

SimpleRisk Release Notes

Version 20170723-001

This version includes several bug fixes as well as a new field for “Additional Stakeholders”, a new configuration menu “Health Check” that will look for various issues with the installation and point them out in an easy to read manner, and added language translations for the new functions added in 20170614-001. If you are not already running SimpleRisk, then follow the standard installation instructions. If you are currently running the 20170614-001 release of SimpleRisk, then you will need to extract the new files over the old ones (back up your config.php first) and then run the /admin/upgrade.php script to upgrade your database.

The complete list of changes for this release is below:

- **New Features**
 - Added ability to save a person’s Dynamic Risk Report Column sections so each time you return to the page the same columns are already selected.
 - Created a new risk field for “Additional Stakeholders” with a dropdown list of users that is checkable.
 - Add a new Health Check function in the Configure menu allowing you to check various parts of your Simple Risk installations health.
 - Added a mitigation percent field to the mitigation page and allowed the management review to update the value.
- **Security**
 - Fixed a reflected XSS issue on the reset.php page.
- **Bug Fixes**
 - Fixed an issue causing all Check Boxes including ones not related to user creation on the configuration page being selected when “Check all user Responsibilities” checkbox is used.
 - Fixed a 500 error when submitting a risk for Integrity Constraint Violation: 1048 Column ‘additional_stakeholders’ cannot be null
 - Assets under “Affected Assets” now list when using either option regarding “Enable pop-up windows for text boxes”
 - Fixed an issue where navigating to a risk from the Dynamic Risk Report and then changing the status of that risk will result in a 404 error when you update the risk.
- **Usability**
 - Added a new setting for the default score a risk is given when a new risk is submitted without anything selected. By default this will be set to 10.
- **Notes**

- Beginning with the 20170102-001 release, SimpleRisk utilizes a new API for the Risk Management section as well as several of the reports. In order for it to work properly, you will need to enable the API by setting "AllowOverride all" in your Apache configuration file. This tells Apache to utilize the newly included .htaccess file in the /api directory.
- As of the 20151219-001 release, we will no longer provide the SQL files for the various languages. Instead, users should use the Installer Script to perform their SimpleRisk MySQL database installation. If you would like to inspect the MySQL database schema before installing, the files can still be found under the "db" directory included with the Installer Script.
- In performing some testing with a newer version of PHP, it appears that PHP has removed the standard JSON extension as of PHP 5.5rc2 due to a license conflict. This functionality is used in SimpleRisk's graphing library. If you notice that your pie charts are not displaying properly, you may need to install the "php5-json" package for these charts to work as expected.
- A SimpleRisk user noted that they were having difficulty logging in with the default username of "admin" with password of "admin". Upon investigation, it was discovered that PHP was enforcing secure cookies, but the application was not using SSL, so the session values were not set. This may be an isolated instance, but if you experience this issue, try installing a SSL certificate and run SimpleRisk over HTTPS to fix it.