

Illustrator 9.0.1 Issues Addressed

This is an abridged list of the issues fixed in the Illustrator 9.0.1 update.

Actions	Drop Shadow colors are now actionable.
Appearance Palette	Appearance palette now updates after ungrouping is undone.
Appearance Palette	Appearance Palette now correctly updates after converting color modes.
Appearance Palette	Appearances can no longer be dragged to locked or hidden layers.
Applescript	Documents created when 9.0.1 is minimized now have windows.
Applescript	Illustrator no longer draws directly on the desktop when activated in automation mode with no document window open.
Applescript	Tools now work correctly if AI was initially activated in automation mode.
Artboard	Documents no longer open as minimized when saved in that state.
Artboard	Artboard will no longer take the color of the transparency grid with Simulate Colored Paper off.
Artboard	New objects are no longer effected by the output resolution setting.
Artboard	Fixed known occurrences of the artboard randomly turning black have been corrected.
Artboard	Fixed known instances when display artifacts occur after applying a Drop Shadow to an object.
Artboard	An extra black background no longer appears when applying the Soft Red Highlight style to an object.
Artboard	Euro character now displays correctly on screen.
Artboard	Snapping to guide intersection now functions as designed.
Artboard	Holding down the arrow keys now moves objects continuously.
Artboard	Fixed known issues that involved the artboard's colors inverting or changing to black when dragging large selections.

Artboard	Fractional increments are now shown on the ruler when zoomed in.
Artboard	"Select All Unused command now recognizes all strokes and fills of every object, group and layer."
Artboard	You can now zoom out to 3.13%.
Attributes Palette	Notes on objects from AI8 files are retained.
Attributes Palette	Notes are no longer disabled when opening AI8 files.
Attributes Palette	Fixed miscellaneous problems associated with working in the Attributes palette with legacy documents.
Blends	Applying raster-based effects to a blend created with styles no longer loses its transparency.
Blends	Blends created with objects that have the Free Distort Effect applied now transition correctly.
Brush	Fixed a crash associated with naming a brush with over 63 characters.
Brush	Calligraphic and Scatter brush now apply correctly.
CD	Alternate Glyph files no longer erroneously installed on French and German systems.
CD	Size of title bar in Brushes.pdf corrected.
CD	Fixed description of Postscript installer in Autoplay on Educational Windows CD.
CD	Removed erroneous icons from Stock Photography folder.
CD	Fixed file names in CD-ROM & Cassettes folder.
CD	Corrected information in the Brushes.pdf file on CD.
CD	Miscellaneous cosmetic clean-up of CD contents.
CD	Autoplay buttons on Swedish Windows CD now function correctly.
Clipboard/Flattener	The flattener is no longer run twice on AICB clipboard operations.
Color	Illustrator 8 files that include meshes in multiple color spaces now open correctly.
Color	Correct Adobe Color Engine component now included.
Color	CSF files now match Adobe Photoshop 5x.
Color	Will install correct set of CMYK profiles and CMS data.

Color	Soft proofing is now disabled as expected after turning color management off.
Color	PressReady color profiles have been updated to correct color posterization problems.
Color	Newer CSF files are no longer overwritten by the installer.
Color Management	Excessive black and posterization reduced when previewing CMYK objects without black point compensation selected.
Color Management	Newer ICC profiles are no longer erroneously overwritten.
Color Picker	Color Picker no longer will subtract 1 from CMYK values.
Color Picker	Color Picker values no longer change after reopening the color picker from the Drop Shadow dialog box.
Crash	Replacing linked files with differently formatted files no longer hangs the system.
Crash	Illustrator will no longer crash after opening a file that included the Crystallize filter if the Crystallize filter is not in the plug-ins folder.
Crash	Illustrator will no longer crash when applying a large number of filters to complex objects.
Crash	Crash when placing an EPS file that contains HeiseiMin TrueType font quotation mark fixed.
Crash	Fixed a crash that occurred when scaling a selection that contained a path and a sub-layer at the same level.
Cursor	The wait cursor will now change more quickly to reflect actual state.
Cursor	Fixed known flashing cursor issues.
Dialogs	Reduced incorrect error message that occurred when applying an effect to a Photoshop file.
Dialogs	Known multiple beeping dialogs have been eliminated.
Dialogs	Fixed miscellaneous erroneous error dialogs that appeared when using Live Effects.
Dialogs	Extraneous error messages no longer displays when canceling printing.
Document Info	Images used in opacity masks are now correctly noted in the Document Info palette.
Document Info	Saved Document Info now correctly labels brushes.
Document Info	Saved Document Info now correctly notes styles.

