stages™ Release Notes 2.6.8

November 2019

HIGHLIGHTS

Event Rule Auto Evaluations

Signal Processing can now use an Auto Evaluation to determine when to use an Event Rule on an incoming signal. If the Auto Evaluation chosen on the Event Rule returns back a 'Yes', then the Event Rule will apply.

Event Rule Setup

Auto Evaluation has been added to the Event Rule Setup.

Auto Evaluation Setup

A new parameter, 'Alarm During Period', has been added to the Evaluations to check if an Alarm has started in the Evaluation Period. This is a separate check than checking for Event Codes, Operator Actions, etc. Both will have to be true for the Evaluation step to return as 'Yes'.

On Call

On Call Features have been added to change the order list of Contact Lists for a non-repeating schedule. On a site or site group, a date range is entered for a Contact List. For that date range, the On Call Order will be used instead of the default order for the contact list. The On Call Order completely replaces the default order.

On Call Data Entry

The On Call window is accessible from the On Call button on the top left of the Contact Lists tab.

A Contact List Type is entered to administer the On Call list. A date range is added to configure the order during those dates. The On Call Order is built from the list of Contacts that are members of the Contact List Type.

A calendar of the On Call list is displayed to the right. If there is no entry for the specific day, "**Default**" will display.

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Dashboard *(Utilities|Dashboards)*

stages™ can now display Pie charts and Bar charts. A dashboard has been added to the Utilities Menu. In future releases, more charts will be added in various places throughout the application. If there is a chart that is desired, please enter an Enhancement Request.
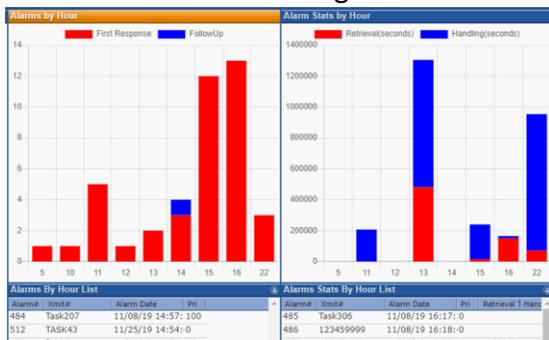
Sites

Pie charts for Sites by Site Types and Sites by State have been added. Clicking a pie section will list the sites in that category.
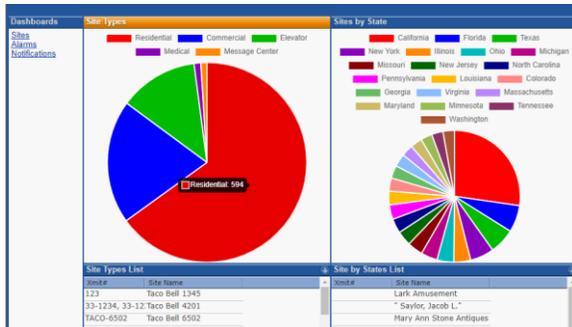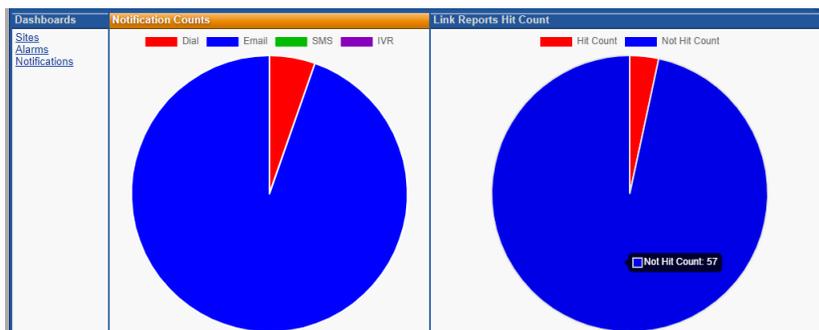

Alarms

Bar charts for Alarms by Hour and Alarm Statistics by Hour (Response Time & Handling Time) have been added. Clicking a chart section will list the alarms in that hour bucket.

Notifications

Pie charts for Notification Counts (similar to the Data window) and for Link Report Clicks have been added.

