# **CHANGELOG**

### \* KNOWN BUGS

- IMPORTANT 1: "Features Work Folders" and "Features Windows Search": Break Windows installation if you try to remove them in a 2<sup>nd</sup> reducing steps. So if you want to remove Windows Features, it will be better to remove them in a one way step!
- WinReducer 8.1 "Open Tools USB" : wrong characters appear under certain circumstances (especially in German language)
- "Features Windows Search": when trying to disable or remove it, it doesn't completly work. Tried with an original fresh installation without WinReducer customizations, and got same result. Maybe this is a Windows 8.1 bug and not a WinReducer bug
- "Accessories Windows Mail": Opening Word 2010 files seems to be broken
- "Accessories ModernUI Apps": try to remove one of them will prevent display all other Apps. So you need to pin them manually from Apps screen to Start screen after Windows installation
- « Network Skydrive » : All files are removed but you could always be able to use it in
   « Modern UI Immersive Control Panel ». Skydrive is too deeply integrated into Windows
   8.1. The only way, to hide it, is to remove the « Immersive Control Panel » but you will loose many Windows configuration possibilities
- "Services Homegroup Listener and Provider Services": break "Advanced Sharing" in "Network and Sharing Center" control panel
- "Services Windows Update Service": break "Net Framework 3.5" installation <u>and</u>
  Windows Store
- "Tweaks Sound Disable all Sounds" : seems to not work (Sound scheme is always windows default one)

## WinReducer 8.1 - v1.06 (2014.04.21)

### \* NEW

- . « Modern UI Apps OneNote »
- « Presets Protect MS Online Account »
- « Presets Protect Windows Media Center »
- « Tweaks Modern UI Hide Power Button on Start Screen »
- . « Tweaks Terminal Always Launched with Administrator Rights »

### \* **UPDATED**

- . English language file to v1.06
- . « Removing Window » : New « Removing Speed » profiles (Available Soon)
- . WinReducer 8.1 has been updated to support the New Removing Engine (Available Soon) to improve removing speed by 70%
- . « Network SkyDrive » : Name Changed to « Network OneDrive »
- . « Presets Protect MS Office » : Add support for « Control Panel Font Folder (Files) » and « Fonts Meiryo »

#### \* FIXED

- . « Accessories Briefcase » : Broke SkyDrive in Modern UI Apps
- . « Network OneDrive » : Renaming Windows Folders was buggy
- . « Presets Protect Important Files » : Didn't work properly

### WinReducer 8.1 - v1.05 (2014.04.09)

### \* <u>NEW</u>

- . "Presets Protect Important Files" : Display protected files list (but not yet available for modifications)
- . Add support for Update 1 (April 2014)

#### \* <u>UPDATED</u>

- . English language file to v1.05 : Some names in « Appearance Backgrounds » tab have changed so take care at your wccf files
- . « Drivers Support EFI and UEFI » : Cleanup Improvements
- . « Services Internet Connection Sharing (ICS) Service » : Cleanup Improvements
- . « Services WWAN AutoConfig Service » : Cleanup Improvements
- . "Presets Protect Important Files": Include "Windows\Fonts\msgothic.ttc" in the list (To solve trouble with tray volume bar font)
- . "Presets Protect Important Files": Include "Windows\System32\wmasf.dll" in the list (To solve trouble with multimedia software)
- . « Presets Protect MS Office » : Add « Control Panel Font Folder (Files) » to avoid fonts errors messages during installation
- . « Presets Protect Modern UI Apps » : Add protection for « Services App Readiness Service »

## WinReducer 8.1 - v1.04 (2014.03.09)

### \* NEW

- . « Appearance Backgrounds »: Add important information sizes and types for each pictures
- . « Drivers Network ISDN IBM »
- . « Drivers Network ISDN Microsoft »
- « Drivers Support PC Card »
- . « Modern UI Apps Lockscreen SlideShow »

- English language file to v1.04 : Some names in « Appearance Backgrounds » tab have changed so take care at your wccf files
- . « Modern UI Apps » (All): Change the removing process which should be more efficient and with less workaround
- . « Control Panels Sync Center Folder (Files) » : Cleanup Improvements
- « Drivers Network Ethernet SIS » : Cleanup Improvements
- . « Drivers Support Firewire (IEEE1394) » : Cleanup Improvements

- . « Drivers Support Modem » : Cleanup Improvements
- « Features Windows Search » : Cleanup Improvements
- . « Modern UI Apps Media Viewer » : Cleanup Improvements
- . « Services Remote Desktop Services » : Cleanup Improvements
- . « Services Smart Card Services » : Cleanup Improvements
- . « Services WLAN AutoConfig Service » : Cleanup Improvements
- . « Presets Automatic Removing Process » : Update for « Features Printing Fax and Scan Services » and add support for « Features XPS Viewer and Printer »

