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Release Notes Guided Work Solutions VoiceLink Plug-In 1.0

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These release notes cover the 1.0 release of the Guided Work Solutions (GWS) VoiceLink Plug-In.

New Features in this Release

Selection Process

This release focuses on implementing the Selection process, supporting several different types of picking, such as:

- Picking multiple assignments at once (Batch picking)
- · Picking assignments using case label check digits
- · Picking to containers

Please refer to the VoiceLink Selection Product Description document to get more information about this process.

Project Templates for Customizations

New .NET templates are provided for developers to start working on new customization projects. By installing the templates using the 'dotnet new install' command line new templates are both available from the dotnet cli and from Visual Studio 2022. Please refer to the *Guided Work Solutions VoiceLink Plug-In Developer Guide* for more information about installation and usage.

Behavior Changes and Limitations

This new implementation contains some behavior changes and minor limitations compared with the existing VoiceArtisan implementation.

Lot Capture

After the user provides lot number for partial quantity, user is redirected to provide next lot number instead of pick prompt. The user can trigger 'Quantity' command to find out the remaining quantity.

Repick Skips

Asking to repick skips is not allowed after location and pick quantity confirmed. Whenever a user confirms picking any quantity from current location, the user must end pick cycle (lot capture, put process, weight or serial capture) before going to another location.

Pass Assignment

Asking to pass the assignment is not allowed after location and pick quantity confirmed. Whenever a user confirms picking any quantity from current location, the user must end pick cycle (lot capture, put process, weight or serial capture) before going to another location.

Redirection System Limitations

When executing consecutive redirections between states, if a voice command is triggered that performs Module redirection it will return to last executed state of previous Module. This may cause data inconsistency or application failure.

To avoid this, a limitation is introduced in the Redirection system that throws an exception if any Step that requires user input is added to the *NextSteps* collection, for example:

- Message
- StringValue
- IntegerValue
- FloatValue
- Date
- Ask

A workaround is to use *SetNextState* to set the next state instead of redirecting to that State. When redirecting to the previous module, please create a new State that just performs that redirection and configure it as the next state.

NOTE

Using 'SetNextState' is required only when redirecting to non-consecutive states. Consecutive states are executed in order by default.

Short Product

'Short product' command can only be used to short with quantity 0.

A workaround is to activate 'Partial' command to pick available quantity and then activate 'Short product' to short the remaining quantity.

NOTE

When working with batched assignments 'Partial' command is only available at put prompt.

New Container

After a partial put is performed, the new container is not opened automatically.

A workaround is to activate 'New Container' command after performing a partial put, when asked to put remaining quantity.

Host Server Response with Default Values

When the host server returns a default response as empty response, a single instance with partially empty properties is added to the response array. This causes default '.Any()' check to fail detecting an empty response. A workaround is to add additional conditions to host server response check to ensure that required fields are filled properly.

Components in this Release

GWS VoiceLink Plug-In 1.0

The Guided Work Solutions (GWS) VoiceLink Plug-In contains a customizable VoiceLink workflow developed for running on top of the GWS Connector. It allows integration with VoiceLink Host systems by using different transport.

Supported Environments

Environment	Description
GWS Service	2.2 and later
GWSApp	3.5 and later
Execution models	EmbeddedService
DevicesandVoiceSoftware	All devices supported by Honeywell DevKit

Environment	Description
Languages	• English (U.S.)
	• German
	• French
	French (Canada)
	• Spanish
	Spanish (Mexico)
	 Portuguese
	 Portuguese (Brazil)
	• Dutch

Deliverable Contents

This version includes the following contents:

Documentation

- Guided Work Solutions VoiceLink Plug-In Product Description: This document describes the basic functions of the VoiceLink Plug-In.
- Guided Work Solutions VoiceLink Plug-In Developer Guide: This document contains the installation and development instructions to use and customize VoiceLink Plug-In.

Components

- GWS VoiceLink Plug-In: The software distribution contains the VoiceLink Plug-In files and the required resource files.
 - Honeywell.GWS.Connector.VoiceLink.1.0.0.nupkg
 - Honeywell.GWS.Connector.VoiceLink.VoiceLinkModules.1.0.0.nupkg
 - Honeywell.GWS.Connector.VoiceLink.Shared.1.0.0.nupkg
 - · Localization resources for dialog translations
 - GWExternalResources for additional vocabulary configuration

In addition to previously mentioned files, the following packages will be required for VoiceLink Plugin development:

- Honeywell.GWS.Connector.VoiceSteps v1.4.5 or higher
- Honeywell.GWS.Connector.Insights v1.1.0 or higher
- Honeywell.GWS.ConnectorInsights.Core v1.1.0 or higher
- Honeywell.GWS.Connector.SDK v2.3.5 or higher
- Honeywell.VIO.SDK 3.3.3 or higher
- Honeywell.GuidedWork.AppBase.Abstractions v1.15.3 or higher

Please refer to the *Guided Work Solutions VoiceLink Plug-In Developer Guide* document for further information about installation and configuration.

