

CMPRO Change Notice Updates to User Interface (Theme Enhancements)

Overview

In response to recent CMPRO user feedback, and to improve the overall user experience, PSA is making some updates to the user interface. Details of these changes are explained below.

Details

Subsequent to the rollout of CMPRO's user interface enhancements as part of build C-BN-0116 (see Change Notice CHG2017005 for details), some users expressed a desire to see a greater level of contrast between theme colors and certain elements of the user interface, such as font colors. PSA took these suggestions to heart and has made some improvements based on the feedback received thus far. A recap of these changes follows:

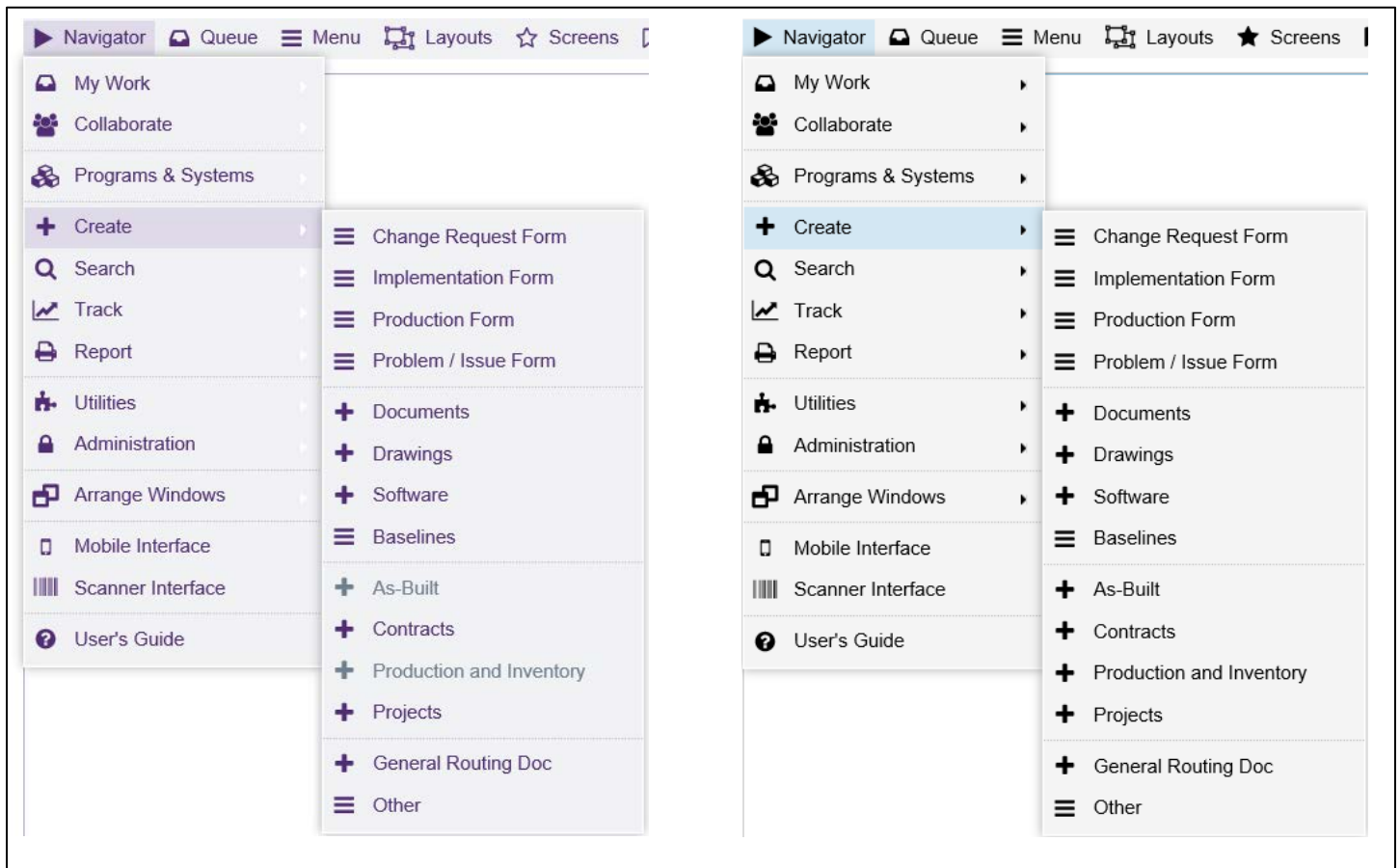
- All the new icons recently introduced as part of both the CMPRO Desktop and the classic (legacy) screens no longer display in the same color as the selected theme. The icons will now display in black, regardless of the theme's color. This greatly improves contrast, making it easier to quickly locate the screen elements you are looking for.
- Link colors (including the color of an unclicked link, a visited link, and a link as it is hovered over) have been changed for all themes on all classic screens. These changes were also carried out with the goal of increasing contrast between screen elements and background theme.
- As a result, classic screens now display almost entirely in black against shades of gray. The only exceptions occur with links that are hovered over or that have been visited. In such cases, the font color displays in a hue similar to the selected theme color.
- On the *Open Windows Bar*, the individual windows display with the screen name appearing in black font against the same color as the selected theme.
- A fourth theme color labeled as "Gulf Blue" has been added to the other available themes.
- Other miscellaneous changes involving the interface can also be seen in the screen captures further down in this change notice.

