Revision Notes for Tradex

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NOTE: If you're upgrading from a previous version, you will probably have to trash the Tradex Preferences file in the System Folder, or you will get a message stating that "Tradex is corrupted."

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Original version

1.0.1   10 January 1994

- Better identification of Macintosh model and colour capabilities.
- Import and export (Save, Load and Merge) of tab-separated files with proper dates to enable import/export of Excel data files.
- Recalculation of min/max values on closing of data update window.

1.0.2   28 April 1994

- Colour icons.
- Minor changes to be compatible with the Recoder application.

1.0.3   16 May 1994

- Removed various "features" that were potentially causing problems on some Macs. These features were internal and do not affect the application as far as the user is concerned.
- Tradex now stores the preferences file in the Preferences folder under System 7. For some reason this seemed to
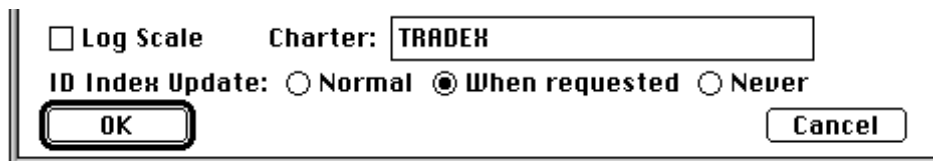
worry and/or confuse a number of users.

1.0.4   21 June 1994

- Some internal changes to try and alleviate user-experienced bugs. Still problems with System 7 file management. Unfortunately the solution is a **major** fix, which I can't do right now!

- Bug with printing data window (only one page would print) fixed.

1.0.5   6 July 1994

- By popular demand, the Preferences dialog (**Preferences...** in the **File** menu) now has an option to suppress ID Index updates. The options appear at the bottom of the dialog:

The **Normal** option behaves as in previous versions (i.e. changes to files or a new day will cause an update. The **When Requested** option will only do an update if the **Update ID Index** item in the **History** menu is checked. The **Never**

option will suppress all attempts to update the index. If no ID Index file exists, Tradex will rebuild it regardless of which option is selected.

Note: If you create new history files, update their parameters (especially the ID#), or mess around with the history file folders in the Finder, you could run into problems if you have the **When Requested** or **Never** options selected. You have been warned!

- Cancelling the **Load Data** or **Merge Data** operations no longer cause a bomb.

1.0.6   3 August 1994

- Some internal changes to try and alleviate user-experienced bugs.

- Trivial cosmetic changes.

1.0.7   11 August 1994

- Changed to enable CR, LF or CR/LF at end of lines in update files. This should not affect most users, unless they're constructing their own update files.

- Removed the bug that causes Tradex to die or hang up when run the second time on a new computer without an ID# Index file having been created the first time. This is probably the cause of a lot of problems that first-time users have experienced. Unfortunately it only showed up when debugging was off, so I had problems tracking it down before. If Tradex didn't work on one of your Macs before, try it again - you might just be lucky!

1.0.8   12 August 1994

- Fixed the volume selector problem. You should now be able to select the volume for thumbnails, portfolio updates,

etc. (if you have more than one volume mounted)

- The thumbnails problem where the entire stock was not being displayed, even though *All* was selected in Preferences has now been fixed.

1.0.9   27 August 1994

- A bug was fixed that prevented Tradex running on Macs without Color QuickDraw (caused an "unimplemented trap" error). Such older machines include Mac Plus, Mac SE, etc.