- . « Drivers Printers Fax » : Didn't work properly
- . « Drivers Printers XPS » : Didn't work properly
- . « Remove Modern UI Apps Lockscreen Camera »: Didn't work properly
- . « System User Folders Contacts » : Deprecated folder cleanup didn't work properly
- . « System User Folders Desktop » : Deprecated folder cleanup didn't work properly
- . « System User Folders Documents » : Deprecated folder cleanup didn't work properly
- . « ISO File Creator Save in a WIM File »: Also create an uneeded ISO file in ISO Folder

## WinReducer 8.1 - v1.03 (2014.03.03)

### \* FIXED

- . « System User Folders »: Delete all default uneeded folders, in case you changed their paths
- . « ISO Creator Save in a WIM file » : if your install.wim file is smaller than the « Split WIM » size, then the file is deleted during process
- . « ISO Creator Save in a WIM file UEFI Boot Compatibility » : Don't work in « HOME TOOLS »

## WinReducer 8.1 - v1.02 (2014.03.02)

### \* NEW

. « Drivers – Printer – Fax »

- . « Drivers Printer XPS »
- « Drivers Serial Pen Wacom »
- . « Drivers Support Boot PCAT »
- . « Drivers Support Boot PXE »
- . « Drivers Support HD-Audio »
- . « Network Sharing (Shell Extensions) »
- . « Tweaks Context Menu Include in Library (Hide) »
- . « ISO File Creator Save in an ISO File » : Add an option to bring support to ISO for UEFI boot creation
- « ISO File Creator Save in a WIM File »: Add an option to bring support to WIM file for UEFI boot creation (without using an ISO)
- . « ISO File Creator Save in a WIM File » : Add an option to automatically copied all the content, of the ISO extracted folder, directly in a FAT32 prepared USB thumb drive using « Bootable USB Device Creator »
- . « ISO File Creator Save in a WIM File » : Activate « Bootable USB Device Creator » after WinReducer reducing process

- . KNOWN BUGS : Add « Network Skydrive »
- . English language file to v1.02
- . "START -> FOLDER": Default opened folder changed to "ExtractedByWinReducer" folder
- . "TOOLS ISO Save in an ISO File" : Default opened folder changed to "ExtractedByWinReducer" folder
- . « Accessories Tablet PC (Engine) » : Cleanup Improvements
- . « Drivers Support EFI and UEFI » : Name Changed to « Drivers Support Boot EFI and UEFI »
- . « Fonts Boot Fonts » : Cleanup Improvements
- . « Optimizations EXPERT Windows Unneeded Cleanup Files » : Cleanup Improvements
- « Services File History Service »: Cleanup Improvements
- . « Tweaks Modern UI Enable Apps to Work with UAC Disable » : If you check it, then it automatically disables « Tweaks System Disable User Account Control (UAC) » to prevent trouble

- . « Tweaks Explorer Enable Preview Pane » : Name Changed to « Tweaks Explorer Preview Pane (Show) »
- . "Unattended Hide Boot Image Selection" : Changed from « NAME » to « INDEX » in « autounattend.xml » file
- . « ISO File Creator Save in a WIM File »: Various Process improvements
- « ISO File Creator Save in an ISO File » : Process to reduce size
- . « ISO File Creator Save in an ISO File » : Various Process optimizations improvements (especially to reduce size)
- . Various WinReducer GUI Improvements

## \* <u>FIX</u>ED

- . « START ISO » and « START FOLDER » : Didn't work properly in really rare case
- . « Tweaks Explorer Open File Security <u>Warring</u> Removal » : Name changed to « Tweaks Explorer Open File Security <u>Warring</u> Removal » to improve support
- . « Unattended Hide Boot Image Selection » : Could hang Windows installation under certains circumstances
- . « Other Users » bug during 1st login has been fixed
- . English language and keyboard bug during 1st login has been fixed

## WinReducer 8.1 - v1.01 (2014.02.09)

### \* NEW

- . « Keyboards French (Switzerland) »
- . « Network Skydrive »
- . « Tweaks Explorer Open File Security Warning Removal »
- . « Unattended Time Zone »
- . « Unattended Time Zone Disable Auto Daylight »

### \* <u>UPDATED</u>

- . English language file to v1.01
- . « WinReducer81.xml »: Name changed to « WinReducer.xml » to ensure compatibility with future WinReducer Software. Automatically done if « WinReducer81.xml » is detected in the WinReducer folder

