

User Defined Scripts

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Along with the latest release of MAS90/200 comes enhanced User Defined Scripting capabilities. User Defined Scripts are employed by developers to custom tailor your MAS product with the use of the BOI which gives them access to native program. This allows them to add onto the existing program without making internal changes to programs actual code. In effect, the result is a highly customized program without the cost and wait time of traditional program modifications; previously referred to as extended solutions and master developer enhancements.

In the past MAS90/200 users had two options when it came to customizing their product. The first was to have a master developer change the source code of the program itself to suit their needs. The second was to have a developer deploy script-based changes to certain parts of the program. Master developer enhancements were inherently better because they were so tightly integrated with the program; because of this the user often did not even notice that the enhancement was there due to its seamless integration. However, the specialized skill set and training of the master developer along with the internal changes to the program almost always resulted in that type of customization being significantly more expensive than the alternative. Scripting enhancements although less expensive were often times a little "clunky" due to the fact that they were not integrated into the program itself but rather added on to the existing program and executed with the use of an additional trigger, most commonly an extra button on the screen.

The scripting abilities provided with User Defined Scripting of version 4.40 have solved this problem. By providing a higher level of integrative capability through access of the BOI and the ability of being tied to an existing program events, the new User Defined Scripts are more smooth and efficient than ever before. The tool now allows skilled developers to develop integrated customizations for your MAS product without interfering with the native code and perpetuating the high cost of a master developer. The bottom line being that you no longer have to compromise quality for cost.

So, with this in mind, please contact us with any ideas that you might have for customizing your MAS product today or in the future. We will be happy to speak with you regarding the project free of charge! Also, we have developed a number of enhancements for clients already so you may also call us for a free demo of some of the things we have already achieved using this new and improved tool from Sage.