What’s New in Virtual Worlds Professional Version 7.3

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Introduction

Thank you for updating to Virtual Worlds Professional version 7.3! In this version, we have updated our online help system, changed the way we manage recovery and backup files, integrated mitring to our 3D environment and updated our catalogue UI.

Any new developments are aimed at improving your use of Virtual Worlds and ensuring your design time is used in the most effective way. This booklet has been produced by our Support team to provide easy to follow, step-by-step guidance on the new features.

We want your use of Virtual Worlds to be enjoyable, dynamic and most importantly, profitable to your business. If you have any queries, be it a technical issue or general question, our Support Team will gladly assist you. We also welcome suggestions from our users for improvements to the software so keep in touch!

Updated Online Help

In Virtual Worlds Professional 7.3, our brand-new Online Help system is built into the Help tab at the top of the software (Help > Help). The newly designed interface allows for easier searching and navigation to all, meaning you can directly find the tutorials you need to keep designing. We have introduced a vast knowledgebase accessible by all users to assist with any areas of Virtual Worlds a user may be unsure about.
Updated Backup Files

Included in the new features, we have improved our backup system to better secure your designs and provide more reliable fallback if you need it.

All backups are now saved in one place universally, and we have added the capability to increase the number of backup files on demand. These rolling backups mean you can open previous versions of your designs from a time-sorted menu, ensuring there is no time wasted in re-designing if things change!

Backups are set to run every ten minutes by default, and you can choose how many backup save files are created within the Tools > Options menu. To reduce confusion when loading designs, a prompt will appear to indicate if a more recent version of a design is available.

To open a backup of a design, select File > Open Backup... from the top left of Virtual Worlds Professional. This will take you directly to the location of your backup files, sorted by design and time.
Updated 2D Plans & Elevations

Another feature update has gone into easing the use of 2D Diagrams. Simplification in the removal of measurements means Virtual Worlds will now adapt to all measurement changes and allow you to remove any measurement simply with a click and pressing delete.

Measurements will now automatically transcend to a new overflow line to make sure each measurement, no matter how small, is not only displayed precisely but easy to view.
Mitring Improvements
The updating of the Virtual Worlds Mitre menu improves general usability when creating custom mitres on products. A mitre cut feature allows for right or left cuts of up to 45 degrees in either a vertical or horizontal orientation.

This feature is available when adding coving, skirting or other mitre cut featured product into their designs.

The Mitre cut feature can be found on a unit’s right click menu or using the Object > Cut Operations > Mitre tab in Virtual Worlds Professional.

New Catalogue UI & Catalogue Hiding
Within this latest update we have redesigned the catalogue user interface and added functionality to hide/show or uninstall catalogues as required.

New features show improved visuals, allow faster browsing and provide the ability to Hide/Show unwanted or outdated catalogues.

To manage the installed catalogues on your computer, select the Filter button at the base of the menu. Once you have activated the filtering system, select Hide on the catalogues you wish to remove from your list. Selecting Show will change the highlight back to green and make the catalogue visible again.

You can also uninstall a catalogue from this area, but please be aware this may affect your older designs when loading.

Note – Hiding a catalogue will not affect older designs as the catalogues are still present on your system, and simply hidden within the software.

This concludes the What’s New in Version 7.3 guide for Virtual Worlds Professional.

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