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## **ISSUENET 5.1 RELEASED - SCCS INTEGRATIONS**

Elsinore Technologies is pleased to announce that IssueNet 5.1 has been officially released and is now available for download.

The headline feature of the 5.1 release is the addition of source control integrations for Team Foundation Server (TFS), Subversion, Vault, Perforce, and AccuRev. These new integrations when added to the existing integration with VSS, cover approximately 75% of source control users. "The issue tracker, source control system, and IDE comprise the core tools of software development. Making that core more cohesive and streamlined increases productivity," according to Jake Morgan, CTO of Elsinore Technologies.

The need for an issue/defect tracker tied closely with source control was the raison d'etre for Elsinore at our founding in 1995. IssueNet 5.1's expanded source control integration is a tip of the hat to that history and a reflection of our continued commitment to SCCS.

The 5.1 release also adds HTML support to large text fields, introduces a common sequence number scheme (this month's tech tip), and improves support for .NET Framework 3.5 SP1; full release notes are available here. Visit elsitech.com for more.

#### **NEW SCCS INTEGRATIONS**

- 1. TFS
- 2. SUBVERSION
- 3. VAULT
- 4. PERFORCE
- 5. ACCUREV

### **5.1 UPGRADE PROCEDURE**

Organizations on active IssueNet support and maintenance receive the 5.1 release and subsequent 5.x upgrades free of charge. Upgrades are available for download from support.elsitech.com. If you need any assistance at all please do not hesitate to contact support. Upgrades from the 3.x versions of Visual Intercept remain paid upgrades. For any questions regarding current support status or eligibility, please contact Elsinore Sales at (866) 866-0034 or via email.

## **TECH TIP: SEQUENCE NUMBER INHERITANCE**

This month's Tech Tip reviews a new option introduced in IssueNet 5.1: Sequence Number Inheritance. This option allows objects of different types (e.g. defects, support tickets) to share a common pool of sequencing numbers. Previously sequence numbers were assigned based purely on the object type so one could have DEF-001 and SUP-001 in the same database. With the addition of this simple option, the sequence numbers can be shared, so that one would have

DEF-001 followed by SUP-002, then DEF-003.

The option is a simple way to fine tune the basic presentation of identifiers so team members are on the same page when discussing different issues. The full Tech Tip is available on elsitech.com

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