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

- **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.

Figure 2: Paper Submissions Blue Background

		SUBMISSION ID	TTB FORMULA ID	COMPANY FORMULA#	TYPE	SUBMISSION STATUS	SUBMISSION DATE	ASSIGNED TO	PRODUCT	PAPER	SAMPLE	QA REJECT	RE-SUBMISSION	NOTE
		1335922	1270286	VA-W-63 - 456780967	Uniform	Assigned	02/02/2016	Mary Specden	Supersede	Y	N	N	01/17/2018	My note
		1333387	1268942	PR-W-41 - 1	Uniform	Assigned	05/17/2013	Mary Specden		N	1001448	N	05/12/2017	
		1336506	1270613	CA-W-1166 - 4324234	Uniform	QA Review	09/13/2018	Mary Specden	Glenda's Brew	N	N	N	09/13/2018	
		1335908	1270326	DSP-KY-230 - 131131131131	Uniform	Assigned	09/15/2017	Mary Specden	DISPARATE SPIRITS	N	N	N	09/15/2017	

My Work List — Get Submissions · Showing 1 to 101 of 101 entries · Filter: · Copy PrintView Excel PDF

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

Determination

Disposition:	Approved
Approved Class/Type:	APERITIF/VERMOUTH
Approved Product Description:	
Approval Date:	03/19/2018
Expiration Date:	03/19/2028
TTB Specialist:	Sirajum

- **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.

Figure 4: ABV only value in Unit field of Yield Summary Grid

- **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.

Figure 5: Samples Tab New URL

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.

Figure 6: Copy as New Action Link (Original Submission)

Main	Formula	Samples	Company	Comments	Docs/Links *	Needs Correction *	Unauthorized Users

Copy as New | Print | Comment | Notify | Upload | Withdraw

Submission ID:	1235236	TTB Formula ID:	1181376	Date Submitted:	10-15-2018 04:09 PM
Status:	Needs Correction				
Chemist:					

Needs Correction Information ❓

NEEDS CORRECTION REASON	REASON DESCRIPTION	ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTION	RESOLVED?
General: Problem with attachment	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.	That's it	☐

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.

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These are my comments.
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977 characters left

« Previous | Save as Draft | Validate | Submit

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

Main	Formula	Samples	Results	Company	Comments	Docs/Links	Workflow	Needs Correction	History	Unauthorized Users

Copy as New | Print | Comment | Notify | Upload

☐ Expedite   ☐ Paper Submission ❓   Note: [_____]

Submission ID:	1235244	TTB Formula ID:	1181377	Date Submitted:	10-16-2018 03:24 PM
Status:	Received	Attachment ID:	1537580	Disposition:	
Chemist:					

Needs Correction Information ❓

☐ NEEDS CORRECTION REASON	REASON DESCRIPTION	ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTION	RESOLVED?

Add | Delete

(callout: Submitter's remarks display default help text)

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

- **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.
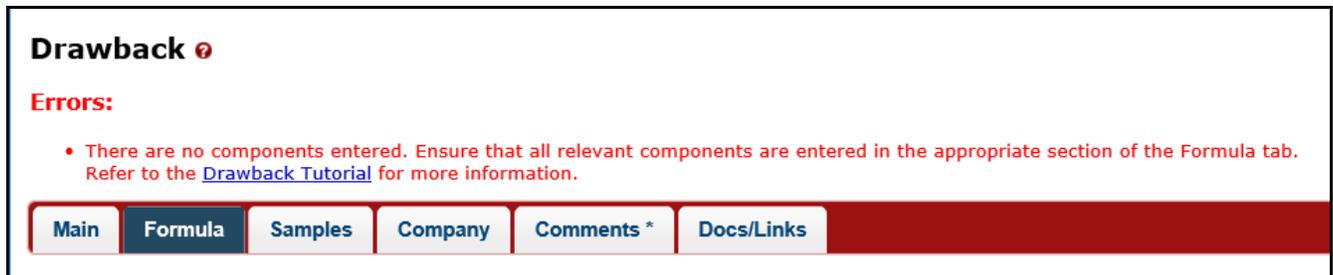
Drawback Submissions Only

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

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.

Figure 9: Superseding Drawback Formula

Figure 10: Superseded Drawback Formula

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