What’s New in Formulas Online 2.9 (Industry Members)

Release Date: December 2018

The following system functionality enhancements and bug fixes are included in the Version 2.9 release of the Formulas Online system:

**All Submissions**

- **Distinguish irreversible actions (e.g., Cancel) from everyday actions:**
  To reduce unintentional irreversible actions being taken by FONL users, the irreversible action controls have been moved to the far right of the screen while the common actions are now bolded and underlined for emphasis but still begin from the far left side of the screen. The following actions are categorized as irreversible: Withdraw, Surrender, Revoke, Cancel, Close Historical.

![Figure 1: Common actions & Irreversible actions distinguished](image)

- **Highlight Paper Submissions on submission lists:**
  A visual indicator has been provided in the form of a light blue background for all submission types and user types and is now visible on all Submission lists. For internal users this will apply to ‘My Worklist’, ‘My Submissions’ for External users and in Search Results for all users.
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Figure 2: Paper Submissions Blue Background

<table>
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<th>My Work List</th>
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<tr>
<td>Get Submissions</td>
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Beverage Submissions Only

Enhancements

- Display expiration date on read-only view (Import)
  An Expiration date field has been added to Beverage Import submissions that have been added to the Read-Only view. It uses the same logic for the Expiration date that is displayed in the traditional view.

Figure 3: Expiration Date added to Beverage Import Read-only view

- Only allow ABV (not Proof) for alcohol content of malt beverage and wine products
  For Malt beverage and Wine commodity formulas, the Alcohol Content of Finished Product unit can now only be expressed as % by Volume. Proof will no longer be a displayed value for the Unit field.
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Figure 4: ABV only value in Unit field of Yield Summary Grid

**Yield Summary**

* Total Yield: **150** Gallons

* Low: **12** % by Volume

* High: **12** % by Volume

• **Point to new Samples guidance page from Samples tab**

A new URL has been added to the Samples tab that provides guidance on sending alcohol beverage samples to TTB. When users click the hyperlinked phrase “apply for and send a sample to TTB” they will be navigated to a TTB.gov guidance page at [https://www.ttb.gov/formulation/abf-approval-lab-sample-analysis.shtml](https://www.ttb.gov/formulation/abf-approval-lab-sample-analysis.shtml).

Figure 5: Samples Tab New URL

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**Bug Fixes**

• **Copy as New copies Submitter Remarks**

This fix resolves the issue where when a user uses the “Copy as New” Action link, that the Submitter remarks from the Needs Corrections tab get copied to the new submission created. With the fix, the Submitter Remarks field in the new submission is populated with the default help text that currently exists with this field.
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Figure 6: Copy as New Action Link (Original Submission)

- Submission ID: 1235236
- TTB Formula ID: 1181376
- Date Submitted: 10-15-2018 04:00 PM
- Status: Needs Correction
- Chemist: 

<table>
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<th>Needs Correction Information</th>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Reason Description</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>General: Problem with attachment</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>We were unable to open a document(s) that you attached as part of your submission, or the attachment was blank (please see the specialist’s note here for specifics). Please go to the Docs/Links tab, delete the problematic attachment(s), and upload a new version.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Additional Description</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td>That's it</td>
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<td><strong>Resolved?</strong></td>
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- Submitter Remarks
You may use this section to make any remarks to TTB regarding the Needs Correction Reasons and/or clarify your resolutions to them, if needed. This is optional. Do not use this section to actually make the requested correction(s) as it is only intended for remarks.
If you have questions, please use the Notify link to send an email to the appropriate TTB specialist.

In the textbox, enter any remarks to TTB regarding the Needs Correction Reasons and/or clarify your resolutions to them, if needed.

Figure 7: Copy of Submission (No submitter’s remarks)

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- Submitter’s remarks display default help text
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- **Relax Permit validation rules**
  This fix resolves the issue where the special conditions for 3 U.S. states; Puerto Rico (PR), Virgin Islands (VI) and Guam (GU) are preventing the registration of beverage permits due to incorrect registration validations. The new relaxed validation rules will allow an increased number of valid permits to be registered.

**Drawback Submissions Only**

**Enhancements**

- **Add message that Drawback ingredients must be entered**
  When zero ingredients have been added to a Drawback, an error message will display upon validation or submission of the form reminding users to enter relevant data in the appropriate sections of the Formula tab. The message is displayed below

  ![Figure 8: New Drawback Error Message](image)

**Bug Fixes**

- **Superseded formula hyperlink on Main tab opens wrong submission**
  This fix addresses the issue in Drawback supersedes where the hyperlinked TTB formula ID to the superseded formula opens up the wrong submissions. Now when a Drawback formula is superseded, in the Main tab of the superseding submission, the superseded formula’s TTB Formula ID should be displayed as a hyperlink that will open the last submission of that formula that has a Closed status.
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Figure 9: Superseding Drawback Formula

Supersedes Formulas

1. Select "Add" below to identify the formula you are superseding.

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<th>TTB FORMULA ID</th>
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<td>ARCH-666</td>
<td>1270510</td>
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Delete

Figure 10: Superseded Drawback Formula

Drawback

Submission ID: 1336646  TTB Formula ID: 1270510  Date Submitted: 04-25-2018 09:59 AM
Status: Draft  Disposition: Approved

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