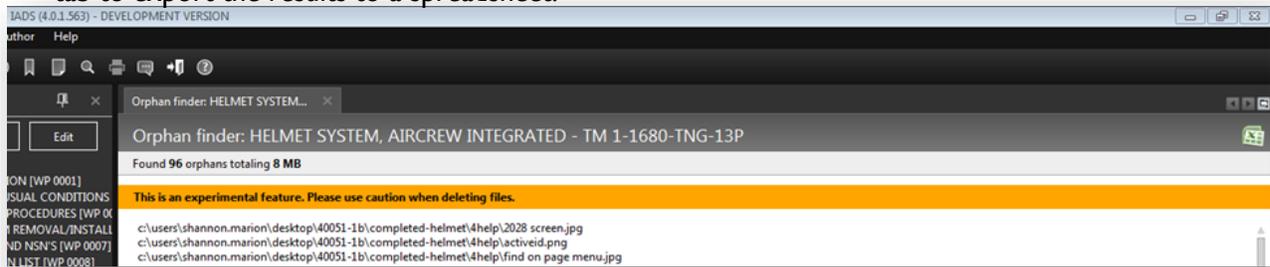
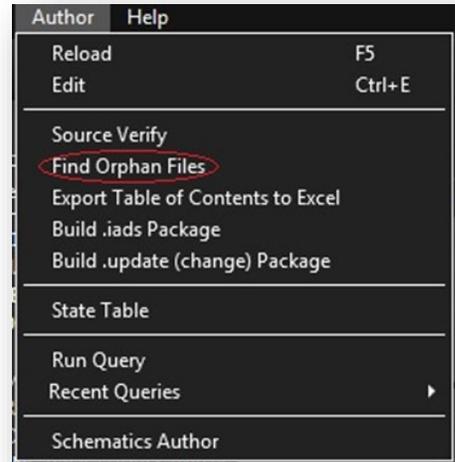
A “Find Orphan Files” feature has been added to the Author menu in the IADS Development Version.

This allows the author to search across the IETM directory structure to find any unused files.

IADS will populate a list of all files not currently being used.

The orphan file list can be exported to an Excel spreadsheet.

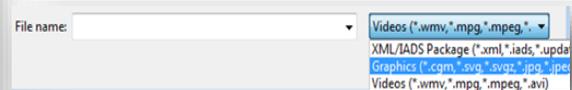
Click the Excel icon in the top right corner of the Orphan File tab to export the results to a spreadsheet.



Viewing Graphic Files

Graphics may be opened individually for review.

Select File > Open > from the main menu and browse to the graphics folder, change the file type to Graphics and select a graphic.



For ease of use during QA reviews, next and previous buttons have been added allowing the user to navigate through, and view each graphic within the folder.

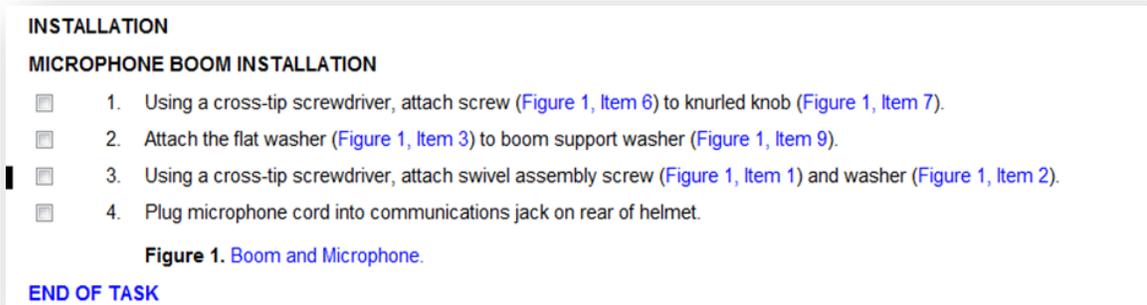
Did you know?

