

FEATURE UPDATE | JUNE 2018

Version 1.4.3 Update

Effective July 2, 2018, all SCS-VR Virtual Receiver Software will be manufactured with Version 1.4.3 (6/20/18) software. All inventory will be updated by July 6, 2018.

Features

Panel Version 181 Support

SCS-VR 1.4.3 now supports panel Version 181 for XR150/XR550 Series panels and XT30/XT50, XTLplus™, and XTLplus-GW Series panels.

Enhanced Lockdown Messages

SCS-VR 1.4.3 now supports and processes enhanced lockdown messages for XR150/XR550 Series panels running Version 181 firmware or higher.

Message Log Customization

Depending on your SCS-VR settings, you can now customize the message log to allow event line items to display in different colors, allowing users to easily identify events when they can associate those events with color. Follow the directions below to color-customize the message log:

1. Navigate to the SCS-VR properties and select the **colors.properties** folder.
2. Define the color by its RGB value and save the information.
3. Navigate to the **SCS-VR\properties\message_colors.properties** file and assign the color to the alarm type.
4. Restart the SCS-VR console to allow the changes to take effect.

Installing Multiple SCS-VR Components

After updating the SCS-VR software or after first-time SCS-VR installations, installers now have the option to select multiple components to install at the same time. This allows installers to simultaneously install the Service & Console as well as the Viewer, saving them time and resources during the installation process.

Version Date Code

Users can now view which Version of SCS-VR they are running. Click **Help** and select **About** to view this information.

Switching Between Users

Users can now switch between their personal user type and the default user. This allows users to easily alternate between different user levels as well as the permissions of different user types.

Message Retention

Users can now better manage SCS-VR database space by choosing how many hours SCS-VR retains particular messages. Having the ability to choose how long select message types are kept creates space for more essential messages, as well as increases performance and speed of SCS-VR. Follow the directions below to use this new feature:

1. Log in to SCS-VR.
2. Click the **Groups** tab.
3. In the **Communication Settings** section, you will see four different message types. Enter the number of hours (no max) SCS-VR should retain each message type before SCS-VR deletes them. Enter zero (0) to keep the messages indefinitely, or until they are manually deleted. The default is eight hours.

Message Log Quantity

SCS-VR now displays the number of messages that are currently in the message log.

License Key

When updating to SCS-VR 1.4.3 and for any SCS-VR update in the future, you will not need to call DMP Customer Service to reactivate the account if you plan to use your current license key. However, if you are planning to use a different license key, you will need to call DMP Customer Service at 888.436.7832 to re-activate the account.

Updated Functionality

Improved Recovery Ability

In the event of SCS-VR losing connection to the database, SCS-VR 1.4.3 has been enhanced to better recover and process all stored messages when regaining connection to the database. A message is also sent to the automation software, making it clear to the user exactly what caused the disconnection.

Obtaining the New Software

Contact the Software Support Team in DMP Technical Support at 1.888.436.7832 for information on updating to SCS-VR Version 1.4.3.