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#AS171 - New Features of AcqKnowledge 3.5

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PROGRAM	Acq <i>Knowledge</i> 3.5 is a 32-bit application. Acq <i>Knowledge</i> 3.5 will not run under Windows 3.1, but Acq <i>Knowledge</i> 3.26 is still available for Windows 3.1. The program uses a new installation procedure.
Menu Options	
Customization feature	Menu customization available using the menu.dsc file to turn menu items on and off.
Help menu	There is no on-line Help for AcqKnowledge 3.5.
About menu	When this is selected, the About Acq <i>Knowledge</i> screen is generated. This screen now contains more system information that might be useful for Tech Support.
File menu	
Keyboard shortcuts added	Ctrl-O Open Ctrl-N New Ctrl-S Save Ctrl-T Print Ctrl-Q Exit
Open multiple files feature	Select designated files by using Ctrl-click or a range of files by selecting with Shift-click. The Open command will open all of the files selected and will tile the display.
Transform menu	
Digital filters	Now includes IIR option IIR options: Low Pass, High Pass, Band Pass (low+high), Band Pass and Band Stop
Template functions	Now includes Inverse Mean square error option.
Integrate	New option for transformation functions (also a calculation channel option). The Integrate setup box is divided into two sections, each with appropriate options: Average over samples Reset via channel
Difference	Calculation is now based on Intervals between samples rather than sample points.
Resample	Minimum rate 0.0333 added to dialog.
Math > Threshold	The Threshold has been changed from (-1:+1) to (0:+1)

Smoothing	Includes options for Mean value smoothing Use median value
Find peak	Now includes options for User-defined interval (for data reduction) Off-line averaging
Display menu	
Reset chart display	New to menu; option is also (somewhat hidden) in the "Size window" dialog.
Preferences	Now includes <u>Update Screen Interval options of quarter</u> , half or full page. USI is a right mouse shortcut option on the PC when you click in the horizontal scale.
Show > Measurements	New options added for: Max T Min T Median Median T Correlation Calculate
Grid option	If you press the "Ctrl" key and select the Grid icon from the toolbar, a more precise grid display is activated.
MP100 menu	
Setup Channels > Analog	
Scaling	The Change Scaling Parameters box now includes an "Option" section with: Calibrate ALL channels at the same time Use mean value When "Use mean value" is selected, a "Settings" button is available, which leads to an entry for the number of samples.
Setup Channels > Calculation	
Integrate	The Integrate calculation box is now divided into two sections, each with appropriate options Average over samples Reset via channel
Difference	Calculation is now based on Intervals between samples rather than sample points.
Smoothing	New option Includes "Use median value" option
Rate	Now has a "Show" section with options for Threshold Modified
Control	The output signal range has changed from (0:+5) to (0:+1)

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Configuration	No longer an option.

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