

BPMS Testers 5.06b now available!

BPMS version 5.06b

Date Updated: July 18, 2009

Prepare Mail Merge Documents - Preview No Longer Merges to New Doc

When preparing mail merge documents such as Letters, Mail Labels and Test Report forms, the behavior of the PREVIEW button has now changed. Instead of opening the Microsoft Word document then automatically merging to a new document, BPMS now opens the mail merge document in View Merge Data mode. Before opening the mail merge document, BPMS will display a dialog box explaining how to execute the mail merge and print the document.

The PRINT button still works as before, running the mail merge then sending the document to the printer. If you are using WINDOWS VISTA, please note that the PRINT button may not work as due to enhanced security which could prompts to user to confirm several operations. If you are having problems with this option, please use the PREVIEW button instead.

BPMS version 5.06a

Date Updated: June 1, 2009

Created a New Customer Query for St Louis County test report form

A new custom query was created for customers in St Louis County, Missouri.

BPMS version 5.05z

Date Updated: February 17, 2009

Fixed Problem with Installed Devices Filter

This update fixes a problem in the *Filter (Search)* form of the *Installed Devices* form. Prior to this update the filter would not work at all unless a Water Service Type.

BPMS version 5.05y

Date Updated: June 7, 2008

Fix Problems in Tests Entered But Not Printed

This update fixes a problem in the “*Tests Entered but Not Printed*”, which will appear in the *Reminder* if test reports were entered but not printed yet. The problem was an inconsistency between the number of items reported in the *Reminder* and the number of records available in the “*Print Options*” dialog box when the user clicked on the “*View/Edit Edit Selection*” button.

BPMS version 5.05x

Date Updated: April 20, 2008

Created a New Customer Query for Missouri Department test report form

A new custom query was created for customers in Missouri.

BPMS version 5.05w

Date Updated: Mar 24, 2008

Fix Problem Printing Test Report Forms from Reminder item: “Upcoming/Overdue Tests”

This update fixes a problem when printing Test Report forms with device info only (no test results) for the *Reminder* item “*Tests Entered but Not Printed*”.

BPMS version 5.05v

Date Updated: Feb 2, 2008

New Mail Merge Fields added to Customer Letters

Test letters now have two new mail merge fields, CUST_PHONE and CUST_FAX.

Printing “Tests Entered But Not Printed” wouldn’t Flag Tests As Printed

This update fixes an error when printing the “Tests Entered But Not Printed” from the Reminder form. Tests reports not printed would print but they would not be flagged as printed.

BPMS version 5.05u

Date Updated: Nov 16, 2007

Added Option to Test Against Flow for DC Assemblies

This update was made to allow test procedure using a “Duplex Gauge” for Double Check (DC) assemblies to record testing of check valve 1 and check valve 2 with flow and against flow. The default test procedure is to use a “Differential Pressure Gauge”. To change the default, go to the BPMS Switchboard (main form), then click CUSTOMIZE then click on the TESTS tab. Set the “Double Check Assembly - Default Test Equipment Type” to “Duplex Gauge”.

Fix Error hiding Database Windows in Access 2007

This update fixes an error hiding database window that occurred on computers running Microsoft Access 2007.

BPMS version 5.05t

Date Updated: Sep 18, 2007

Created a New Customer Query for Lagrange Landscape, GA

A new custom query was created for a new customer.

BPMS version 5.05s

Date Updated: July 29, 2007

Changes to “List of Installations and Test History” reports

Changes were made to the “List of Installations and Test History” reports, including the addition of GIS (GPS) fields and a 2nd customer phone number.

BPMS version 5.05r

Date Updated: July 15, 2007

Multiple Copies of Test Reports Now Print Correctly

Prior to this update, when a test report form was configured to print more than one copy, only one copy would print. Please note that multiple copies work only if you click on the PRINT button. If you click on the PREVIEW button, only one copy will appear when Microsoft Word merges to a new document.