Documentation	English documentation now correctly states that we do not export to Microsoft Word or RTF formats. This was not corrected in localized documentation.
Documentation	PDF of User Guide now included when available on CD.
Effects	Outline Stroke effect now applies correctly to compound paths.
Effects	Effects that include a Photoshop filter now function correctly when targeting a layer or group.
Effects	Rasterize effects settings are maintained on file open.
Effects	Clipping masks are no longer changed in to opacity masks when applying a live effect.
Effects	Live effects no longer randomize unexpectedly when applied to text and rasters.
Effects	Opacity masks retained when using Pathfinder or Knife tool.
Effects	Known freezes when applying a Drop Shadow to styled art have been fixed.
Effects	Outline Stroke no longer causes the output resolution to change unexpectedly.
Error Messages	Erroneous error messages when applying Unsharp Mask to a stylized object have been reduced.
Error Messages	An error message no longer displays when opening a file if Photoshop Filters and Effects are not loaded.
Expand	Expand command now works correctly when prioritizing blends, strokes and fills.
Expand	Expand Appearance command now functions correctly when transparency is applied to an object at the layer level.
Export	Known text shifts when exporting to EMF, WMF, PICT and CGM formats have been fixed.
Export	EPS preview now looks correct when text is present.
Export	Known EPS preview issues have been improved.
Export	Type justification no longer lost when saving to legacy EPS file formats.
Export	SVGZ export no longer crashes when exporting an object with a brush stroke, gradient fill, and transparency blending mode and opacity mask applied.
Export	Clipping paths are now correctly recognized by the flattener.

Export	Illustrator thumbnails no longer cause page fault errors in Internet Explorer 4.
Export	Italian only: Files that contain the Soft Red Highlight effect can be correctly exported as a TIFF.
Export	Fixed numerous minor errors when saving files.
Export	Blending space now specified in PDF files that contain transparency.
Export	Opacity Masks are now retained when exporting to Photoshop format.
Export	MM fonts now correctly commented in EPS files.
Export	Template layers no longer incorrectly displayed in EPS previews.
Export	Illustrator no longer hangs when exporting to WMF with stroke weight in decimals.
Export	Meshes are better retained when viewing Illustrator PDF or AI files in other applications.
Eyedropper	Eyedropper now picks up the correct values on raster objects.
Eyedropper	Eyedropper now picks up the color between type objects correctly.
Font	Enfour media's CID fonts now embed correctly in PDF files.
Font	Fixed known Euro character printing issues.
Font menu	Helvetica Neue Type 1 font now listed in font menu correctly.
Guide	Anchor points jumping reduced when working with guides.
Import	Files that contain a Feather effect and a spot color now parsed correctly.
Import	Files that contain a mesh object and a spot color now parsed correctly.
Import	Previews of Freehand files now correctly sized in the Open dialog.
Import	Grayscale Photoshop EPS files that include a clipping path now link correctly.
Import	Files that contain a mesh and a spot color now parsed correctly.
Import	Illustrator now opens TIFF 7.0 format files.
Import	Photoshop TIFFs that contain transparency now open correctly.
Import	Illustrator now correctly supports the Base*64 resolution of Kodak PCD files.

