

iRecordMusic Release Notes

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Upgrading to iRecordMusic v1.2 is FREE for all users of RAW/MusicSafari. Existing registration details and preferences are kept safe.

How To Upgrade

1. Remove the old version of the application by moving it to the Trash.
2. Install the new version by dragging the application icon to your hard disk.
- 3. Refresh your calendar, and quit iCal to ensure it saves the refreshed calendar**

Compatibility With Non-Apple Audio Hardware

Devices known to be compatible include the Xitel Pro Hi-Fi Link USB, Griffin iMic USB, Plantronics USB headset, M-Audio Audiophile USB, M-Audio Revolution 7.1 PCI. If you are experiencing any issues with sound not being audible, please goto System Preferences -> Sound, and select the computer's built-in audio controller as the default sound output device. The software will now function. This issue is known to affect MOTU PCI-424, PCI-324 cards.

Sharing Your iCal Recording Schedules... www.irecordmusic.net

A web-site to share your recording schedules is being set up. If you would like to share your recording schedule calendars, please email the relevant .ics calendar file, found in the folder "HOME/Library/Calendars" to support@irecordmusic.com. Alternatively, if you have a .Mac account (or similar) you can publish your calendar, and send a notification email. Thanks.

System Requirements

- Mac OS X 10.2.6 or later
- RealOne Player (for RealAudio support)
- WindowsMedia Player 9 (for WindowsMedia support)
- iCal 1.5.2 or later (for scheduling)
- iTunes 4.0 or later
- Safari 1.0 or later

- QuickTime 6.2 or later

Useful Links

http://www.apple.com/downloads/macosx/internet_utilities/realoneplayerx.html

<http://www.microsoft.com/windows/windowsmedia/software/Macintosh/osx/default.aspx>

What's New

1.3 (v26) - 23 April 2004

Enhancements:

- New split options
 - Stop recording if no audio is received after x seconds
 - Split recording whenever audio starts or stops playing
 - Never split
 - Auto-split recording by time
 - On the dot e.g. every quarter-hour, half-hour, or on the hour
 - Every x minutes
- Added option to force media embedding by file extension or URL matching, to fix an issue where some systems launched helper applications instead of playing media on a web page (especially relevant if a user has been experiencing problems with WindowsMedia sites)
- Added ability to quickly record for a set time period, for example, next 30 minutes
- Added option to add dates to the filename of recordings
- Archive option to schedule recordings of on-demand or non-live streams (add archive keyword to iCal event notes)
- Support for .qtl links
- Added ToolTips

Fixes:

- Fixed an issue where iCal schedules with events set in a foreign time-zone would fail under Daylight Saving Time.
- Fixed an issue where names with a '/' character would cause file errors
- Fixed a bug where the last recording of archives (e.g. on-demand non-live broadcasts) would sometimes not get encoded until the user explicitly stopped recording.
- Fixed an issue where quitting did not correctly report the number of recordings being processed, and did not properly terminate a running AAC encoding.
- Fixed an issue where converting streams to MP3 would fail if iTunes was

already busy converting another stream.

- Fixed a bug where cancelling a scheduled recording would fail silently and not really cancel, if the scheduled recording had not yet started
- Fixed a bug where multiple scheduled recordings launched at the same time would sometimes fail to record
- Fixed a threading problem where closing a window would on rare occasions cause the application to freeze
- Fixed an issue where sequence numbers would be non-consecutive if there were empty recordings in a session
- Fixed an issue where the application icon was being drawn with transparency when waiting, playing or recording

1.2 (v23) - 30 March 2004

- Bookmarks
- History
- Block pop-up windows (like Safari)

1.2 (v22) - 17 March 2004

- Addressed an issue which meant some sites could not be opened and recorded properly. These sites now record okay and include Live365, RadiolO, KPFA
- Addressed an issue where some WindowsMedia videos would overlap the control panel

v1.2 (21) - 12 March 2004

- Added option to create bookmarkable AAC files where iTunes and iPods will remember the last listened to position
- Added Version checking
- Fixed a bug where MP4-AAC files would not be added to the playlist if MP4-AAC tagging was not also selected
- Default home page now points to www.irecordmusic.net
- Fixed a bug which affected some users' registration

v1.2 (17) - 8 March 2004

- iCal Scheduling Redesigned
 - Sharing of recording schedules at www.irecordmusic.net
 - Refresh the iRecordMusic recording calendar if it has changed
 - Synchronise the recording calendar with the events found in other calendars
- Naming Options
 - Added ability to name recording sessions by broadcaster, show and DJ
 - Added file naming options
- iTunes
 - Added option to tag recordings with standard iTunes tags
 - Added option to add recordings to a playlist

- Encoding
 - Added option to terminate encodings
 - Added option to record as AIFF only, with no encoding
 - MP4 encoding is now serialised to prevent parallel MP4 encodings impacting the CPU
- Bug fixes and other minor improvements
 - Fixed a bug which caused some recordings to be at the wrong pitch
 - Fixed a bug which caused incompatibility with 3rd party sound cards
 - Cancelling a scheduled recording now requires confirmation
 - Added option to clear the progress window
 - ...and many more

v1.1 (14) - 24 December 2003

- Fixed a bug where scheduling an iCal event would not always extract the URL from a browser window
- File numbers use zero padding 001,002, instead of 1,2...

v1.1 (13) - 2 December 2003

- Added MP3 encoding (via iTunes)
- Added progress window to monitor MP4 and MP3 encoding progress

v1.1 (12) - 26 November 2003

- Fixed WinMedia handling bug (appeared in builds 9 thru 11)
- Fixed a bug where some links to media could fail to load
- Improved handling of history of sites visited

v1.1 (11) - 24 November 2003

- Fixed bug which caused instability on OSX 10.3.1 (7C107)
- Fixed bug in naming of directories for scheduled recordings

v1.1 (9) - 21 November 2003

- Supports iCal for scheduled RAW recordings - one-time, recurring, simultaneous
- Added AppleScript control over multiple RAW applications running at the same time
- Added option to keep temporary AIFF files
- Fixed bug with .asf links
- Fixed bug where URLs not always updated in the browser URL text field, and history menu
- Fixed bug which left empty AIFF files in the download directory

v1.0 (7) - 11 November 2003

- Fixed a bug where .ram links could cause a 'load error'

v1.0 (6) - 10 November 2003

- Added support for Windows Media Player 9 codecs

- Recordings now display an iTunes icon, and open in iTunes, rather than Quicktime
- Added support for .plsx playlists at oneword.co.uk
- Prefs auto-split time increased to 2 hours
- Internal improvements

v1.0 (5) - 7 November 2003

- Fixed a bug where rtsp launched RealPlayer instead of playing in RAW
- Fixed a bug where launching a new RAW would not bring its window to the front
- Minor fixes

v1.0 - 3 November 2003

- Initial release