

News Release: TiPS Releases Update for LogMate® AMS™ Web Browser Module

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TiPS Incorporated is pleased to announce the release of several updates to the LogMate® AMS™ Alarm Management System™ web browser module, TiPSView. TiPSView version 3.0 enhances LogMate's utility as an operator information resource and as an engineering companion for alarm design and management of change. TiPSView 3.0 is a seamless upgrade to existing web-enabled LogMate installations and is shipped at no cost to current support subscribers.

TiPSView is the web services component of the LogMate system. Version 3.0 enhancements include:

- A Notes feature which allows insertion of ad-hoc comments within the context of operating data.
- Enhanced "Alarm Knowledge Base" flexibility, enabling custom forms for entry and display of plant information including procedures, testing instructions, escalation paths, and contact information.
- External links create direct access from a web browser to existing plant documentation. One click opens any linked document - spreadsheets, CAD drawings, P&IDs, etc.
- Online configuration change approval, rejection, comments, and auditing (online MOC).
- More intelligent alarm analysis tools readily pinpoint nuisance alarms by combining high-frequency alarms with statistics such as acknowledge rate or alarm longevity. Mine through a massive archive of data to display the most probable nuisances in seconds.
- Integration with SQL Server Reporting Services provides unlimited report writing capabilities. SQL Server Reporting Services (SSRS) is a powerful report writing toolkit included with SQL Server. SSRS is integrated into the LogMate web environment for common, online access to all reports.

For more information about LogMate or the LogMate TiPSView 3.0 release, please contact our sales team at 800.242.8477 or 512.863.3653, or visit our website, [www.tipsweb.com](http://www.tipsweb.com).

About TiPS:

TiPS is a pioneer in alarm management software, producing the first version of LogMate in 1990. LogMate has been refined over 16 years and hundreds of installations around the globe. TiPS prides itself on quality, stable, feature-rich products that excel against the highest standards. TiPS is a thought leader in alarm management, committed to education and empowerment of our current and future clients. Find out more about TiPS and LogMate at <http://www.tipsweb.com>.

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