*A new permission has been added for Utilities| Dashboard*

DISPATCH

Alarm Dispatch Dial DataLoc Enhancement

The new 'Dial DataLoc' tab will display the phone numbers from the last DataLoc call for the Site. When the Account is locked, the phone numbers are hyperlinks that will autodial the numbers.
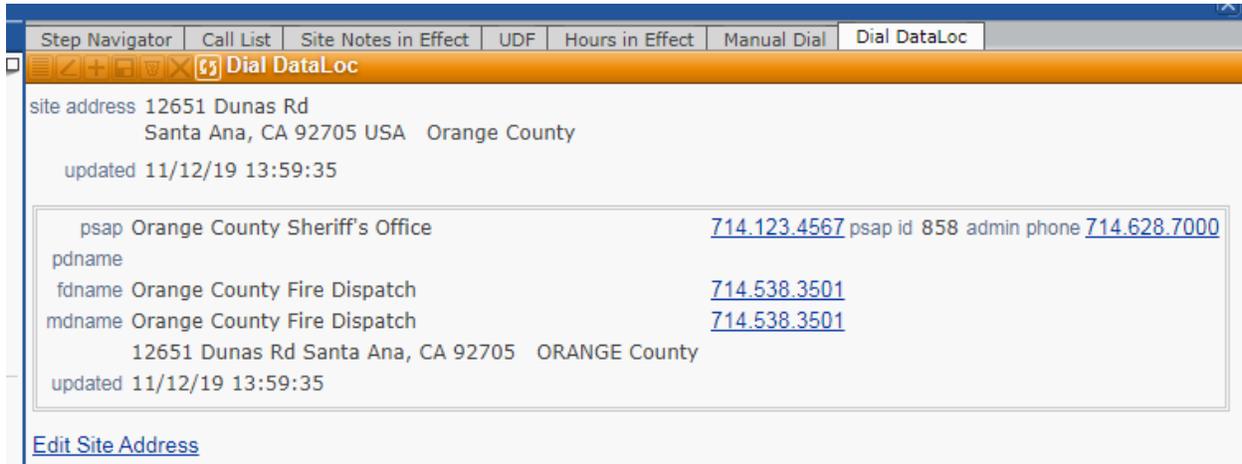
If the operator has the new securable, **'Dispatch Site Address'**, then the Edit Site Address hyperlink is available. This will allow the operator to edit the Site Address and access the DataLoc service.
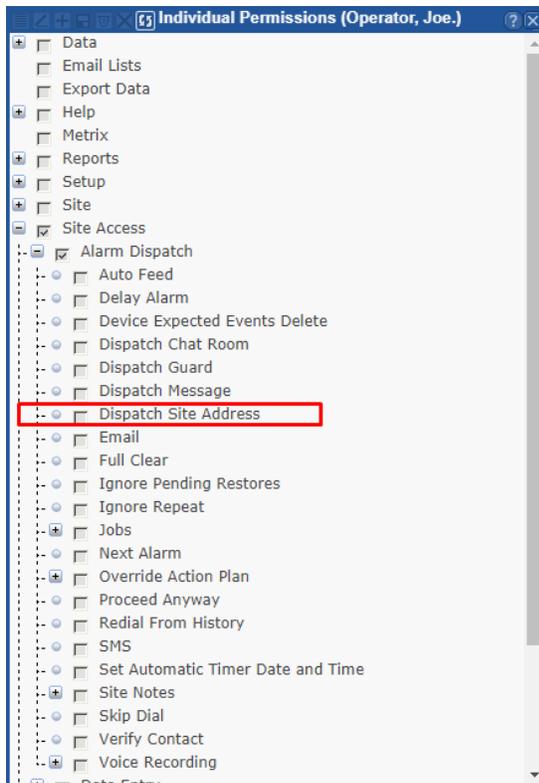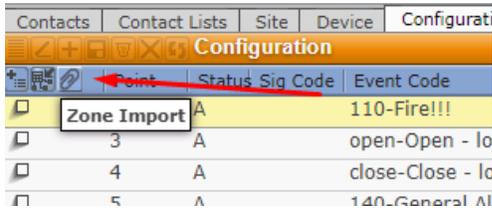
DATA ENTRY

A new stages™ Option, 'Validate State Entry' *(Data Entry tab)*, has been added. If this is checked, and an address is being entered, stages™ will validate the State being entered against the State setup table.

