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Perception & GEN Series firmware V7.00.16336

These release notes are:

Perception:

from V6.72.15352 to V7.00.16336

GEN series firmware:

from V6.72.15352 to V7.00.16336

Firmware release notes are an integral part of the software and these release notes.

IMPORTANT: Perception 32-bit version is no longer actively distributed and is only available for GEN2i systems and users running 32-bit Windows. Perception 32-bit version is available for download from the HBM website. Perception Enterprise (1-PERC-E64) is no longer required to run the 64-bit version of Perception.

Supported/Tested Windows 32 bit versions:

- Windows Vista Business SP2
- Windows Vista Ultimate SP2
- Windows 7 Ultimate SP1
- Windows 8 Pro
- Windows 8.1 Pro
- Windows 10 Pro

Supported/Tested 64 bit versions:

- Windows Vista Business SP2
- Windows Vista Ultimate SP2
- Windows 7 Ultimate SP1
- Windows 8 Pro
- Windows 8.1 Pro
- Windows 10 Pro

And Windows Updates until 11^h October 2016.

IMPORTANT: Perception is no longer supported on Windows XP.

Supported/Tested Genesis High Speed platforms:

- GEN2i
- GEN3i
- GEN3t
- GEN5i
- GEN7i
- GEN7t
- GEN7tA

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- GEN16t
- GEN17tA
- ISOBE5600
- BE3200

IMPORTANT: LIBERTY, BE256 and MultiPro are no longer supported by Perception. Data recorded with these units is still accessible using Perception.

Supported/Tested QuantumX Modules:

- MX1609KB
- MX1609TB
- MX471B
- MX809B

QuantumX firmware:
V4.6.26.0

HBM QuantumX API:
V4.2.1.168

HBM common API:
V2.0.1.2

All Perception versions require Dot Net Framework V4.6 which will be distributed with the install and is also available for download on the internet.

All Perception versions also require a Microsoft Direct3D® capable graphics card.

Patents:

Patent No. 7,868,886

This version is distributed using the following editions:

- Perception FREE Viewer
- 1-PERC-VA-01-2 Perception Viewer Enterprise
- 1-PERC-ST-01-2 Perception Standard
- 1-PERC-AD-01-2 Perception Advanced
- 1-PERC-E64-01-2 Perception Enterprise

IMPORTANT: Existing Viewer licenses are automatically upgraded to Viewer Enterprise. Existing Perception Professional licenses are automatically upgraded to Perception Enterprise

The following options are part of this version:

- 1-PERC-OP-MWB Multiple Workbooks
- 1-PERC-OP-MEX Multiple Exports formats
- 1-PERC-OP-MMF Multiple Mainframes
- 1-PERC-OP-AN Analysis (Formula database)
- 1-PERC-OP-RP Reporting & Word Reporting
- 1-PERC-OP-IF SOAP & RPC Interface

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- 1-PERC-OP-VP Video Playback
- 1-PERC-OP-CSI-2 CSI Runtime
- 1-PERC-OP-STL Advanced High Voltage/High Power analysis (STL)
- 1-PERC-OP-IS Customized Info sheets
- 1-PERC-OP-HHP HP-HV Automated Analysis
- 1-PERC-OP-BE BE256 / MultiPro Control
- 1-PERC-OP-BFFT Basic FFT
- 1-PERC-OP-HIA HVIA
- 1-PERC-OP-SEQ Sequencer (BE3200)
- 1-PERC-OP-SDB Sensor Management
- 1-PERC-OP-EDR eDrive application (setup & live)

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The following features have been added:

Perception:

- 10324 Make Sequencer pulse parameters available in Data sources
- 11584 eDrive: Use Phi to indicate "inductive" or "capacitive" load per phase
- 11637 eDrive: Support torque transducer with analog voltage output
- 11696 Add data sources to mainframe reflecting Connect time & uptime
- 11697 Add datasource to mainframes such that the 'sync source time' can be visualized in Perception
- 11699 eDrive solution discontinuous support for setups with old 1kV board beyond Perception 7.0 ==> message needed for customers
- 11708 Sensor health check with system level health overview
- 11710 Add new user key actions for opening next and opening previous recording
- 11731 Add new user key script actions to manipulate the start and length of a sequencer channel pulse
- 11738 Add user key script action to open a recording
- 11739 UFF58 export format needs option to write Absolute UTC time (now relative only)
- 11748 Add an interface to the eDrive sheet which can be used to get the calculated values just like the RPC function GeteDriveValues()
- 11756 New RPC method needed to retrieve exact UTC StartOfRecording time
- 11763 Perception pinned on taskbar should support a 'jump list' to allow fast starting with recently used PNRF or VWB
- 11773 User Keys can be part of automation
- 11785 eDrive: Allow auto-y-axis ALL on automation
- 11791 CycleCrestFactor in Formula Database
- 11793 eDrive: Add sweep / trigger number to "Export to Matlab" file creation dialog
- 11817 eDrive: Add new function to the formula database called ReadLogFile
- 11835 Real time formula database: Manage formulas from Perception
- 11836 Real time formula database: integrate into eDrive to enhance scalability
- 11839 Add support for MX809B

GEN Series firmware:

