PC NOTES TAKER

Software Version 1.8

Release Notes

System Requirements:

- o For USB units: Windows 98/ME//2000/XP
- o For Serial units: Windows 98/ME/NT4(Service Pack 6)/2000/XP
- o 15MB available hard disk space
- o Minimum 32MB RAM
- o Depending on your version – either an RS232 or USB port
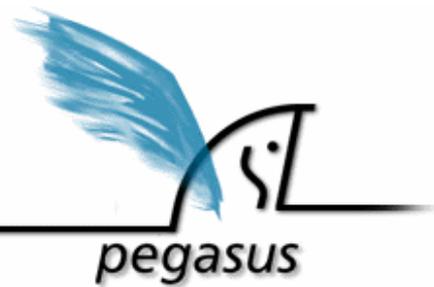- o Microsoft Internet Explorer 4.0 or higher

Note:

As Microsoft Windows 95 was already discontinued by Microsoft, as of PC Notes Taker software version 1.7 there will be no support for Windows 95.
http://www.microsoft.com/windows/lifecycleconsumer.asp

New Features:

- Enhanced ink writing quality
  - o Anti Aliasing
  - o Increased On-Screen Dots density
- OLE2 support: directly write into MS-Outlook, MS-Word and any OLE2 supported application.(In MS-Office: Version 2000 or newer)
- ICQ support: Send your notes as JPEG files via ICQ
- Configurable Virtual buttons
- Alarm Snoozing
- Enhanced graphic interface
- Full support in 3 screen resolutions:
  - o 640*480
  - o 800*600
  - o 1024*768
- A4 and memo sizes note graphics
- USB full hot insertion (Auto-detect) support
- Sticky notes
- Note auto saving
- Notes auto-recovery
- Enhanced note reminder function
- Ink color and Ink width changes in real time note
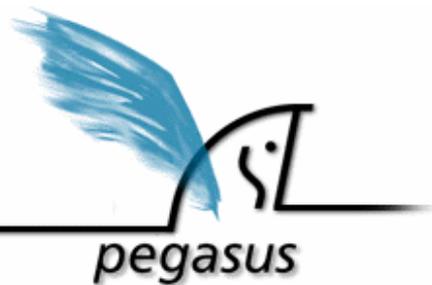- Enhanced support in exporting to JPEG format

- Enhanced low battery alarm
- Enhanced Notes Properties

Bug fixes:

- Hardware Detection issues
- Notes Deletion Database issue
- Screen Resolution Issues
- Windows XP User Switching issues
- Windows 98 Screen Saver Issue
- Minor Dialog Strings changes
- Windows 98 Driver installation
- Notes Manager Bugs
- Notes Editor Bugs
- Note Received by LAN Bugs

Known Bugs:

- Captured Strokes might be unclear when writing during playing music or coping files using the CD-Rom drive
- In Windows 98 and Windows ME, if the 'Ink Smoothing' value is set to 'None', and your color configuration is 32bit, you might experience a delay in strokes display on screen
  How to resolve this bug: If you are using 32bit colors, make sure the 'Ink Smoothing' value is set to 'High'
- When writing an email using the 'PCNT New Mail' button in MS-Outlook, and there are many recipients in the 'To', 'CC' or 'BCC' fields you will not see all of the addresses written
  How to resolve this bug: Use right and Left arrows to view all recipients
- Displaying both 'Print Setup' and 'Print Preview' dialogs in the same time, causes the application to freeze
  - Open a 'Sticky Note' and the 'Notes Manager' together
  - Open the 'Print Setup' dialog in the 'Notes Manager'
  - Open the 'Print Preview' by right clicking the 'Sticky Note'
    How to resolve this bug: Avoid opening both dialogs in the same time
- Drawing a note while the 'Print Preview' dialog is opened in the 'Notes Manager', and being in View mode might cause the application to crash.
  - Open the 'Notes Manager'
  - Double click a note (You are now in view mode)
  - Start a new note, by drawing with the Pen
  - Go back to the 'Notes Manager' and choose 'Print Preview'
  - Continue drawing on the note
  - Save the note.
- Received Note by network and a Reminder issue:
  This is a very rare scenario. If you set a reminder to a received note, try to

close the received note and exit the application, the application might crash, and might damage the Notes database

- o Set a reminder to a received note (Via Network)
- o Right click it and choose close. Answer 'Yes' to the first dialog
- o Answer 'No' to the second dialog

Known Issues:

- To get best performance for Ink quality, Installing Service Release 1 and up is recommended for MS-Office 2000
- Object Editing in Office XP-SR2 and Symantec Norton Anti Virus.
  - o In case Office XP with Service Release2 and Symantec Norton Anti Virus are installed on your system, you can not edit an object in MS-Office applications
  - o This phenomenon occurs when the 'Office Plug-In' of your Anti Virus application is enabled
  - o To Disable/Enable the Office Plug-In feature:
    - Open your Symantec Norton Anti Virus
    - Choose 'Options'
    - Choose 'Miscellaneous'
    - Uncheck/Check the 'Office Plug-In' option
  - o This phenomenon was discovered in Symantec Norton Anti Virus versions '2002' and '2003'
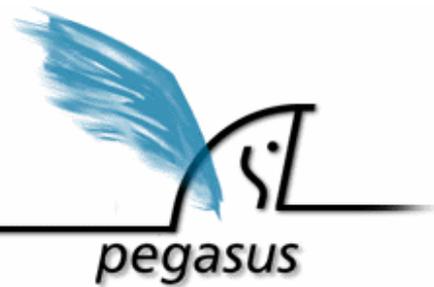
How to back up your notes:

Your notes are saved as **.notes** files
These files are located in '**My Notes**' directory
This directory is located in your '**My Documents**' directory

In order to back up your notes files, please follow these steps:

- o Make sure the PC Notes Taker application is not running
- o Open '**My Documents**' directory
- o Open '**My Notes**' directory
- o Copy all files to your backup directory

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Installation:

First time installation:

This procedure describes installation of downloaded file from Pegasus web site.
For CD Installation, please refer to the Quick Reference Guide in the Product package.

- o Download Version 1.8 Zip file
- o Extract the files to a temporary directory
- o Run the file '**setup.exe**'
- o Follow the installation instructions

Upgrade:

If you already have a previous software version 1.6 (Build 17) or version 1.7 (Build 17) of PC Notes Taker installed, this version will upgrade it.
Upgrade procedure will not harm any of your existing notes.
If you need to back up your notes, please see the 'How to back up my notes' section.

To upgrade from software version 1.6 (Build 17) or version 1.7 (Build 17) to version 1.8, follow these steps:

- o Download Version 1.8 Zip file
- o Extract the files to a temporary directory
- o Make sure the PC Notes Taker application is not running
- o Run the file '**setup.exe**'
- o Follow the installation instructions

USB Drivers for Windows 98:
- o When installing a USB PC Notes Taker base unit in Windows 98, USB drivers are required
- o These drivers can be found in the installation CD (Or in the zip file, for downloaded version)and in the original installation CD of Microsoft Windows 98
- o These drivers can also be found in Pegasus website, under the Technical Support page