- . « START ISO » and « START FOLDER » : Windows Editions detection improvements
- . « EXIT »: Exit cleanup improvements
- . « Features Windows Search » : Cleanup improvements (Modern UI Search)
- . « System Updates » : If you downloaded all Updates, by yourself (so without WinReducer), you need to put all of them in the folder « WORK INTEGRATE UPDATES x64 Updates » (for x64) and « WORK INTEGRATE UPDATES x86 Updates » (for x86). All folders will be created automatically
- . « System OOBE Configuration » : Add import for registry file (\*.reg)
- . « System OOBE Configuration » : New WinReducerPI folder location : « WORK INTEGRATE SOFTWARE ». This is the default working folder. So it will <u>not</u> be deleted after the process. You could update it as you wish, and don't forget to also update the script. The folder will only be copied if you activate the OOBE in WinReducer. It also replaces any existing WinReducerPI folder in your ISO. But in « Preset Editor », you could save the script if you save your settings in a new wccf preset file
- « System OOBE Configuration » : Script has been renamed from « WinReducer81.cmd » to « WinReducerPI.cmd »
- . « System OOBE Configuration » : New script location in folder « WORK INTEGRATE SOFTWARE » to easily configure or update it according to your WinReducerPI folder
- « Tweaks Internet Explorer Do not Save Encrypt Pages to Disk » : Name changed to « Tweaks
   Internet Explorer Do not Save Encrypted Pages to Disk »

#### <u>FIXED</u>

- . « Appearance Activate Theme Support Modern UI Background » : Help tips didn't work correctly
- . « Unatttended Administrator Account » : GUI improvements
- . « Unattended User Account » : GUI improvements
- . « Unattended User Account Group » : Didn't work properly when using a different language than English

### WinReducer 8.1 - v1.00 (Final) (2014.01.27)

### \* NEW

. « Tweaks - Explorer - Show Full Path in Explorer Title Bar »

#### \* <u>UPDATED</u>

English language file to v1.00 (Final)

. HowTo file to v1.00 (Final)

#### \* FIXED

. « Unattended – Activate Auto Activation » : Unable to use it

## WinReducer 8.1 - v1.00 (RC2) (2014.01.19)

This is a major update! So, please consider it as an important update by rebuilding your WinReducer folder from scratch!

#### \* NEW

- . "Drivers Hyper-V Dynamic Memory"
- . "Drivers Hyper-V Fibre Channel HBA"
- . "Drivers Hyper-V Generation Counter"
- . "Drivers Hyper-V Input"
- . "Drivers Hyper-V Guest"
- . "Drivers Hyper-V PCI Bus"
- . "Drivers Hyper-V Storage"
- . "Drivers Hyper-V VMBus"
- . "Drviers Storage Smart Array SAS and SATA Controller"
- . "Drivers USB Audio"
- . "Services": Black Viper Configuration is available for all WinReducer Services
- . "Tweaks Explorer Automatically Expand to Current Folder"
- . "Tweaks Explorer Remove Shortcut Suffix"
- . "Tweaks Explorer Show Drive Letters Before Drive Names"
- . "Tweaks Mouse Set Pointer to Default Button"
- "Tweaks System Disable Automatic Defragmentation"
- . "Tweaks System Disable Ready Boot"
- . "Unattended Activate Auto Activation"

### \* <u>UPDATED</u>

. English language file to v1.00 RC2

- . Changed minimum screen size resolution to 1024\*768
- . "Accessories System Restore" : Improve cleanup
- . "Control Panels Sync Center Folder (Files)": Improve cleanup
- . "Drivers Floppy Disk" : Improve cleanup
- . "Drivers Hyper-V Graphic Card": Improve cleanup
- . "Drivers Network Wireless Atheros": Improve cleanup
- . "Drivers Storage Intel": Improve cleanup
- . "Drivers Storage VIA StorX RAID Controller": Improve cleanup
- . "Drivers Support Bluetooth": Improve cleanup
- . "Features Windows Defender": Improve cleanup
- . "Features Work Folders" : Improve cleanup
- . "Services Printer Support Services" : Improve cleanup
- . "Services Superfetch Service" : Improve cleanup
- . "Services Windows Time Service": Improve cleanup
- . "Services Windows Error Reporting Service" : Improve cleanup
- . "Services Windows Update Service": Improve cleanup
- . "Tweaks Explorer Hidden Files and Folders (Show)": Name Changed (Take to your wccf file)
- . "Tweaks Explorer Hidden System Files (Hide)": Name Changed (Take to your wccf file)
- . "WinReducer Tools Updates": Improve categories name differences for Windows Updates (to slipstream automatically) and Executable files (to launch manually)

