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Known Product Issues

Table 1. Known Issues

Area	Issue	ID
Third Party Matrices	When sending a configuration file to a Series 7000 system that contains third-party matrices, the primary third-party Node Controller (NC) might reset causing the backup NC to become primary (crosspoint information could be lost). This can occur if the third-party NC is connected directly to the Series 7000 Control frame MCPU via the Node Bus. To avoid these possible problems connect all third-party matrices to the Series 7000 Control frame using GSC (Global Serial Channel) mezzanines mounted on CIF (Communications Interface) modules.	9885
Master/Slave Switches	If the MCPU is reset or switched to its backup, Concerto's controller may also switch.	29118
Dianostic Commands	Concerto doesn't support Series 7000 diagnostic commands. NetConfig reports the software version you're running.	28653
Concerto AA/AES Slices	Concerto AES and Analog Audio (AA) slices can't be mixed in the same physical matrix. Workaround: Assign the AA and AES boards to a single slice large enough to accommodate all of their crosspoints and use signal type 8 (AES).	28933
Alarm Reporting	Standard Series 7000 alarm reporting is not supported by Concerto in this release.	29119

Issues Resolved in Release 8.1

Table 2. Issues Resolved in This Release

Area	Issue	ID
PXD Panels	Rapid selection of DST buttons (less than one second) could cause creation of unwanted Destination Groups.	7180
Chopping	When Chopping, True Tally is turned off. Therefore, if an MCPU has shared control and it is Chopping, a Take from another system won't be reflected in MCPU status. Similarly, if a system is Chopping and a Crosspoint module is removed, MCPU status will not show a NO XPT message. When Chopping is stopped, True Tally is turned on.	7196
Configuration	Multi-New won't create Source/Destination names containing numbers higher than the numbers entered in the Limits	7226
7500NB Async Config	Inputs can now be configured for asynchronous mode.	18684
7500WB Monitor	7500WB input and output monitors work, even across frames. Monitor outputs on frame A can connect to frame B.	20625
Preset Level Buttons	Preset Level buttons (e.g. All Levels) stay selected until manually de-selected. Tally responses no longer alter them.	23711
7500NB Monitor	7500NB input/output monitors work, even across frames. Monitor outputs on frame A can connect to frame B.	23797
Concerto Monitoring	Concerto Destinations can be monitored.	27281



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