Zone Import

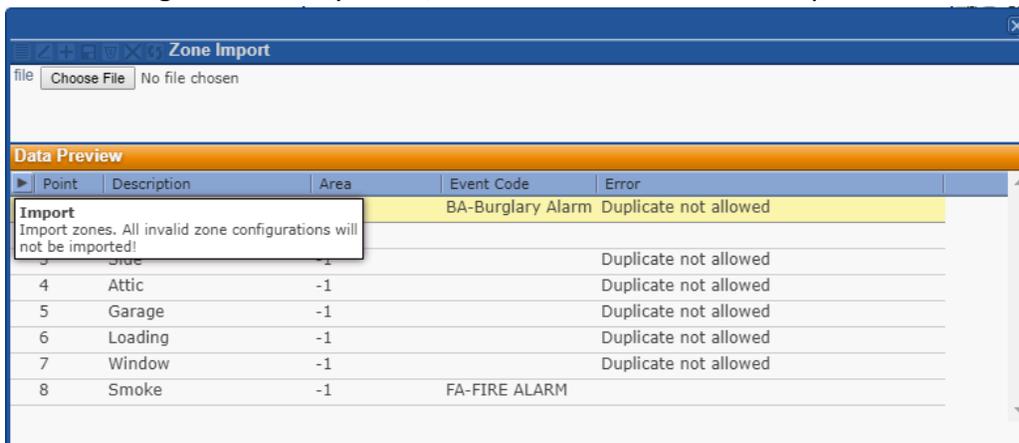A spreadsheet of Zones can be uploaded into an account from the Configuration tab.

The spreadsheet must be a CSV file with specific columns of Point, Description, AreaNum, and Event Code. Any other spreadsheet will not be uploaded.
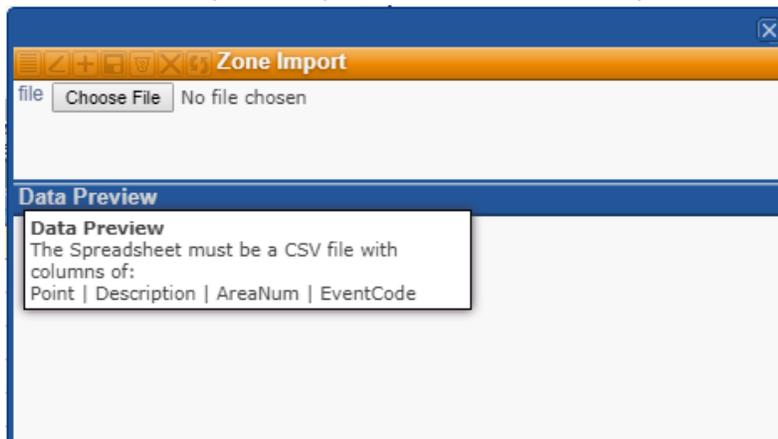
If a matching Zone already exists, it will not be allowed to be uploaded:

SETUP

Agency Setup

A new field, 'Dispatch Operator Action', has been added. This is for Agencies that are dispatched using an Electronic Interface. Enter the Operator Action that starts the Dispatch. stages™ can now use this feature to send a dispatch to the Securitas Guard company.

Site Group Setup

A new field, 'Email From Name', has been added. This field, along with the 'Email From Address' field, are used within the Dispatch Email window and will override the values coming from the same fields in the selected Email Template.

Global Hours *(Setup | stages™ Setup | Hours (Global))*

Hours can be entered on a Global level. These can be targeted by an Action Plan.

New permissions have been added for Setup | stages™ Setup | Global Hours & Global Hours Write

Action Plan Setup

Action Plan "T" steps can target a Global Hours instead of a Site/Site Group hours.

DATA WINDOWS

Device Config Usage *(Data|Site-Device|Device Config Usage)*

This new window produces a list of transmitters having the data specified in the search criteria.