- . "Appearance Cursors" : Solved minor GUI issues
- . "Appearance File Replacer" : Didn't work properly
- . "Multimedia Photo Viewer" : "Open with" menu cleanup
- "Multimedia Photo Viewer": Solved opening picture bug in case you removed "Services –
   Printer Support Services"
- . "Optimizations Windows WinSXS Folder Compression": Fix text information while executing tasks

- . "Tweaks Explorer Remove Shortcut Arrow": Didn't work properly. I totally changed how it works. So a blank file is used to replace the arrow (in "HOME\SOFTWARE"). In fact, you could easily customize the shortcut arrow by replacing it with the one you want. Read the Help Tips for more informations
- . Fix various minor bugs
- . Fix WinReducer GUI bugs

## WinReducer 8.1 - v1.00 (RC1) (2014.01.12)

## \* **UPDATED**

. English language file to v1.00 RC1

### \* FIXED

- . "Options WinReducer Updates": Didn't work properly for both Lifetime VIP and Normal User
- . "Tools Presets Editor": Icon didn't disable while using other Tools
- . "Control Panels": Solved minor issues

### WinReducer 8.1 - v0.99.7 (2014.01.09)

### \* NEW

- . NEW "Tools" : "Preset Editor" helps you easily create your wccf file without mounting your Windows 8.x ISO
- . "Appareance Theme Support File Replacer Imageres.dll"
- . "Tweaks Context Menu Add Take Ownership (with Pause)"
- . "Unattended Administrator Account"
- . "Unattended Administrator Password"
- . "Unattended User Password"
- . "Unattended Activate Administrator Autologon"
- . "Unattended Activate User Autologon"
- . "Unattended Turn Off Password Expiration"

- . Maximize WinReducer Window, when configuring your components, is available
- . "Features": Option to select all Features to remove (at the same time) is available
- . "Services": Option to select all Services to remove (at the same time) is available (Black Viper's Configuration will come in the next build)

- . KNOWN BUGS IMPORTANT 2 : Please, take some time to read it!
- . English language file to v0.99.7
- . "Component Remover Tab": Navigating through all components using keyboard arrow keys will display all available "Help tips" (not only with your mouse)
- . Many GUI Improvements

### \* FIXED

- . "TOOLS" icons : Added missing translation strings
- . "Unattended": "Other User" bug should be solved

### WinReducer 8.1 - v0.99.6 (2014.01.05)

#### \* NEW

. "Services - Printer Support Services"

- . English language file to v0.99.6
- . Improve Components removing order to add better Windows cleanup and functionalities support
- "Accessories Action Center": Move to "Remove Control Panels Action Center (Files)"
- . "Drivers Support Ram Disk" : Change name
- . "Services Diagnostic Policy Services" : Improve services configuration
- . "Services HomeGroup Listener and Provider Services": Improve services configuration
- . "Services HyperV Services" : Improve services configuration
- . "Services Peer Name Resolution Protocol Services": Improve services configuration

- . "Services Remote Access Manager Services": Improve services configuration
- . "Services Remote Desktop Services" : Improve services configuration
- . "Services Smart Card Services" : Improve services configuration

- . "Open a Folder" and "Open and Extract an ISO" : didn't work properly under certains circumstances (like using an Upgrade ISO, ...)
- . "Appreance Modern UI Color (Login)" : Remove uneeded color numbers
- . "Remove Control Panels Action Center" : Remove control panel shortcut when using "Automatic Removing" preset
- . "Optimizations Windows Unneeded Files Cleanup": Break Net Framework 3.5 integration
- . "Change User Picture" (in Windows) didn't work under certains circumstances
- . Some Protect presets didn't work properly with previous build
- . "Load WCCF Preset": "System OOBE Configuration" didn't work correctly
- . "Load WCCF Preset": "System WinReducer Registry Integrator" didn't work correctly

### WinReducer 8.1 - v0.99.5 (2013.12.29)

### \* NEW

- . "Clear Settings": Add a button to completly clear all settings loaded by a wccf preset file in WinReducer
- . "Accessories Welcome Center"
- . "Tweaks Logon Enable Secure Logon"
- . "Tweaks System CTRL+ALT+DEL Screen Hide Change Password"
- . "Tweaks System CTRL+ALT+DEL Screen Hide Lock Computer"
- . "Tweaks System CTRL+ALT+DEL Screen Hide Logoff"
- . "Tweaks System CTRL+ALT+DEL Screen Hide Shutdown Icon"
- . "Tweaks System CTRL+ALT+DEL Screen Hide Switch User"
- . "Tweaks System CTRL+ALT+DEL Screen Hide Task Manager"