BPMS version 5.05q

Date Updated: July 2, 2007

Updated Query for Test Report forms

A new custom query was updated for an existing customer. Also, in the Repair forms, if text is entered in the “Other Describe” text boxes, the “Other” text box is automatically checked. Finally, a change was made to detect if a database is Replica. If so, the Back-End Update check will be skipped.

BPMS version 5.05n

Date Updated: May 27, 2007

Updated Query for Test Report forms

A new custom query was updated for an existing customer. Also, in the Repair forms, if text is entered in the “Other Describe” text boxes, the “Other” text box is automatically checked. Finally, a change was made to detect if a database is Replica. If so, the Back-End Update check will be skipped.

BPMS version 5.05m

Date Updated: May 13, 2007

Created a New Customer Query for Andy’s BFS, WA

A new custom query was created for a new customer.

BPMS version 5.05l

Date Updated: May 06, 2007

Created a New Customer Query for the Capital Regional District, BC

A new custom query was created for a new customer.

BPMS version 5.05k

Date Updated: April 06, 2007

Created a New Customer Query for Lekter Industrial

A new custom query was created for a new customer.

BPMS version 5.05j

Date Updated: February 17, 2007

Add Facility Type Column to Test Report Query

A new column was added to test report query "With Repair Details".

BPMS version 5.05i

Date Updated: November 13, 2006

Add New Test Report Query for New Jersey Customer

A new custom test report query was added for a new customer.

BPMS version 5.05h

Date Updated: September 21, 2006

Add option to Print Test Report forms to 'Test Entered but Not Printed' box

The reminder option 'Test Entered but Not Printed' has a new option to print a test report for each assembly tested.

BPMS version 5.05g

Date Updated: August 19, 2006

New Fields added Repair/Cleaning Info for PVB Devices

In the Tests form for PVB devices, the following fields were added to the "Cleaning/Repair Info" form: "Hinge Pin", "Seat" and "Diaphragm".

BPMS version 5.05f

Date Updated: April 11, 2006

Changes to Default Settings in Tests form

When entering test results, if the *Initial Test* fails, in the *Final Test* section, both *Check Valve #1* and *Check Valve #2* will default to *Closed Tight*. Also, for RP devices, Shut Off Valve #1 is now disabled.

Add "Facility City" mail merge field

The Facility City field is now available as a mail merge field in letters to customers. In Microsoft Word, the mail merge field is called "FAC_CITY".

BPMS version 5.05e

Date Updated: March 28, 2006

Added "Water Service Type" field to Installed Devices filter

This update added field *Water Service Type* to the Install Devices filter.

BPMS version 5.05d

Date Updated: February 24, 2006

Fix Error Preparing Mail Merge Document when Sort Order set to Postal/Zip

This update is to fix an error that could occur when preparing letters and labels. The error occurred only if one of the sort order fields was set to *Postal/Zip Code*.

BPMS version 5.05c

Date Updated: February 11, 2006

Add Field 'Meets Installation Requirements' added to Test form

A new field called "*Meets Installation Requirements*" was added to the Test form (Comments tab).

BPMS version 5.05

Date Updated: January 6, 2006

Option to Clear Pending Letters in Reminder Details

In the *Reminder* form, if you click on the *Details* button then click on the *Set To* button, a new option, *Clear Pending Letters*, is now available. Use this option to clear all the date stamps used to track pending letters for selected devices.

BPMS version 5.04z

Date Updated: November 10, 2005

[Fix Hidden Check Valve #2 in Tests form](#)

This update fixes a problem in the Tests form that was introduced in version 5.04y which caused the Check Valve #2 field to be hidden for RP devices.

BPMS version 5.04y

Date Updated: October 23, 2005

[Fix Error Appending Records When Preparing Test Report Forms](#)

This update fixes an error appending records that could appear when preparing test report forms.