General Considerations and Limitations

Issues Reported with this Release

Issue Description	Issue ID
Get Pick LUT Location ID	
In the plug-in the Get Picks Location ID field is set as numeric rather than string.	VGWSC-4984
ODR and LUT Ports	
The plug-in does not provide the option to set different ports for ODR and LUT as VoiceArtisan does.	VGWSC-4983
Blank Line After LUT	
The plug-in does not provide the option to send a blank line after every LUT as VoiceArtisan does.	VGWSC-4982
Confirmation Prompt After Close Container	
When multiple open containers are allowed, and the user says 'Close Container' the system responds with 'Close container, correct?'. The container should be closed without this prompt occurring.	VGWSC-4313
Ready Prompt After Invalid Container ID	
When multiple open containers are allowed, and the user says 'Close Container' and is prompted for Container ID and an invalid ID is spoken, the system responds ' <id> invalid, try again' then waits for the user to respond with 'ready' instead of re-prompting for the container ID.</id>	VGWSC-4312

Issue Description	Issue ID
Repick Skips Not Allowed If a user says 'Repick Skips' after the Put prompt, the system says 'Repick skips not allowed' even though it is allowed in the region.	VGWSC-4230

Extra Prompt in Shorting Dialog

When no quantity verification is implemented for Single Prompt, a confirmation 'Short product, correct' message is played that is not present when using a VoiceArtisan app.

VGWSC-4198

Reprint Labels Confirmation

In a region with print labels set to do not print, when an operator speaks 'Reprint labels' the system responds 'Reprint labels, correct' rather than 'Reprint labels not allowed'.

VGWSC-4194

Assignment Not Passed

When an assignment is began and at least one item is skipped, when the user says 'Pass Assignment' and confirms, the system directs the operator back to the skipped items. Instead of only directing the user to pick the skipped items the system only passes the assignment when all remaining items are picked, including the ones that were not skipped.

VGWSC-4185

A700x Does Not Power Down

When using this plug-in with the GWS App, the A700x goes into sleep mode after five minutes as it should. However neither the A700x or the connected SRX3 headset powers off. With a VoiceArtisan app, the A700x would power down after thirty minutes.

VGWSC-4179

Incorrect Parameter

The sample config file provided with the plug-in has this parameter listed within ConnectorRest, ConnectorTcp, ConnectorDemo elements:

<add name="VoiceLink:Timeout" value="20" />

VGWSC-4177

But is should be VoiceLink:RequestTimeout:

<add name="VoiceLink:RequestTimeout" value="20" />

Issue Description	Issue ID
Extra Commands	
Compared to VoiceArtisan, there are additional commands at a 'Pick in reverse order?' prompt when 'Talkman Help' is spoken. 'Yes', 'No', and 'Say Again' are the only valid options, but the Plug-In adds 'Change Region' and 'Change Function' and those commands are not useable.	VGWSC-4168
Pass Assignment Not Blocked	
When partial is used to pick less than the prompted units the plug-in prompted for the remaining units, but allowed the user to speak 'pass assignment'. This action should be blocked, but instead updates the partial status to shorted on the host.	VGWSC-4164
Repick Skips Missing Location Directions	
When using Repick Skips command, the expected location directions to get back to the skipped slot are not always being spoken.	VGWSC-4151
'Review Cluster' Command	
The VoiceArtisan app confirms the 'Review Cluster' command before execution. The plug-in does not confirm.	VGWSC-4149
'Review Complete' Command	
The VoiceArtisan app speaks 'Review Complete' before returning to the workflow. The plug-in does not.	VGWSC-4146
Wrong Container ID Spoken	
The VoiceArtisan app responds to the 'Review Contents command with:	
'Review contents for container <spoken container="" verification="">?'.</spoken>	VGWSC-4145
The plug-in responds with:	VGW3C-4143
'Review contents for container <internal database="" id="">?'.</internal>	
This ID is not known to the user.	
Pre-Create Containers Prompt	
The plug-in should prompt 'Number of label for ID <assignment number="">?' when</assignment>	VGWSC-4133

the operator is getting container information. The plug-in instead omits this

prompt and only opens one container at the start of the assignment.

Issue Description Issue ID

Blocked From Completing Pick

When batching is used with no container tracking, the VoiceArtisan app speaks multiple pick lines at the same location and includes the assignment number with the location and pick prompts, for example placing pick 1 on one side of a pallet and pick 2 on the other side. The plug-in speaks the assignment number with the location and pick prompts but gives the summed quantity instead of the individual quantities and the plug-in uses the 'put *'quantity'* in *'position'* prompt but since there are no containers the user cannot provide a valid response.

VGWSC-4114

Multiple Matching Word IDs

On A700x when a spoken partial Word ID has multiple matches the user must first speak 'Options' to hear the Work ID items and after responding 'yes' to one must confirm the selection. The options and confirmation prompts are not used on Android.