- . "Tweaks Taskbar Disable Taskbar Grouping"
- . "Tweaks Taskbar Remove Language Bar"
- "Optimizations EXPERT Net Framework Cleanup": It cleans unneeded files and folders to save many space. EXPERIMENTAL option. It could cause troubles with software depending on Net Framework
- "Optimizations EXPERT WinSXS Cleanup": It completely clean the WinSxS folder to save even more space. EXPERIMENTAL option. It breaks Windows Updates but if you integrate them before installation, there will be problem
- . "WinReducer Update Tool" is available with the newest December 2013 Updates Catalog
- . "WinReducer Update Tool" : Windows Updates are available to download
- . "WinReducer Update Tool": Graphic cards Drivers links are available
- . "WinReducer Update Tool": Motherboard (Chipset) Drivers links are available
- . "WinReducer Update Tool": Motherboard (Storage) Drivers links are available
- . "WinReducer Update Tool": Network (Ethernet) Drivers links are available
- . "WinReducer Update Tool": Network (Wireless) Drivers links are available
- . "WinReducer Update Tool": Sound Card Drivers links are available
- . "WinReducer Update Tool": USB 3.0 Drivers links are available
- . "WinReducer Update Tool": Audio Software links are available
- . "WinReducer Update Tool": Internet Browser Software links are available
- . "WinReducer Update Tool": Text Editor Software links are available
- . "WinReducer Update Tool": Video Software links are available

- . English language file to v0.99.5
- . "WinReducer Updates Tool" : GUI cosmetics improvements
- . "Accessories Accessibility": Improve Remove cleanup
- . New category: "Remove Control Panels" (Take care at your wccf file)
- . New category: "Remove Modern UI Apps" with all name changed (Take care at your wccffile)

- . "Control Panels (Files)": Choosing one of them will remove automatically all according shortcuts
- . "Drivers": Improve many names with "Support -" (Take care at your wccf file)
- . "Help Tips" : GUI cosmetics improvement
- . "Help Tips": Various updates and Improvements
- . "WCCF Presets file": Loading a preset will automatically clean all settings in WinReducer

- . Solved error during WinReducer 1<sup>st</sup> configuration setup
- . Solved error to download WinReducer Update if not connected to internet
- . "Load WCCF preset file": Didn't work properly with "System OEM Prepared Folder" and "System OOBE Configuration"
- . "Customizations Various": Added missing translation string
- . "Unattended Turn Off Computer Sleep": Didn't saved properly under certains circumstances
- . "Unattended Turn Off Display": Didn't saved properly under certains circumstances

## WinReducer 8.1 - v0.99.4 (2013.12.24)

### \* **NEW**

- . "Services App Readiness Service" (Break Modern Ul Apps)
- . "Services Background Intelligent Transfer Service"
- . "Services COM+ Event System Service"
- . "Services COM+ System Application Service"
- . "Services Diagnostic Policy Services"
- . "Services System Event Notification Service"
- . "Services Telephony Service"
- . "Tweaks Internet Explorer Do not Save Encrypt Pages to Disk"

### \* UPDATED

. English language file to v0.99.4 (Thank you KrX!)

- . "Accessories Autoplay" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Appearance Taskbar Size": Remove number 0, so now 1 is for one line (small), 2 for 2 lines, etc ... Take care at your wccf file!
- . "Integration Drivers": Display information progress window
- . "Integration Net Framwork 3.5": Display information progress window
- . "Integration Updates": Display information progress window
- . "Services Smart Card Services" : Improve Remove cleanup

- . "Accessories Action Center": Automatically remove according CPL
- . "Features Windows Mobile PC": Break Net Framework 3.5 integration
- . "Features Windows Search" : Break Net Framework 3.5 integration
- . "Tweaks Explorer Disable Thumbnails": Break thumbnails in ModernUI Apps view
- . "Tweaks Explorer Disable Thumbnails File Icons": Break thumbnails in ModernUI Apps view

### WinReducer 8.1 - v0.99.3 (2013.12.15)

### \* UPDATED

- . English language file to v0.99.3
- . "Languages Slovakia" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . Improve stability during removing
- . "Optimizations Windows WinSXS Cleanup (EXTREME)": Removed because it's not stable enough to be used by normal users