Window Resize Retention

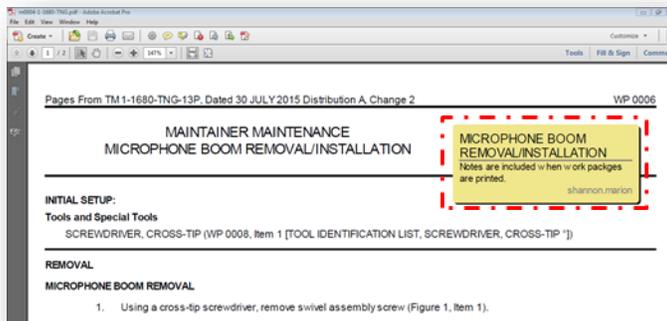
- ◆ When you change the window size of the graphic pane, the size remains the same after clicking into a new work package.

Checkboxes may be displayed next to tasks steps

- ◆ Add `<?iads.tracksteps?>` anywhere below the root element of the document, allowing the user to check off steps as they are completed.

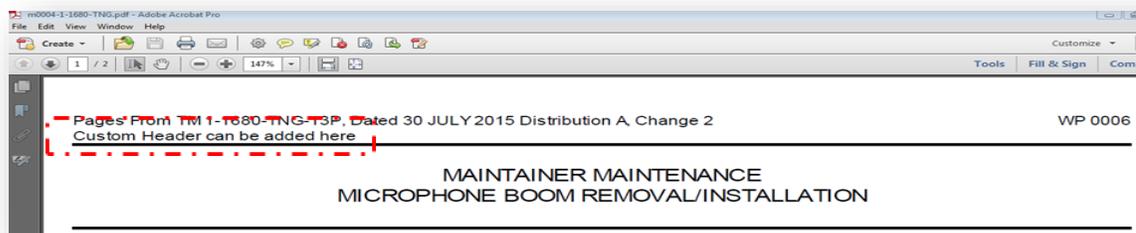


Notes are included when work packages are printed



Customer headers can be added to printed pages

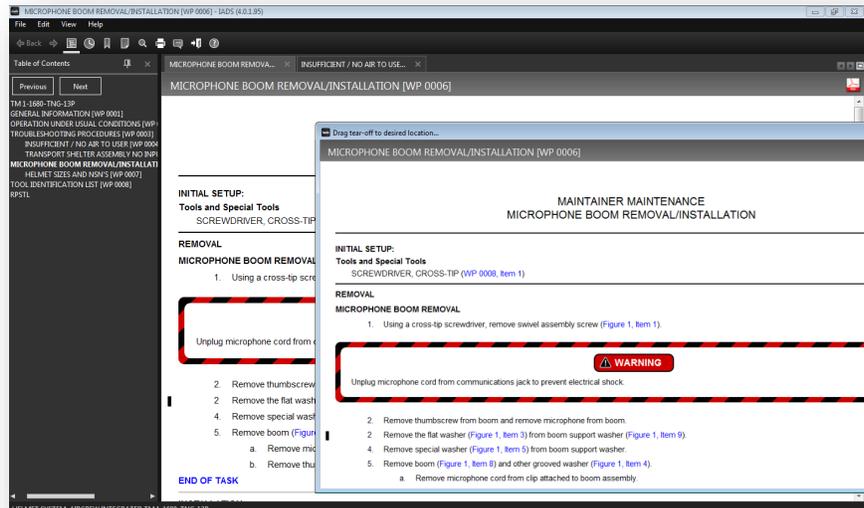
- ◆ Add the `<CustomerHeader>` element to the dataset file to have customer header info on printed pages.
`<CustomHeader>Custom Header text</CustomHeader>`



Did you know? continued...

“Tear-Off” Tabs

To “tear-off” tabs for split screen view, when multiple tabs are open, left mouse click a tab and drag “tear-off” to desired location



IADS and XML Training

The IADS training course is designed to help users understand how IADS functions and utilizes markup language and consists of an introduction to XML, DTDs, and IADS4.

Classes are held at Redstone Arsenal.

Please contact [IADS Technical Support](#) for more information.



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