V8 Platinum 6.1 Patch 207 Release Document

Summary

The purpose of this document is to detail the updates incorporated into the Platinum 6.1 Patch 207 release. Please note that this version of Platinum 6.1 is only compatible with Windows 11.

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Products Affected

400600 Platinum Analysis Software

Detailed Description: Platinum 6.1 Patch 207

Platinum 6.1 software is the interface between the V8, or gel scanner, and the user. It allows for complete management, analysis and interpretation of results and it provides a comprehensive set of analytical tools, editing tools and reporting tools for analysing and reporting data.

Platinum 6.1 Patch 207 is designed to provide updates and additional functionality. As Platinum 6.1 is the operating software of the V8 and an analytical software package, there are many amendments and modifications to the software expected as we continue to improve and develop the instrument and the assays on-board. As such we have scheduled release dates for Platinum upgrades, which incorporate prioritised software fixes/solutions and features. Scheduling the release of the software upgrades allows Helena Biosciences Europe to ensure as many fixes and features are incorporated into one upgrade, thus minimising the disruption this can cause to systems in the field and reducing the number of upgrades required. The release dates of these patches are prioritised. All scheduled releases are extensively verified and must pass regression testing before being released.

This patch is only compatible with Platinum 6.1.203 and above.

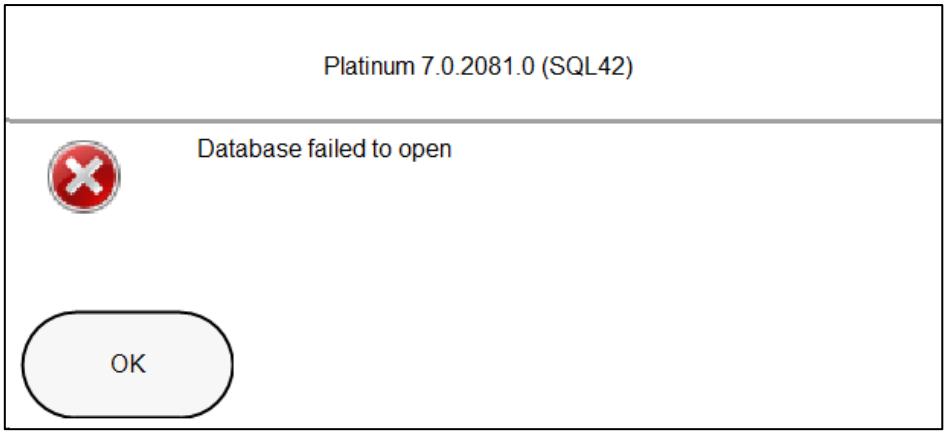
Features and Updates

Update	Description
Database connection	Update to information displayed in error boxes (CEP075)

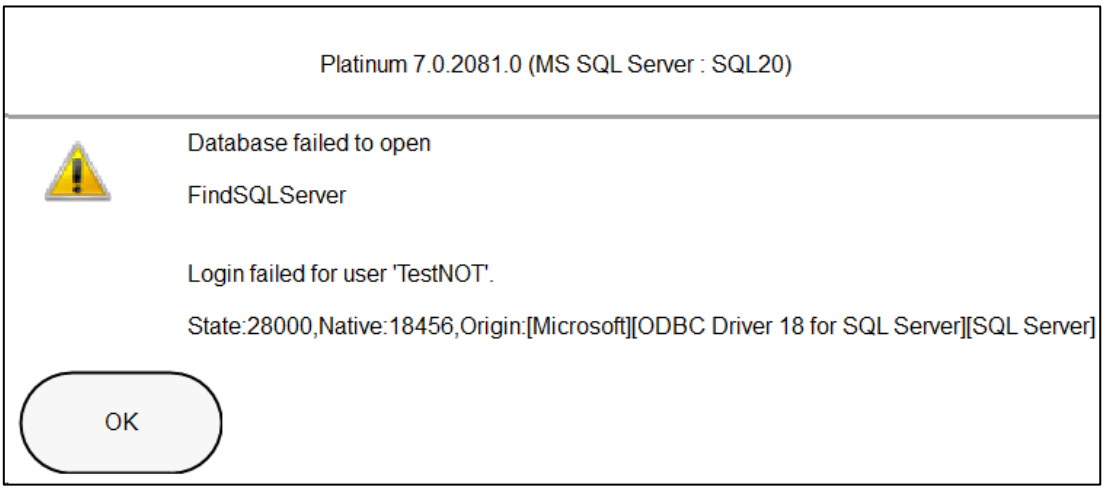
Database connection

Updates have been made to the error boxes displayed when connecting to the MS SQL database, as previously the connection string was displayed when connection failed (see Tech Alert CEP075).

When connection fails, the following error box will be displayed:



When login details are incorrectly entered, the following error box will be displayed:



Limitations

Changes to LIMS settings are tested to the best of our ability, however, we cannot be held liable for any changes that may be required to the software, or any laboratory software, used for LIMS integration as a result of this update.

Platinum PDF should only be used via the ‘Print to Platinum PDF’ functions within the Platinum 6.1 software and should never be set as the default printer. Alternate PDF creators are not recommended for use within Platinum.

This patch has been tested internally by Helena Biosciences Europe to ensure the core functionality is as expected, however, user specific usage cannot be reviewed. A review of the new features outlined in this document and local change control/verification of Platinum performance should be carried out to ensure continuity of performance.

Contact

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