- . "Tweaks Explorer Enable Confirmation Dialog to Apply to all Current Items" : Didn't work properly
- . "Tweaks Explorer Enable File Transfer Dialog with more Details": Didn't work properly
- . "Tweaks Explorer Remove Favorites from Navigation Pane" : Break ModernUI user picture and could break some multimedia software

. "Tweaks - Open and Save Dialog - Remove User Folders Link": Break ModernUI user picture and could break some multimedia software

## WinReducer 8.1 - v0.99.2 (2013.12.13)

### \* NEW

- . "Tweaks Explorer Enable Confirmation Dialog to Apply to all Current Items"
- . "Tweaks Explorer Enable File Transfer Dialog with more Details"
- . "Tweaks Internet Explorer Turn Off Location Sharing"

### \* UPDATED

English language file to v0.99.2

### \* FIXED

- . Mounting process could stop responding under certains rare circumtances
- . Mounting process could stop if you slipstreamed Net Framework 3.5 in your ISO, resulting in an error message and blank tabs
- . "Accessories Natural Languages": Improve Windows Search needed "\*.dll" protection, even if you don't use the "Protect Windows Search" preset
- . "Appearance WinReducer Theme Pack Theme": Display name didn't the good one
- . "Multimedia Photo Viewer" : Break "Open with" for \*.txt files

### WinReducer 8.1 - v0.99.1 (2013.12.11)

### \* NEW

- . "Multimedia Windows Optical Character Recognition (OCR)"
- . "Optimizations Windows WinSXS Cleanup (EXTREME)": only for experienced power users
- . "Optimizations Windows WinSXS Folder Compression": only for experienced power users

### \* UPDATED

. English language file to v0.99.1

- . "WinReducer GUI Themes" download link: Redirected to the website page
- . "Database Information" link : Redirected to the website page
- . "Optimizations": All names have changed to improve readability
- . "Protect ModernUI Apps": Automatically protect all needed components
- . "Protect Windows Search": Automatically protect <u>all</u> needed components
- . "Tweaks Recycle Bin Enable Confirmation Dialog": Rename to "Tweaks Recycle Bin Enable Confirmation Dialog" because in Windows 8.1, it's disabled by default

- . "Remover Tab" : Fix "Select all checked" for Tweaks and Optimizations
- . "Accessories Notepad" : Break text file Explorer preview panel
- . "Accessories Tablet PC (Engine)": Break Snipping Tool and Sticky Notes
- . "Accessories Windows Mail": Break Explorer preview panel
- . "Accessories Natural Languages": Break Windows Search
- . "Languages United Kingdom" : Break Windows Search
- . "Multimedia Photo Viewer": Improve Remove cleanup (completely remove the integrated image viewer)
- . "Optimizations Windows Unneeded Files Cleanup": Break ModernUI Apps
- . "Services Windows Error Reporting Service": Break "System Folders Local Temporary Folder" and "System Folders Windows Temporary Folder"
- . "Themes Lockscreen Pictures": Break ModernUI Apps (like News, Food and Drink, ...)
- . "Themes Sounds": Break some ModernUI Apps (like Photos, ...)
- . "Tweaks Explorer Remove Shortcut Arrow"
- . "Tweaks Explorer Show Hidden Files and Folders": Didn't work properly
- . "Tweaks Explorer Show Hidden System Files" : Didn't work properly
- . WinReducer GUI Themes support : Didn't work properly

### \* NEW

- . WinReducer 8.1 zip package: Include default english language and default GUI Theme in their respective folders (still no external software provided)
- . "Accessories ModernUI Lockscreen Camera"
- . "Accessories ModernUI Media Viewer"
- . "Accessories ModernUI Slide to Shutdown"
- . "Multimedia Windows Media Center"
- . "Network Internet Explorer (Developer Tools)"
- . "Tweaks Desktop Display Windows Build Number"
- . "Tweaks Explorer Enable Preview Pane"
- . "Tweaks Explorer Remove Shortcut Arrow"
- . "Tweaks Explorer Show Hidden Files and Folders"
- . "Tweaks Explorer Show Hidden System Files"
- . "Tweaks Modern UI Enable Apps to Work with UAC Disable"
- . "Tweaks Recycle Bin Disable Confirmation Dialog"
- . "Tweaks System Disable Windows Resource Protection"
- . "Tweaks System Improve Shutdown Speed"
- . "Tweaks System Improve Windows Shell Response"
- . "Tweaks System Disable NTFS Short Filenames Creation"

- . English language file to v0.99
- . "Accessories Sound Recorder": Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Features Windows PowerShell": Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Tweaks" : Name changed to "Tweaks"
- . "Remove Optimizations" : Name changed to "Optimizations"