BPMS version 5.04x

Date Updated: September 29, 2005

[TF forms with just Merge Fields can be used now](#)

A change was made to allow Test Report documents with prefix TF_..... to be displayed and printed out. These documents are to be used with pre printed TR forms loaded into the printer

BPMS version 5.04w

Date Updated: September 16, 2005

[Speed Up Field Update](#)

A change was made to speed up the Field Update utility.

BPMS version 5.04v

Date Updated: September 4, 2005

[Field "Previous Test Date" Added to Tests Form](#)

Field *Previous Test Date* was added to the *Tests* form (under the *Comments* tab). Upon entering and saving a new test, this field is automatically populated with the previous test date.

BPMS version 5.04u

Date Updated: August 11, 2005

Columns in Reminder Details Section Can Now be Customized

In the *Reminder*, if you click on one of the *Details* button, you can now customize which columns are displayed as well as the display order. This is done by clicking on the *Column Chooser* button.

BPMS version 5.04t

Date Updated: August 10, 2005

Device Appears in Reminder after Test Report was Printed

Upon entering a test report form and printing the Test Report (using the *Print Form* button), the device still appears in *Reminder* under "*Tests Completed but not Sent*". This update fixes the problem.

BPMS version 5.04s

Date Updated: August 2, 2005

New Fields added to Tests form

Two checkbox fields were added to the *Tests* form. The fields labeled *Replaced* are in the *Shutoff* column.

New Fields added to Repair form

Three new fields were added to the repair form (for PVB devices only). The new checkbox fields are labeled *Canopy*, *Poppet Assembly* and *Bonnet Assembly*.

BPMS version 5.04r

Date Updated: July 6, 2005

Fix "Field is too Small" Error in Installed Devices Form

In the *Installed Devices* form, upon selecting a model, an error message indicating that the field is too small could occur. The error occurred only if the value in the Orientation column was longer than 20 characters (i.e. "V-Up Inlet, V-Down Outlet").

BPMS version 5.04q

Date Updated: July 5, 2005

Fix "Data Entry Error" Message in Test Form

Upon entering a successful test, the following message could appear: "*Data Entry Error – Please enter a value for [final test]*". The message was then followed by another message "*Error #2110 –*

BPMS can't move the focus to the control final test status". These messages would only appear for RP devices. This update should eliminate these error messages.

Fix Tab Order Initial Test section of Test Form

This update fixes the tab order in the "Initial Test" section of the *Tests* form.

BPMS version 5.04p

Date Updated: June 30, 2005

New Mail Merge Fields added

A few mail merge fields were added to test report forms.

BPMS version 5.04o

Date Updated: June 13, 2005

New Fields added to Tests form

New fields were added to the *Tests* form so that both, the *Initial Test* and *Test after Repair* sections have the same fields.

BPMS version 5.04n

Date Updated: June 11, 2005

Test Report with Mail Merge Information Only now available

You can now have two documents associated with a test report. The first document is the test report form with mail merge fields. A second document with mail merge fields only can also be used to speed up printing.

BPMS version 5.04m

Date Updated: June 1, 2005

Fix Error "Unable to Open Document because Microsoft Word was not detected on this computer."

This update fixes error "*Unable to Open Document because Microsoft Word was not detected on this computer*" which would occur when attempting to open a mail merge document using Microsoft Word. The error occurred only for users with limited access to the Windows registry.

BPMS version 5.04l

Date Updated: March 9, 2005

[Fix Error #3265 in Tests form](#)

In the *Tests* form, upon entering the *Testers Name* or *Certification Number*, the following error message could occur: "*Error #3265 - Item not found in this Collection*". This error would occur only field *License Expires* in the *Tester Company* form had a passed date.

BPMS version 5.04k

Date Updated: February 17, 2005

[Zip Code added to Facility Address and Customer Address field](#)

All *Facility Address* and *Customer Address* fields were updated to include the zip code.

