

WHAT'S NEW WITH PAF INSIGHT?

OHANA SOFTWARE'S LIST OF NEW FEATURES:

- Compatible with the new FamilySearch Family Tree
- New place editor helps clean up place names
- Opens and saves PAF backup (.zip) files directly
- All data is now editable
- Keeps an automatic archive of your files
- You can select "Only show IGI matches that have additional ordinance info"
- New interface with movable and resizable windows
- Conflicting dates and places can be added for later research
- Enhanced search details
- Choice to stop the current search or all searches
- Switch modes without exiting your file
- Prompts when places are not recognized for searching
- Easily updates automatically
- No longer needs Internet Explorer
- And more...

LICENSE FEE

The price has gone up. It's now \$25, and includes only one year of free updates. (They're still honoring the old licenses that had 3 years' updates. Also, the license is still good for all the family members' computers in your household.) It's still free for Family History Centers.

NEW SET OF LESSONS

These can be accessed either of two ways:

1. Go to PAF Insight => Help Menu => Help => View PAF Insight Lessons.
2. Go to www.ohanasoftware.com => Lessons => Lessons for PAF Insight 2006 (These have pictures illustrating the various screens.)

MAIN MENU

The main menu appears when you open PAF Insight. It now has a new format, and an important change in the functions that are listed. "Repair and Compact" has disappeared, and a new operation, "Edit Places", has replaced it.

1. You can still repair and/or compact the database, but there are new ways of doing these, all explained thoroughly in Lesson #5. When you open a database in PAF Insight, the program automatically looks for repair problems that couldn't be fixed with PAF's "Check & Repair" function. It fixes what it can, and then describes any problems that *you* can fix, telling you how to fix them. You can, if you wish, compact your database as well.
2. The "Compact" function has also been incorporated into "Edit RINs and Pedigrees", where it is activated by clicking an icon on the toolbar.

3. Another new improvement: all of the five operations on the main menu are also available from a "Mode" menu that appears on the menu bar of every screen. If you finish one operation and then wish to perform another on the same database, you can switch to it in the "Mode" menu without having to close PAF Insight and come back in all over again.

(Caution: when you first open PAF Insight, start by choosing one of the five functions from the main menu. Don't just "Close" the main menu and then try to choose a function from the "Mode" menu — it doesn't work!)

SEARCHING THE IGI

1. There are some new menus and some new toolbars. You can choose the toolbars you want, in the "View" menu. There are new ways to select the type of list you want and the year range for your search, and *there is no longer a way to specify a "Region" you wish to search.* (PAF Insight now selects the regions automatically from your data, and then searches them along with "World Miscellaneous".) Also, there is a new feature designated as the "Find" box, from which you can go rapidly to any name in your list.
2. You can select any number of Primary Names to search for, but the program will still only search for one at a time.
3. "Search Details" window — shows how the search is going. This window and the others can be sized, moved around, or closed.
4. Once you click on a name, it shows all the details for the Primary Individual (Individual, Spouse, Parents, Notes) in one screen. Examine them by scrolling up or down. *A new very useful feature is that any of this information can be edited directly in this screen.*
5. When a match is found and examined, any differences between the "Primary" and "IGI" records are highlighted in either pink or green. There are "merge", "add", and "ignore" options for deciding which IGI information you want to extract.
6. There are options available for adding or ignoring sources, both in the Edit/Preferences menu and on the IGI details screen.

EDITING PLACES

1. This whole function is new. The window on the left shows all the places in the database, and the number of times each is recorded. When a place is selected by clicking on it, the names that contain that place in their records are listed on the upper right. When you click on one of these names, its details appear directly below.
2. To edit a place name, double-click on it in the place list and make the corrections right there. Then press "Enter" or click anywhere on the screen, and these corrections will automatically be made wherever that place appears in the database.

MERGE, COMPARE AND SYNC, and EDIT RINS AND PEDIGREES

All three of these functions work pretty much the same way as they did in previous versions of PAF Insight, but they have many of the niceties in format and function that are found on the screens of "Searching the IGI".