A new permission has been added for Data | Site/Device | Device Config Usage

Sites with Multiple Devices *(Data| Sites/Devices| Sites with Multiple Devices)*

This new window produces a list of all sites with more than one transmitter for a site group. Options can exclude secondary accounts, or only include secondary accounts.

A new permission has been added for Data | Site/Device | Sites with Multiple Devices

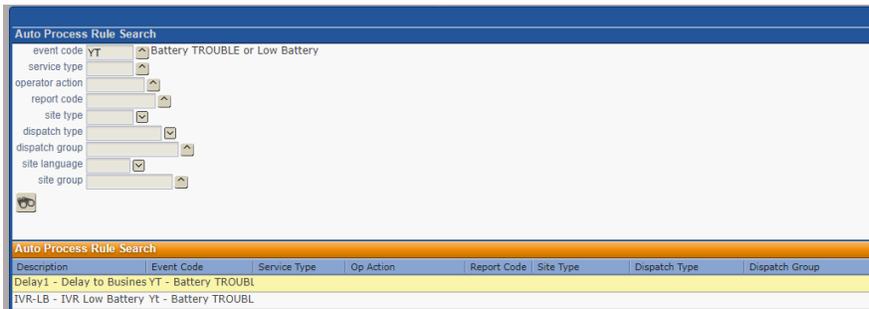## Action Plan Rule Search *(Data| stages™ | Action Plan Rule Search)*
This new window will list all action plan rules that meet the entered criteria.

A new permission has been added for Data | stages™ | Action Plan Rule Search

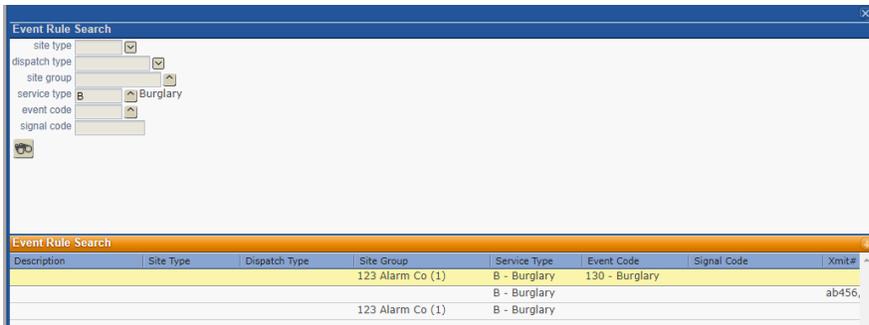## Auto Process Rule Search *(Data| stages™ | Auto Process Rule Search)*
This new window will list all auto process rules that meet the entered criteria.

A new permission has been added for Data | stages™ | Auto Process Rule Search

Event Rule Search *(Data| stages™ | Event Rule Search)*
This new window will list all event rules that meet the entered criteria.

A new permission has been added for Data | stages™ | Event Rule Search

stages™ Problems *(Data|stages™| stages™ Problems)*
Invalid schedule windows have been added to the list.

EXTERNAL APPLICATIONS

Attrition Count *(Data|Site Group|Attrition Count)*

The Attrition Count List has been added to the External Application (App 2).

stages™ Windows *(Utilities|Stages Windows)*

The stages™ Windows List has been added to the External Application (App 2). Users must have the new **Developer** securable. This utility will assist Developers that are using the stages™ Gateway. The screen can help determine which methods to use.

Customer App Permissions

Contact Write and Code Word Write permissions have been added for the Customer Application (App 3) and can be assigned as Authorization Items.

NEW SECURABLES

The following new Permissions have been added:

App#	Securable	PrereqSecurable
1	ActionPlanRuleSearch	SystemData
1	AlarmData	SiteInformation
1	AutoProcessRuleSearchAll	SystemData
1	Dashboards	Utilities
1	DeviceConfigUsage	SiteDeviceData
1	DispatchSiteAddress	AlarmDispatch
1	EventRuleSearch	SystemData
1	HoursGlobal	SetupMisc
1	HoursGlobalWrite	HoursGlobal
1	SitesWithMultipleDevices	SiteDeviceData
1	StagesProcedures	USystem
2	Developer	XtApp
3	ContactWrite	Customer
3	CustomerCWWrite	Customer