

# SOFTWARE RELEASE NOTES



**Product:** Mbox Player (Media Playback Software)  
**Manufacturer:** PRG  
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## INTRODUCTION

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### Mbox Player Software Version 1.3.1

Software version 1.3.1 is now available for the Mbox Player application. This release includes one significant bug fix only. The Mbox Player Sync application remains on version 1.3.

### Important Note About Show File Compatibility

The Mbox Player v1.3.1 application uses an updated fixture and showfile format to accommodate the addition of the hue and saturation parameters, and to allow the volume control to go to 200%.

These changes mean that show files created with Mbox Player v1.3.1 are not compatible with versions of the Mbox Player application prior to v1.3. Versions prior to v1.3 will display an error message when loading a show file from v1.3.1 and will require a new show file to be started.

Show files created by older versions of Mbox Player can be opened and used with Mbox Player v1.3.1. However the hue and saturation parameters will not work for clips added to the clip list using the older version of Mbox Player, and the volume default for any existing clips will be 200%. To avoid the limitations for the hue and saturation parameters, either delete existing clips and re-add them to the clip list, or start a new show and add clips as required. To get the correct default value for the volume parameter, a new show must be started, and clips added to that new show.

### Bug Fixes

- + Fix output rendering sync issue that led to stuttering output in specific circumstances. This rendering issue was primarily visible with 4K30 output and was due to the wrong rendering destination being used for the output synchronization.