VGWSC-4079

Batch Work Allows Store and Route Number

The plug-in allows the user to ask 'store number' or 'route number' while performing a batch assignment. The plug-in should respond '*command*' not available' but instead responds values provided in the batch of work.

VGWSC-4058

Totals Incorrect After Partial Pick

After a partial pick requesting 'how much more' the plug-in responds incorrectly:

VGWSC-4057

- Total quantity excludes the remnant for the partial pick.
- Total lines excludes the partial line.

Missing Localization Entry Causes Sign Off

When a custom voice command ios added to the plug-in without a corresponding entry in the resx file, there is a missing localization error displayed on the screen. After the error, sign off. The sign off is not being confirmed and is not written in the log.

VGWSC-4034

Error Handling

The plug-in may not provide meaningful error messages and it may be necessary to review the logs to determine the error. An example would be failing to push a requires resource file to the device.

VGWSC-4031

Issue Description Issue ID

Error When Parsing Assignments with Commas

Parsing custom Assignment summary received on 'GetAssignment' request that has commas (i.e "Work ID 10119703,,,,Say Ready ") results in application failure. VAffects Embedded and Service; A700x and Android

VGWSC-4021

Workaround: Do not use commas in custom prompts.

Lag In Log Transmissions

Lag in device log transmissions from A700x to VoiceConsole. Affects Embedded and Service; A700x.

VGWSC-4007

Available Commands

Extra commands available when not required. Affects Embedded and Service; A700x and Android.

VGWSC-4000 VGWSC-4001

Partial Quantity Not Prompting Remaining Quantity

After the user provides the lot number for partial quantity, the user is asked for the next lot number instead of going back to pick prompt. Affects Embedded and Service; A700x and Android.

VGWSC-3970

Workaround: Use 'Quantity' command to get the remaining quantity for lot capture.

User Not Sent Back for Skips and Shorts

Skipping a pick in Skips and Shorts pass that was shorted in Normal or Base pass marks the pick as shorted in host server and is never asked to be repicked again. Affects Embedded and Service; A700x and Android.

VGWSC-3968

Invalid Lot Number

When an invalid lot number is repeated the plug-in is not reporting an automatic short with zero picked.

VGWSC-3962

Pick Not Shorted

Pick is not shorted automatically after 3 failed lot capture attempts with same invalid lot number. Affects Embedded and Service: A700x and Android.

VGWSC-3962

Issue Description	Issue ID
Partial Pick Incorrectly Indicated Rejecting 'Partial' sends a 'Picked' request with quantity of 0 to host server. After that the user is asked for all remaining quantity and can still perform	VGWSC-3955
complete pick. Affects Embedded and Service; A700x and Android.Zero QuantityPicking quantity of 0 is not prevented at single pick prompt, when partial pick is	VGWSC-3952
performed. Affects Embedded and Service; A700x and Android. All Items Recorded to Same Container	
New container flow is not executed automatically after partial put is performed. Affects Embedded and Service; A700x and Android. Workaround: When returned to the prompt where partial was requested, the	VGWSC-3951
operator can manually speak 'new container' to initiate the dialog. More Than Two Decimals Allowed Weight entry allows more than two decimals. Affects Embedded and Service;	VGWSC-3947
A700x and Android. Assignment ID Spoken as Natural Number	V0V00 0044
Large numbers are spoken as natural numbers instead of digits. Affects Embedded and Service; Android. Password Accepts Letters	VGWSC-3941
An alpha-numeric password is expected, which may degrade recognizer performance and lead to invalid data being sent to host server. Affects Embedded and Service; A700x and Android.	VGWSC-3940
Break Not Allowed When no break types configured, 'Take A Break' command prompts user with	VGWSC-3938
"Breaks not allowed, to continue say ready" message but does not wait for confirmation before return. Affects Embedded and Service; A700x and Android.	
GWS App Loses Connection to Service When connecting Honeywell GWS Service, the next connection attempt loops indefinitely instead of getting timeout. Affects Service; A700x and Android.	VGWSC-3932

Issue Description	Issue ID	
Do Not Print	VGWSC-3927	
The profile specifies Do Not Print, but there are prompts from the print routine.	VUVV3C-3321	
Keys Not Displayed Per Selection Order		
When a user selects menu items in a specific order, the corresponding keys for those values may not be displayed in the same order.	VGWSC-3497	
Region Numbers Not Recognized		
Four digit region numbers may be truncated to three digits.	VGWSC-1217	
Workaround : Speak 'Options' and use yes or no responses to select the desired option, or speak the region name (if using Pick Up & Go recognizer) .	141100 1111	
TLS 1.3 Not Supported		
When the VoiceLink Tomcat connector is configured to allow only TLS 1.3, the REST connector service does not successfully connect when ran in service mode.	VGWSC- 4379	

Getting Help

Additional Documentation

Additional documentation may be found in your product package and on online partner portals.

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