[Next Test Date added to List of Installation and Test History reports](#)

The *Next Test Date* field was added to report *List of Installs and Test History by Map Code & Facility Address*.

BPMS version 5.04j

Date Updated: February 4, 2005

[Export Query column added to Customize Test Report Forms dialog box](#)

A new column called **Export Query** was added to the *Customize Test Report Forms* dialog box. The default value in this column will be <Default>. For most forms, the default query will contain all the mail merge fields needed to link your test report form to the BPMS database in a mail merge document. However, some forms require the use of custom queries.

BPMS version 5.04i

Date Updated: September 3, 2004

[Add new water agencies from the Customize Test Report Forms Dialog box](#)

When customizing test reports using the *Customize Test Report Form* dialog box, if a water agency is not listed, you can now double-click inside the list to open the Water Agency dialog box and add it to the list.

BPMS version 5.04h

Date Updated: August 9, 2004

[New Merge Fields added to Test Report forms](#)

New merge fields added to the Test Report forms.

BPMS version 5.04g

Date Updated: July 26, 2004

[New Fields added to “Installed Devices” and “Tests” forms](#)

Field “Meter Size” was added to the “Installed Devices” form (Additional Info tab).

[New Merge Fields added to Export](#)

Merge fields Test Month for Reminder letters and GISXCoordinate and GISYCoordinate added.

BPMS version 5.04f

Date Updated: July 13, 2004

[Fix Error #2465 when Opening Test Report form](#)

This update is to fix error #2465 which would appear when opening Test Report forms for Australian users (Western Australia state only).

BPMS version 5.04E

Date Updated: April 26, 2004

[Letters to Potential Customers don't get flagged as 'Sent'](#)

Prior to this update, after preparing letters to potential customers, customers for which a letter was prepared were not removed from the list of letters to prepare. This update fixes the problem.

[Append Custom Text to Mail Name \(Customer Name\) during Mail Merge](#)

Custom text can now be appended to the Mail_Name mail merge field. During the mail merge, the MAIL_NAME merge field is populated with the Customer Name. In addition, if custom text is found, it will be added to the Mail_Name (on a separate line). This allows the user to append text such as “OR OWNER/OCCUPANT” to the Mail Name during the mail merge.

To add custom text, go to the Switchboard (main menu), then click on the *CUSTOMIZE* button, then enter your custom text in the text box labeled “*Append Custom Text to Mail Name (Customer Name) during Mail Merge*”.

BPMS version 5.04d

Date Updated: March 13, 2004

[Button ‘Backup and Exit BPMS’ added to Switchboard](#)

A new button labeled ‘*Backup and Exit BPMS*’ was added to the BPMS switchboard. Use this button if you wish to backup the BPMS database before exiting the program. Unlike previous versions, BPMS will no longer prompt to backup on exit. This change also resolves the problem

that could cause the *Num Lock* option of some keyboards to be turned off after exiting BPMS.

BPMS version 5.04c

Updated: March 10, 2004

[Fix for Error After Entering Model \(Installed Devices form\)](#)

This update fixes an error that could occur after entering the *Model* in the *Installed Devices* form. The error occurred only for if the *Model* was found in the list of the *Approved Devices* and if the *Approved Device* record has no value in the *Orientation/Config*. field.

BPMS version 5.04b

Updated: February 24, 2004

[BPMS No Longer opens Multiple Instance of Access in Word 2000](#)

This update resolves a problem with mail merge in Microsoft Word 2000 where BPMS would open another instance of Microsoft Access. Closing the mail merge document did not close the new instance of Microsoft Access. It had to be closed manually.

BPMS version 5.04

Updated: October 22, 2003

[Reminder Screen](#)

Added 2 new letters to the Reminder form: Assemblies with First Letter to Potential Customers Due (PCDletr1.doc), Assemblies with Second Letter to Potential Customers Due (PCDletr2.doc).