GoPxL 1.0 SR1 – Release Notes Firmware Version 1.0.110.37 Document Revision A

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Compatibility

- Devices supported:
 - Gocator Line Profilers: 2300 C/D revision, 2400, 2500, 2600
 - $\circ \quad \mbox{Gocator Snapshot Sensors: 3200, 3500}$
 - Gocator Line Confocal Profilers: 5500
 - GoMax NX
 - X64-based PC (Intel/AMD) with Windows 10
- The following series and models are not supported:
 - Gocator Point Sensors: 1300
 - Gocator Line Profiler: 2100, 2880
 - Gocator Multi-point Profiler: 200
 - GoMax (pre-NX version)
- Web Interface
 - The web interface requires latest Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox or Microsoft Edge version 79 or later

Bug Fixes

PROFINET job switch	Switching jobs over PROFINET where the job name was empty caused a sensor restart.
REST API job load	GoPxL GUI did not update after loading a factory default job using REST API.
GoMax NX memory leak	Running a sensor accelerated by GoMax NX over a period of days could result in memory usage accumulating and eventually lead to a reset.
Active Area editing	The Active Area editing view could show transformed data even though the view was labeled "Sensor frame of reference".
Responsiveness editing large job files	The responsiveness of the UI was slow when making modifications to large job files.
Trigger delay	When using External Trigger mode, the trigger delay function had no effect.
GenTL driver	 When using GoPxL on PC, the surface size received through the GenTL driver could be incorrect if the X spacing interval in the GoPxL scan configuration was set to "Auto". The Asynchronous Align command required a wait period after calling. With uniform spacing disabled in profile mode, the output data could have empty lines in X.

	 With a Gocator 5500 sensor with intensity disabled, the intensity output was not empty. With a Gocator 5500 sensor with intensity enabled, the intensity output was brighter in the first rows. It was not possible to connect to GoPxLService.exe run directly without GoPxL Manager
Support file	Downloading a support file while recording data could result in a corrupt file.

Known Issues

General

Large job files	With a large job file and the UI open, performing Start and Stop operations could be delayed.
Job loading/switching	Loading or switching jobs may be slower than expected with small job files with less than 10 tools.
Industrial Protocols: PROFINET	Once the service is enabled, it cannot be disabled.
	Workaround <i>:</i> Toggle off the service, save the job, restart the sensor, and load the job again.
Restricted IP address binding	Some Ethernet services bind to all IP addresses even when a single local IP address is specified in GoPxL Manager.
Support file load	Loading a support file may fail if the same sensor in the support file is also available on the same network as the device on which the support file is loaded.
	Workaround: Temporarily disconnect the sensor from the network while loading the support file.
Gocator 6.x .rec file load	Loading scan data from .rec files from Gocator 6.x is supported but some specific files may fail to load depending on configuration details.
	Workaround: Factory restore may resolve the issue.
Failed recording load	If a recording or support file load fails, the GoPxL instance may be left in a state where other issues can occur.
	Workaround: Factory restore and restart the GoPxL instance if you experience other issues after failing to load recorded data.
Missing input for profile tools	A profile tool with "missing input" may still output profile data in the Visualizer and show measurement values rather than marking the outputs as "invalid".

Tools	
Tool performance	The execution time of some tools may be slower than expected.
	Workaround: Ensuring that the Web UI is closed can improve performance of some tools.
Default region size	When using surface tools on the output of Profile Part Detection, the default tool regions may be inappropriately sized and placed relative to the surface dimensions.
Utilities	
Pattern/Track editor with multiple GoPxL instances	When using multiple GoPxL instances on PC, it is not obvious which instance is which in the Pattern editor application's Source drop-down. In the Track editor application, PC instances that are running can be missing in the Source drop-down.
GoHMI	
Default HMI App	A factory restore is required to update the default HMI app.
Updating HMI App on PC	The browser cache must be cleared in order for a newly updated or created HMI app to show. In Chrome, open Developer Tools (Shift+Ctrl+J or F12), Right-Click on the browser Reload Button, and select "Empty Cache and Hard Reload". This is not required for GoHMI on sensor or GoMax NX.

SDK and REST API Protocol

SDK API version 3.0.0

No significant changes were made to the C++ and .NET SDKs as compared to the 1.0 release.

Functionality compared to Gocator 6.x firmware

This section covers functionality that is available in Gocator firmware versions 6.1 or 6.2 but not available in GoPxL.

G2880, G2100 & G200	These models are not currently supported in GoPxL
Replay CSV Export	CSV Export is currently not supported. The Replay Converter utility can be used to convert to different formats, including CSV.
Script tool	The script tool is not available in the same form as in Gocator 6.x. With the 1.0 release, a Measurement Formula is provided. In later releases, a Python scripting environment will be added.

Digital, Analog, and Serial output	Digital, Analog, and Serial output are not supported. Digital output support will be added in a future release.
User roles and accounts	Gocator 6.x Administrator and Technician accounts are not supported in 1.0 but are planned for future releases. Currently HMI functionality allows creating a reduced access interface.
Surface Section and Polygon region	Surface Section does not allow editing the section line by dragging end points and no polygon region is supported. These will be added in a future release.
Recording filtering	There is currently no ability to conditionally record data with recording filter settings.
Translations	GoPxL is only available with an English user interface currently.
Mixed-model buddying	Mixing different G2 line profile models in a merged system (buddying) is not supported. The models must match.
G2 Tracking, Translucent spot detection	The tracking functionality and translucent spot detection are not available.
SDK	Alignment configuration is not possible through the SDK currently. Alignment parameters must be configured in a job. The SDK can be used to switch between different jobs with different alignment configurations.
Surface Barcode	The Surface Barcode tool is currently not supported in GoPxL.
Runtime variables	Runtime variables from PLC are not supported
Quick Edit mode	Quick Edit mode is not available
Autostart	The ability to automatically start a sensor after power cycle is not yet available
GoMax NX Independent acceleration	GoMax NX can only accelerate a single sensor or a single set of grouped G2 or G5 sensors (formerly known as "buddy" system). Accelerating multiple sensors independently is not supported.
Maximum frame rate simulation	When loading a support file in GoPxL, the maximum frame rate is not calculated as it is in Gocator Emulator.