Availability

The changes described herein will be available with the release of C-BN-0118.

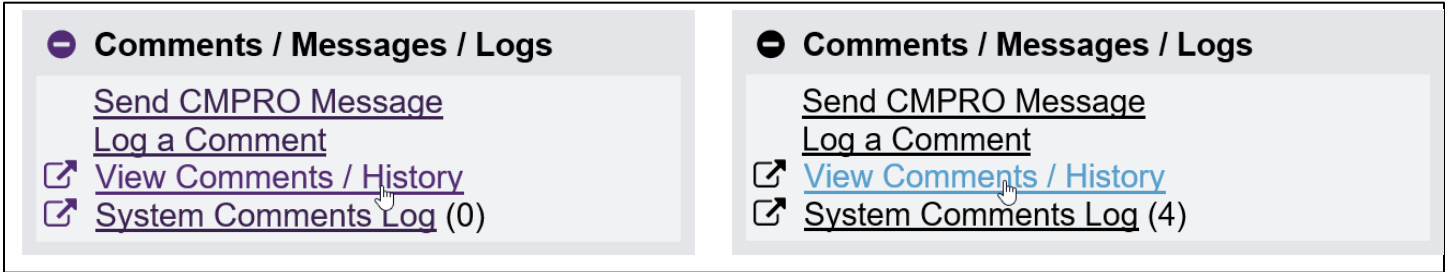
Screen Captures and Elements

The following *sample* screen captures highlight *some* of the differences between current theme interfaces and those that will be included with C-BN-0118. In each captured duo, current settings appear on the left, with future changes appearing on the right:



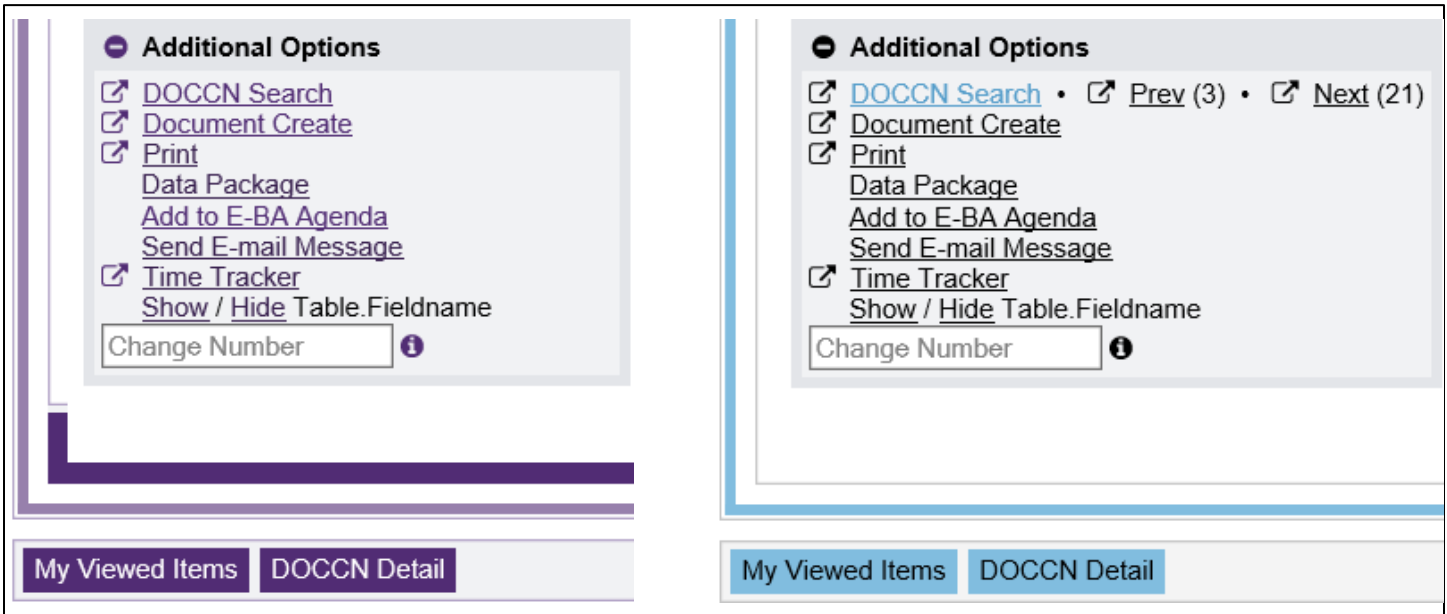
Items to note in right-hand screen capture above:

- More contrast now visible.
- Icons appear in black, as opposed to theme's color.