- 11782 Add both edge trigger for Marker (Event) channels
- 11837 Real time formula database: Perform preconfigured math on measured data and deliver the results in real time

The following improvements have been made:

Perception:

- 10338 Space for channel names in Sequencer control sheet is limited

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- 10339 Channel size and font size in Sequencer control sheet are fixed
- 10991 Formatting of numerical values in user table should always allow large numbers
- 11623 eDrive: Allow torque signal to be inverted in eDrive GUI
- 11658 Improve time base (groups) settings of Dual Mode in Setting sheet
- 11672 Improve usability on setting sheet by including mainframe names
- 11702 Customers dislike the PNRF auto split in 8GB files.
- 11711 Simplify sales offering and licensing of Perception software packages
- 11724 eDrive project: Goto Sweep function or improved GoTo Trigger
- 11725 eDrive project: Allow any cycle number to be entered instead of pulldown
- 11736 View last used recordings and VWBs from the file menu
- 11742 Perception needs to size and position itself identically as it was closed
- 11744 Perception Hardware Tree needs speed improvement
- 11745 Settings sheet should be more responsive
- 11750 Mainframe connection time should be improved
- 11764 Add autocomplete to edit controls which are used to enter filename
- 11771 eDrive: Allow to change "Offset angle" while in Pause mode
- 11784 eDrive: Add some review sheets with displays
- 11797 Make "Recording Automation Processing" dialog sizeable
- 11818 Hide recorder external start/stop column on all mainframes except GEN2i
- 11819 More accurate naming for different trigger output options
- 11820 Simplify mainframe trigger control in settings sheet (Backward compatible through CSI)
- 11822 Grid should show nice values
- 11846 Drop RTC formula 'MeanOfMultiplication'

The following errors have been fixed:

Perception:

- 11063 Reporting to word fails if no default printer is selected
- 11086 Renaming Mainframe takes effect in SETTINGS SHEET only on next Perception start
- 11180 Reset to factory defaults leaves Accelerometer group active
- 11440 Loading workbench doesn't work correctly for channels not in Basic mode
- 11451 Crash after loading HVIA collection related to splitter control
- 11455 remove impedance column from charge amplifier settings sheet

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- 11516 Bridge wizard doesn't automatically go to balance grid
- 11530 Memory leak caused by audiodg.exe should be solved on integrated systems
- 11588 Print settings do not match Settings sheet settings anymore
- 11602 Fiber Status sheet doesn't update properly when channel is activated
- 11651 STLprevZeroCrossing problem with measured signal from customer
- 11661 XCursors pool variables incorrect after a recording and display in review sweep mode
- 11670 Print Settings from File lacks Sensor information
- 11675 MX1609. Offset value not updated when range from/to changes
- 11676 MX1609. Unhandled exception can occur on the Settings sheet in the Input / Temperature graphics section.
- 11694 Export to Matlab for short sweeps (10 ms.) fails
- 11712 Problem reloading report with custom report size
- 11727 CycleArea in Formula Database produces wrong results
- 11728 Channels not added to bridge tab when applying sensor
- 11733 Problem setting properties for the report to Word automation action
- 11735 Missing data in first sweep displayed of the Gen3i instrument panel
- 11737 Incorrect reading of stored Angle trace when (Precision * PulsesPerRotation) exceeds 8191
- 11746 Perception markers in a PNRF file disappear when PC date changes when X-axis is in "Absolute Local" time
- 11749 No more support for Vision and Odyssey remote recording access in V7.0
- 11765 QuantumX channel names exceeding 32 characters invalids associated traces in recording
- 11766 center position in y-scaling is not displayed
- 11767 eDrive: Sensor database limits span to wrong values if RMS is selected
- 11777 eDrive: Hysteresis is artificially limited to "1000" EU
- 11778 Matlab export not working properly on certain settings
- 11781 Function Creator doesn't understand text string
- 11786 CycleMean not calculated correctly
- 11789 Perception freezes when printing report to PDF
- 11810 eDrive: Using "unique" CT's with different sensitivity result in a list of possible spans of 1 (largest span)
- 11811 Settings in Bridge wizard not saved as selected
- 11812 Amplifier settings shown with Storage OFF
- 11813 Channel scaling in Preview mode needs attention
- 11814 Wrong axis labels in XY display with large numbers

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- 11815 Perception ignores the option READ ONLY in the Reporting when loading VWB
- 11816 Settings sheet: incorrect input UI for span if first recorder is in different amplifier mode
- 11828 Absolute Trigger Time incorrect for Isobe5600 sweeps recording
- 11838 Crash when user key has no text assigned
- 11842 FormulaDB CycleTHD returns THD of 0.0%
- 11848 Sensor database sheet not loaded correctly
- 11851 Meter values incorrect when using signal offset
- 11854 Scale as trace not correctly loaded when two traces have same name with different casing
- 11874 Meters cannot be re-arranged by drag drop

GEN Series firmware:

- 11770 System unresponsive when starting a recording quickly after changing to IRIG time synchronization
- 11808 GN3210: Mismatch in filter settings
- 11809 GN610(B): Mismatch in filter settings
- 11855 Alarm Level may be incorrect after input range change

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