Import	Korean only: Known text issues when placing files have been fixed.
Import	Layers clipping paths that have stroke and fill applied are now roundtripped correctly.
Import	Hidden objects inside a layer with a style effect now roundtrip correctly.
Import	Fixed known issues regarding opening of legacy files.
Import	Reduced known memory limitations when opening some files.
Import	Roundtripping of exported PSD files which include transparent blending modes has been improved.
Import	PNG files using version 1.0.6 library now open correctly.
Import	A18 files that contain and RGB object on top of a locked CMYK mesh now open correctly in to the RGB color space.
Import	Fixed numerous minor errors when opening files.
Import	Out of Memory error no longer appears when opening a Photoshop file containing vector masks and saved with backward compatibility on.
Import	Placed linked images that are involved in opacity masks can now be replaced.
Import	Transparency now respected when opening PNG-8 files.
Import	Grayscale images that include an alpha channel are no longer corrupted when opening in Matisse.
Installer	Miscellaneous cosmetic fixes to how icons look after install on the desktop.
Installer	Upgrade Installer now correctly recognizes Educational CDs.
Installer	The CD will no longer eject unexpectedly after using the Upgrade Installer.
Installer	The installer will no longer cause you to quit open browsers.
Installer	Japanese only: The Upgrade Installer no longer leaves autoplay running incorrectly.
KBSC	Highlighting improved in the Keyboard Shortcut Editor dialog.
KBSC	Screen now updates more promptly after editing a Keyboard Shortcut.
KBSC	Command option N now works when applied to File: New menu item.

KBSC	Keyboard Shortcut dialog now remains editable after expanding a menu item.
KBSC	Snap to Guide short cut now functions as designed.
KBSC	Tool palette no longer vanishes when switching the Document's color mode.
KBSC	The Alt Gr keys now work on European keyboards.
Layers Palette	Thumbnails now redraw quicker in the Layers palette.
Layers Palette	Shift clicking multiple layers in the Layers palette now selects correctly.
Layers Palette	Intermediate blend steps can now be selected after Releasing to Layers.
Layers Palette	Undo now functions as designed when there is an empty sub layer in a document.
Layers Palette	Selecting an object in the layers palette no longer records unnecessary undo functions.
Layers Palette	Thumbnails now redraw as designed when sub-layers are hidden.
Links Palette	Linked EPS no longer scales when embedded from the Links Palette
Links Palette	Linked EPS no longer shifts when embedded from the Links Palette
Links Palette	Warning icon in Links Pallet now displays correctly when an EPS file is included in an Opacity Mask.
Navigator	Navigator will now update correctly after first zoom.
Opacity Mask	When releasing Opacity Masks, all objects are now retained.
Out of Memory	Single Point styled art no longer generate Out of Memory dialog boxes
PDF	Files saved to PDF 1.4 open without warnings in 9.0.1
PDF	Groups involved in compound paths are no longer lost when saved to PDF 1.3 or 1.4
PDF	When Paint and Transparency are applied at a sub-layer level and saved to 1.4, the transparency is no longer applied two times
PDF	The Opacity and Mask Define Knockout Shape checkbox is now cleared from large raster items within groups that have this feature turned on.
PDF	The Style "Fantasmic," when applied to compound paths, does not prevent PDFs from being opened in other

	applications.
PDF	PDF preview of artwork that contains a clipping mask has been improved.
PDF	Type alignment no longer changes when saving to PDF 1.4
PencilTool	The Smooth and Eraser now function when you uncheck the 'Edit Selected Paths' option in the Pencil tool preferences.
Performance	Performance when embedding 2-byte fonts improved.
Performance	Performance when using non-Adobe color management systems improved.
Performance	Optimized the performance of Release to Layers when outlined text is involved.
Performance	Knockout Groups that do not contain transparency have been optimized.
Performance	Links palette has been optimized to prevent known slow downs.
Performance	Fixed known memory resource issues when multiple files are open.
Performance	Optimized menus so that enabled/disabled items are displayed more quickly.
Performance	Performance when using the zoom tool has been enhanced.
Performance	Reduced the occurrence of swapping to disk on machines with minimal memory installations.
Performance	Optimized menus to reduce the delay when selecting for the first time.
Performance	Select All has been optimized to improve performance of complex files.
Printing	Force font downloading now works correctly with EFI Fiery RIPs in Japan.
Printing	Placed bitmap images now print correctly to HP Deskjet 970Cxi printers.
Printing	Known problems of printing multiple copies to GDI printers have been fixed.
Printing	White gaps should no longer appear around the edges of mesh objects that overlap other objects when flattening.
Printing	All Layers selection in Separation Setup now correctly prints hidden layers too.
Printing	Fixed known issues that caused colors to drop out when printing mesh objects with a Drop Shadow to Postscript

