Release Notes 2008-12-03

Major Improvements: Enhanced replica and replicator page management

Configuration Database	
FIX	Fixed a problem with newly created connection documents - due to a missing (yet obsolete) field "Schedule", these were not recognized by Notes. (change/update of location documents worked just fine).
FIX	Fixed a problem with DLL update documents not working after copying & pasting them via clipboard (whether into same or different config database)
FIX / CHANGE	Backup documents in Domino databases are now created/updated to automatically merge replication conflicts (if any)
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Analyze Database	
- No changes -	- No changes -
.DLL Updates (Windows)	
FIX	Fixed a bug introduced in 1.6.x releases where switching to a default/override location before/after login did not work.
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FIX	The servername of a Domino database a backup document is created/updated into was not added to the list of readers/authors; this has been fixed
FIX	Agent copies references from within "Run agent" actions were previously downloaded every time again - this has been fixed
FIX / ENHANCEMENT	In previous releases, replicator page management lead to replicator pages being updated during every client startup With the personal addressbook replicated to a Domino server, this could lead to replication conflicts. Now, replicator pages are updated only if they are actually changed
FIX / ENHANCEMENT	Self-healing capabilities in case of a missing homeserver in the users current location are now fixed/improved as follows: (applicable only if MC_DB= contains %notes_homeserver% which should be the case for just about any production rollout) If %notes_homeserver% can not be resolved from the users current location, it attempts to resolve it from notes.ini MailServer= If neither results in a respective homeserver, MarvelClient will attempt to open the database according to MC_DB_LastReachable (in notes.ini) MC_DB_LastReachable is automatically memorized in notes.ini after a successful connect to the panagenda config database (respectively a replica of it) If none of the above leads to a successful connect to the panagenda config database, further fallback mechanisms apply as described in previous releases using MC_DB_NotResolvable / MC_DB_Unavailable.

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ENHANCE MENT	The skinning folder can now be specified via MC:Skinning_Directory or ini:MC_SkinningDirectory (--> in notes.ini via, for example: MC_SkinningDirectory=%notes_client%\skinning) (defaults to %notes_data%\Skinning; mc:space overrides ini:space overrides default)
ENHANCE MENT	New option to specify a serverside database access timeout using mc:db_dbopentimeout=[number of milliseconds], e.g. mc:db_dbopentimeout=8000 will cancel opening a database if this takes more than 8 seconds (default = no timeout) In addition, mc:db_checktimedout allows to specify whether a previously timed out database access should be attempted again; mc:db_checktimedout is a boolean and thus accepts the value "yes", "1", "true" (or "no", "0", "false" = default = retry every database again) e.g. mc:db_checktimedout=true will not try to open a previously timed out database again during a specific run (e.g. after login) - NOTE: the list of timedout databases is cleared immediately after login and at the beginning of a client shutdown as it usually makes sense to retry a database during shutdown that timed out after login. NOTE: mc:db_checktimedout operates based on a specific database "URL" (= servername together with entire database path), NOT on a per server basis.
ENHANCE MENT	The network traffic for downloading new actions has now been significantly reduced even further from previously "receive 70K" to now "receive 9K"
.dylib Updates (Mac OS X)	
not available	not available
.so Updates (Linux)	
not available	not available