- . "System Drivers": Improve detection of your Windows Edition. So if you choose to open a folder and hit directly OK button, the good folder path is displayed according to your Windows Edition (x86 or x64)
- . "System Net Framework 3.5": Improve detection of your Windows Edition. So if you choose to open a folder and hit directly OK button, the good folder path is displayed according to your Windows Edition (x86 or x64)
- . "System Net Framework 3.5": Improve the copy of Windows ISO "sources\sxs" folder to the WinReducer "Integrate\Upates\Framework35" by creating dedicated sub-folders according to your Windows Edition (x86 or x64)
- . "System Updates": Improve detection of your Windows Edition. So if you choose to open a folder and hit directly OK button, the good folder path is displayed according to your Windows Edition (x86 or x64)
- . Minor Various Improvements

- . "Tweaks Logon Disable Shutdown Power Menu Icon": Didn't work properly
- . "System User Folders" : Didn't work properly

### WinReducer 8.1 - v0.98 (2013.11.28)

#### \* NEW

- . "Accessories Windows Sidebar"
- . "System Integrate": For Drivers, Net Framework 3.5 and Windows Updates
- . "System User Folders" : Change the path of all your personal folders
- . "System System Folders" : Change the path of all your system folders
- . "System WinReducer Post Installation" : Copy your prepared \$OEM\$ folder
- . "System Integrate Net Framework 3.5": During mounting process, the Windows 8.1 ISO "sources\sxs" folder will be automatically copied to the WinReducer "WORK\INTEGRATE\UPDATES\SXS" folder. So if you want to integrate it in your ISO, just point it to the WinReducer folder "WORK\INTEGRATE\UPDATES\SXS". That's all!
- . Add an incompatibility information message if a Windows 8.1 Upgrade DVD is detected (if iSO contains an "install.esd" file instead of an "install.wim" file)

### \* <u>UPDATED</u>

- . "Known Bugs": Add troubles with "Accessories Windows Mail", "Manage New User"
- . English language file to v0.98
- . Improve ISO Detection Engine: Improve Windows Edition names
- . Improve Mount Engine
- . Improve Unmount Engine
- "Appearance Cursors": Add possibility to manually choose your cursors without renaming them
- . "Remove Accessories Tablet PC (Text Prediction)": Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Accessories Windows Mail": Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Multimedia Speech" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . WinReducer GUI: Improve translation text support

- . "Appearance Modern UI Color (Background)": Color 14 didn't worked properly
- . "Appearance Modern UI Color (Login)": Color 14 didn't worked properly
- . "Features": Disable (not remove) options didn't work properly
- . "Net Framework 3.5": Didn't work properly

### WinReducer 8.1 - v0.97 (2013.11.18)

### \* NEW

- . "Presets Automatic Removing Process": Add a website link, as a dedicated page will be available with WinReducer 8.1 Final (Complete List will be available soon)
- . "Appearance Background Picture Password"
- . "Remove Accessories Control Panel Ease of Access (Files)"
- . "Remove Accessories Help and Support"
- . "Remove Accessories ModernUI VPN Plugins"
- . "Remove Tweaks Desktop Add My PC Shortcut"

- . "Remove Tweaks Desktop Add User Documents Shortcut"
- . "Remove Tweaks Explorer Disable User Tracking"
- . "Remove Optimizations Clean Boot Wim": Activate cleanup for Boot Drivers
- . "Unattended WinSXS DISM Cleanup ResetBase"

### READ IMPORTANT NOTES IN KNOWN BUGS

- . **"Known Bugs"**: Add troubles with "Tweaks Logon Shutdown Menu Icon", "Services Offline Files" and "Services Windows Update" breaks also Windows Store
- . "msvcr120.dll" to lastest version
- . English language file to v0.97
- . "OPEN" window: remove uneeded 2<sup>nd</sup> Open icon
- . "Options Theme" window: change new themes download link to point to the website, as a dedicated page will be available with WinReducer 8.1 Final
- . "Presets Automatic Removing Process": Improve removing engine
- . "Features Work Folders" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Accessories Input Method Editor": Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Accessories ModernUI Reader" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Drivers Network Wireless Intel": Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Drivers Storage Adaptec SAS Controller" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Drivers Storage LSI RAID Controller": Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Languages China (S)" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Languages China (T)": Improve Remove cleanup
- "Remove Languages Czech Republic": Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Languages Denmark": Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Languages Finland" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Languages Germany": Improve Remove cleanup

