

# Intrex Professional

RELEASE 5.2



**Intrex 5.2 Update**

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## Writing conventions

In this handbook, areas of the text will be displayed in *italics* if they refer to settings in the displayed dialogs. Menu items that can be reached from context menus can also always be reached from the main menu. Main menu items will not be described, unless they cannot be reached from the context menu. You can find a description of the general main menu items in the handbook  *Portals*. Programming code in the text will be displayed in the `Courier` font. Context menus can be opened by clicking with the right mouse button on the element described.

In the following, `<intrexx>` designates your Intrexx installation path; under Windows, for example,  `c:\intrexx\`, under Linux it may be  `/opt/intrexx/`. The following symbols will be used to designate special types of information:

-  Information
-  References to an Intrexx handbook
-  Directories
-  URLs
-  Clicks on buttons

## Previous knowledge

In order to understand this documentation, no special previous knowledge is necessary. You can find helpful information in the Intrexx handbooks  *Setup* and  *Start*.

## 1. Foreword

We wish you warm greetings as you update your version of Intrexx to Version 5.2.

With this version, we offer you an entire series of optimizations and new features that can simplify your experience with Intrexx and open new areas of use.


If you have already updated to version 5.1, the update can be accomplished without problems. If you are updating from older versions, please ensure that you read the notes under section 4.1.

You can find additional information on the new functions at [www.intrexx.com](http://www.intrexx.com).

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## 2. Preparing for update

Due to the changes, new features, and optimizations made contingent by this version of the product, the quality assurance department of United Planet has placed special attention on ensuring a seamless and comfortable update. In extremely comprehensive series of tests, the most varying update scenarios were simulated and successfully completed. Further, a very widely performed beta test was performed, in which not only our partners, but rather also numerous customers took part. All experiences gained in this way have flowed into this document, which should now support you in your update.

 **Important: without exception, before updating, you should create a backup of the database and the file system! Furthermore, deactivate any virus scanners you may be running for the duration of the update process.**

If the update is not successful for reasons that have not been taken into account in advance (such as due to necessary adjustments to Java classes that you have received from a partner or a software producer for special requirements), you can return to the previous version without problems.

Please execute the update as a first step on a test system and not directly within the production environment. When performing an update, note that you must select the correct directory of the currently installed Intrexx install during the installation. If you desire a new installation, existing installations of Intrexx should be removed in advance.

After successfully performing an update, test your portal for correct functionality.

## 3. Update workshop

In connection with the publication of Intrexx 5.2, United Planet is offering you a workshop in which we will answer all of your questions on updating to Intrexx 5.2. In this seminar, all new features will be dealt with in informative demonstrations, such as the new application template *CMS 2*, the new controls *Image gallery*, *Dynamic view*, and *Sortable list* in the Application Designer, the expanded editors, as well as the Exchange 2010 support. You can find detailed information on the *Update to Intrexx 5.2* workshop on [Intrexx Live!](#)

We do not offer a specific individual workshop on updating to Version 5.1, as this update does not present any special reconfiguration difficulties.

## 4. Points to consider

Please check the following points before performing an update, in order that the update can be executed without difficulties:

### 4.1. Updating from older versions (older than Version 5.1)

If you possess an Intrexx version that is older than Version 5.1, you must read through the update documents for earlier versions.

You can find the update guidelines for earlier versions under the following links:

[Update to Intrexx 5.1](#)

[Update to Intrexx 5.0 \(German only\)](#)

## 5. Manual adjustments

After an update has been performed, manual adjustments may be necessary in the following areas:

### 5.1. Licensing

Updating from Version 5.1 to Version 5.2 requires no new license key. For updates from earlier versions, you will receive license keys and all information about the licensing of Intrexx from our Customer Service department. If you have questions, please contact [info@unitedplanet.de](mailto:info@unitedplanet.de).

### 5.2. Tomcat

If you have implemented Apache Tomcat as webserver, please note that during an update, the following files will be overwritten:

```
<intrexx>/tomcat/conf/web.xml  
<intrexx>/tomcat/conf/server.xml  
<intrexx>/tomcat/conf/tomcat-users.xml
```

For this reason, please ensure that you back up the existing files before performing an update. This will ensure that manual configurations (such as definitions of connections via SSL) will not be overwritten. After an update, you can copy over the previously backed up files again.

### 5.3. Old replication profile

With Intrexx 5.2, the formats of older replication profiles (profiles before Intrexx Version 4.1) will no longer be supported. If your portal possesses such profiles, these will be converted and updated to a new formatting standard during the update process. No manual adjustments will be necessary.

## 6. Houston, we have a problem...

If difficulties come about during the update, please contact United Planet Support with the following information:

- Customer number and contact data
- Current Intrexx version
- Current operating system in use
- Current database in use
- Webserver
- 📁 *<intrexx>/org/<portal>/log/patch.log*
- 📁 *<intrexx>/org/<portal>/log/publishallapplications.log*
- 📁 *<intrexx>/org/<portal>/log/publishallprocesses.log*
- 📁 *<intrexx>/org/<portal>/log/portal.log*