READ THIS BEFORE INSTALLING DRCS

Release Notes for DRCS Version 1.8.5 DEMO for NEXTSTEP

Installing the DRCS Version 1.8.5 DEMO

The DRCS Version 1.8.5 DEMO is distributed here on a CD-ROM. **NOTE THAT YOU MUST COPY THE DRCS APPLICATION TO YOUR HARD DISK BEFORE RUNNING IT.** The CD_ROM contains the application itself in Apps; the on-line manual and quick start guide for DRCS in Documentation; and a sample project archive that allows you to see advanced features of DRCS on a mature archive immediately in Samples. If you plan to modify the sample archive by checking in or out files, you must copy it to your hard disk first.

Known Limitations In This Release

Retrieving Early Revisions of Renamed Databases

Access to a renamed revision control database is limited in the following ways:

- · Revisions prior to the revision created during the rename cannot be checked out with a lock.
- If the renamed database is in a directory database, revisions of that directory database prior to the revision created during the rename cannot be checked out.

These restrictions apply ONLY to revisions prior to the revision created during the renamed operation. The next release of the production version of DRCS will allow check-outs of directory revisions containing renamed files. Later releases will allow greater flexibility for working with renamed databases.

DRCS Viewer Glitches

Some of our users have experienced intermittent bugs in the DRCS Viewers. These bugs should rarely, if ever, occur. If you drop a file onto the shelf but its icon disappears, leaving only the file name, drag the "invisible" icon off the shelf and try again.

Additional Release Notes

License upgrade policy

Licensees of DRCS Version 1.8.5 for NEXTSTEP who wish to upgrade their licenses to add additional users need only pay the difference between the current list prices for their class of license and the class of license they desire. This allows DRCS customers to take advantage of SS&S's volume discounts, even if they purchase their licenses over time. Below is the SS&S volume discount schedule for DRCS:

licenses at a sitediscount off single license price

10.0% off
16.0% off
21.0% off
25.0% off
28.5% off
29.5% off
30.0% off

Availability of new releases

Licensees of DRCS Version 1.8.5 for NEXTSTEP are can request updates to DRCS through all versions less than 2.0 directly from SS&S for no additional fee, other than floppy disk charges and our shipping and handling charge for the package. When DRCS Version 2.0 is announced, a version upgrade policy for licensees of DRCS Version 1.8.5 will be announced.

Reporting bugs

DRCS is a constantly evolving product, and we at SS&S are committed to making it better in each release. Please help us to do so by reporting any bugs with DRCS or shortcomings you find in it to us.

Report bugs via email to DRCS_bugs@sss.com or via FAX to (203) 630-2020.

Include as much information as possible, especially information which will allow us to reproduce the bug. Use the following form if possible:

DRCS Bug Report

DRCS Version #: version **Platform:** platform

of DRCS Users: users

Short description of the bug:

bug.

Bug Report: Include as much information as possible regarding the nature of the bug, the circumstances under which you discovered the bug, and the frequency with which the bug occurs. If possible, include steps that can be used to reproduce the bug.

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