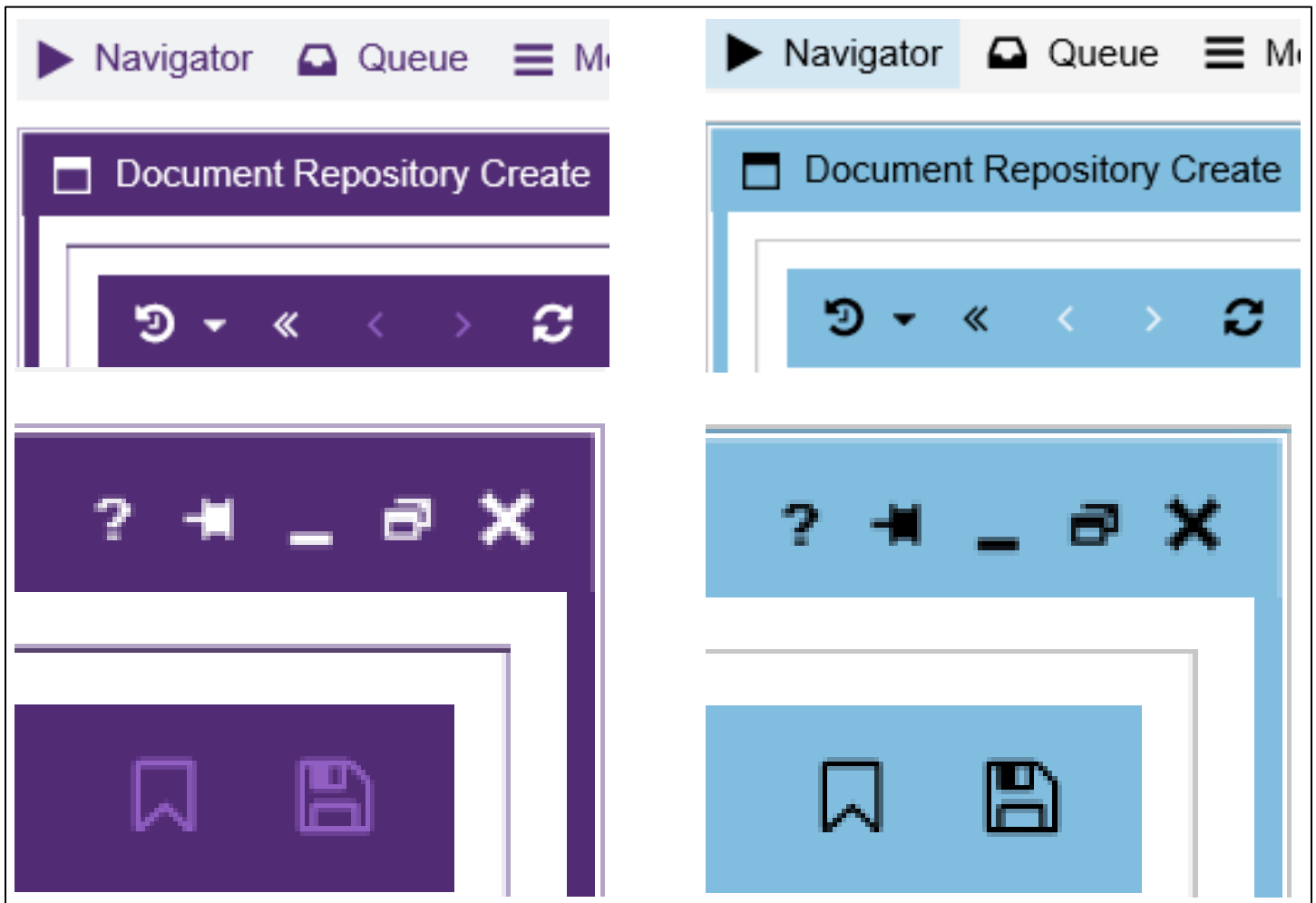
Items to note in right-hand screen capture above:

- More contrast now visible.
- Unclicked links appear in black, whereas only those that are hovered over, or that have been clicked, appear in the selected theme color.



Items to note in right-hand screen capture above:

- More contrast now visible.
- *Open Windows Bar* displays font in black versus in white, making screen titles easier to read.



Items to note in right-hand screen capture above:

- More contrast now visible.
- Some of the screen elements that were somewhat hard to see against their background theme color now display better against theme colors that are lighter, helping to improve overall visibility.