- . "Remove Languages Greece" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Languages Hungary" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Languages Japan" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Languages Netherlands" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Languages Poland": Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Languages Russia" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Languages Saudi Arabia" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Languages Thailand": Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Languages Turkey": Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Languages United Kingdom": Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Network Remote Assistance": Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Services Application Experience" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Services Offline Files": Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Unattended Serial Number" : Improved support to enable auto-activation during Windows Setup
- . Many GUI appearance improvements

- . Removing process window size reduction : Didn't work properly
- . "Remove Tweaks" : Some helps tips didn't work properly
- . "Appearance Open Files Click" : Didn't work properly
- . "Appearance Taskbar Position" : Didn't work properly
- . "Remove Tweaks Explorer Disable Recently Opened Programs List": Didn't work properly
- . "Remove Tweaks Explorer Explorer Recent Document History (Do Not Save)": Didn't work properly
- . "Remove Optimizations Delete Uneeded Windows ISO Editions" : Didn't work properly
- . "Service Offline Files": Solved the blank desktop icon

- . "Service Telnet Service" : Didn't work properly
- . "Unattended Text Size (DPI)": Didn't work properly in Windows 8.1
- . Solved some WinReducer window focus trouble
- . Progress bar while removing components

## WinReducer 8.1 - v0.96 (2013.11.11)

### \* NEW

- . MANY COMPONENTS NAMES HAVE CHANGED, SO TO ENSURE A BETTER SUPPORT YOU NEED TO CREATE A NEW WCCF FILE WITH THE NEW SETTINGS NAMES!
- . Completely change Remover selection window GUI look and feel
- . "Appearance- Activate Desktop Context Menu"
- . "Appearance Activate Theme Support" (with New Files Replacer and New Modern UI options)
- . "Appearance Activate Various Customizations"
- . "Remove Accessories Automatic Maintenance"
- . "Remove Optimizations Clean Boot Wim"
- . "Remove Optimizations Delete Uneeded Boot ISO Editions"
- . "Remove Optimizations Delete Uneeded Windows ISO Editions"
- . "Remove Tweaks Logon Disable Shutdown Power Menu Icon"
- . "Unattended Power Schemes"
- . "Unattended Turn Off Computer Sleep"
- . "Unattended Turn Off Display"
- . "Unattended WinSXS DISM Cleanup"
- . Add all missing "Remove Themes" and "Tweaks" Help tips

### \* <u>UPDATED</u>

- . English language file to v0.96
- . ReadMe file to v0.96

- . "Tweaks Control Panel Use Large Icons": Changed to "Appearance Various Control Panel View": Add more configuration options
- . "Tweaks System Show Desktop Background on Start Screen" : Changed to "Appearance Activate Theme Support Modern UI" : Add more configuration options
- . "Remove Drivers Network Wireless Broadcom": Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Network Smart Screen": Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Services Sensor Service" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . Change all MetroUI names to ModernUI names
- . "WinReducer 8.1 Theme": Important size reduction
- . "Unattended Username and Computer Name": Error message displayed if you try to use the same name

- . "Unattended Protect your PC": Translation missing
- . "Save in a wccf presets file": Hang if another file with the same name exists
- . "WinReducer 8.1 Theme": Improve support to avoid bugs while changing to another one

### WinReducer 8.1 - v0.95 (2013.11.01)

### \* NEW

- . "Accessories Control Panel": Add many components to also remove according Control Panels files
- . "Remove Drivers Hyper-V Controller"
- . "Remove Drivers Network Wireless Atheros"
- . "Remove Drivers Printer NEC"
- . "Services " : 48 services have been added with individual configuration (enable, disable, remove, ...)
- . "Presets Automatic Removing Process" : Automatically selects all dependent components of those you have chosen to improve ISO reducing
- . "Presets Protect MetroUI Apps"

- . "Help Tips": many new help tips have been added using the wonderful work of seiferflo, Almost all components have an help tips except Drivers, Fonts, Keyboards and Languages
- . Changelog file added in the zip package

- . "Features Work Folders" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Features XPS Viewer and Printer" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Accessories Input Method Editor" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Languages" : Improve Remove cleanup
- . "Remove Drivers": "Printers" & "Scanners" sorted by name
- . "Remove Keyboards" : All names have been changed
- . "Remove Languages" : All names have been changed
- . "Remove Multimedia": "Codec WMA and WMV" names have been changed
- . "Remove Themes Sounds" : Improve Remove cleanup (Also remove default scheme)
- . English language file to v0.95
- . Many GUI improvements
- . Code cleanup

- . "Remove Accessories Accessibility": break Net Framework 3.5 installation
- . Progress bar while removing components