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# Professional Upgrade von 3.x auf 3.7 oder 3.8

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# 1 INTRODUCTION

This document explains how to upgrade an ARCWAY Cockpit installation from version 3.x to 3.7 (3.8). Due to changes to internal data structures you will besides reinstalling the software also need to migrate the data.

This document is composed of two parts. The first part contains an overview of the upgrade procedure and the third part explains the upgrade procedure in detail.

# 2 UPGRADE PROCEDURE – OVERVIEW

This part lists the necessary steps for a successful upgrade. Each step is explained in detail in the subsequent part.

**1. Dumping the Data** – For a data migration it is required to archive all data. This archive is necessary to restore all data after the upgrade to the new installation.

**2. Uninstalling the Existing Software** – you may want to uninstall the old Cockpit version before starting with the installation of the new version. This step is optional and can be performed later as well.

**3. Installation of the new Software**

**4. Restoring the Data** – the data saved before has to be restored to the new system after the installation. All existing data are converted automatically to the new data structures during this step.

# 3 UPGRADE PROCEDURE – DETAILED

This part explains the upgrade procedure in detail. Where possible, we will give recommendations or mention alternatives.

## 3.1 Dumping the Data

To reuse your projects in ARCWAY Cockpit 3.7 (3.8), save them to your hard disk and remember the location. You can save a project by selecting it in the project navigator and using the **Project » Save project to file...** entry in the main menu.

## 3.2 Installing the new Software

The installation of the new Cockpit follows the same procedure as described in the "Client Installation" manual. Please consider this manual if you need help on installing the software.

One of the installation steps aims at installing your license key. Use your new license file to activate ARCWAY Cockpit 3.7 (3.8). Please note that old license keys are not valid anymore in ARCWAY Cockpit 3.7 (3.8) and can be reissued for the new version, if you are eligible for an upgrade.

## 3.3 Restoring the Data

Now you can restore the data of the old installation.

Therefore, start a new Cockpit. Select the menu entry File **File » Open Project File…** from the main menu. Now choose the project that you want to restore from the file system. Perform this step for each project you want to restore.

> *The restore may take several minutes to complete. During this process the software appears to be blocking and there is no progress indicator.*

Do NOT abort!

In the further development of ARCWAY Cockpit we pay attention to simplicity. Since the introduction of process diagrams in version 3.0, there has been a particularly simple, appropriate and integrated way to describe processes and workflows. The obsolete use case module was still included in versions 3.1 and 3.2 for reasons of backward compatibility. This module is also still available for version 3.7 (3.8). However, we have removed the use case module from the standard since version 3.3. If you restore projects in which this module was used, you will get the following message:

Projektdaten wurden geladen

This message states that a particular module (the use case module in this case) is currently not installed. You should do the following if you receive this message: Examine the contents of the concerned project using the old version of ARCWAY Cockpit and decide if the concerned data is still relevant for further use. If so, please consider modelling these parts of the old project using current cockpit features such as process diagrams.

In the sense of efficient development of ARCWAY Cockpit it is a relief for us to take outdated modules out of the standard. Please contact us if you want to keep using the missing module and we will ship it to you promptly.

*If you want to keep using a particular module in version 3.7 (3.8) you will need to install this module before importing projects that contain data records maintained by this module. So please delete the newly imported projects that caused the above problem dialog to appear and stick to the old version of ARCWAY Cockpit for working with these projects until you have completed the installation of the missing module in the new version of ARCWAY Cockpit.*

## 3.4 Uninstalling the Existing Software

Now, that all data has been save you can uninstall the old version. This step is optional and may also be performed after installing the new version. If you are uncertain which version to use in future or whether all your projects have been saved correctly, undertake these steps later.

To uninstall the versions click **Start » Programs » ARCWAY Cockpit » Uninstall**.

This will launch the uninstaller.

> *The uninstaller will not delete the workspace of the ARCWAY Cockpit Client. In the default installation the workspace is*
>
> ***C:\Documents and Settings\[user]\Application Data\ARCWAY\CockpitWorkspace340SA.***
>
> *You can delete this folder, although this step is not mandatory. Please notice that each Windows user may have a personal copy of the workspace.*