	printers.
Printing	Fixed known stitching problems that occurred when a partially transparent object is on top of a gradient that contains spot colors.
Printing	GDI printing of gradients on NT platform improved.
Printing	Reduced artifacts in printouts when in Bitmap printing mode.
Printing	Output resolution is now correctly maintained when printing to the Scitex "Bresque ver3 (CPSI 3010.106)" RIP.
Printing	HP DeskJet 970 printer no longer crashes when bitmap printing is turned off.
Progress bar	Progress bar now displays when embedding large EPS files.
Rasterize	Rasterize command now correctly recognizes groups.
Rasterize	Rasterize command will no longer rasterize to white objects that have had styles applied at the layer level.
Rasterize	Raster objects contained with in styled art now correctly converted when changing the color space.
Save	The output resolution of objects in a multi-layer file no longer incorrectly inherit the output resolution of the object on the bottom most layer.
Save	Miscellaneous temp files are no longer created when canceling an EPS save.
Save	Erroneous error messages no longer occur when saving an Illustrator file with multiple styles applied to a path.
Save for Web	iMode rasterization settings now appear in the Save for Web dialog.
Selection	Selection of grouped objects improved.
Selection	Known instances of selections being difficult have been fixed.
Selection	Adding points to a gradient mesh object no longer causes crashing.
Selection	The origin of the gradient will correctly restore after an undo command.
Selection	Anchor points can now be selected if Use Preview Bounds is on.
Selection	Object flicker when dragging in Outline view has been reduced.
Selection	Styled objects no longer deselect after moving.

Styles	Styles now can be applied at the layer level to type objects that also have a style applied at the type object level.
Styles	Illustrator will no longer freeze when applying the Patriotic Ribbon style to multiple paths.
Styles	Targeting is maintained when using Undo and Redo commands.
SVG	Vertically scaled text now exports correctly to SVG.
SVG	Documents that have styles applied to groups now export to SVG correctly.
SVG	JavaScript events are now properly applied to styled objects.
SVG	Documents that have grayscale gradients are now exported to SVG correctly.
SVG	Opacity on text is exported to SVG documents properly.
SVG	Miscellaneous fixes to the SVG interactivity palette.
SVG	Changes are no longer lost when saving JavaScript from the SVG palette in cases when a return is not the last user action.
Text	Issues entering umlaut have been addressed.
Transform Palette	Individual anchor points can now be moved via the Transform palette.
Transform Palette	Named styles that contain a brush will now transform as expected.
Transparency	Knockout Group now works correctly for bitmap fonts.
Transparency	When Simulate Colored Paper is selected, there is no longer a color difference between the artboard and white objects that interact with a transparent object.
Transparency	Isolate Blending now works correctly when Knockout Group is off.
Transparency	The flattener is no longer triggered when printing separations if there is no transparency in a document.
Transparency	More explicit warnings have been added to let users know that flattening will be invoked when saving and/or printing a document.
Transparency Palette	The 'Mask Defines Knockout Shape' option is now correctly set for filters that generate transparent rasters.
Type	Characters are no longer lost when adding new text to styled text that includes a carriage return.

Type	Styled type no longer deselects when transforming using the bounding box.
Type	Text highlighting now correctly hides when Hide Edges command is invoked.
Type	Extended characters are now displayed as expected.
Type	Text no longer duplicates after transforming when extended characters are present.
Type	Text no longer duplicates after aligning to other objects when em dash is present.
Type	When transforming styled text, known instances of artifacting have been fixed.
User Guide	US only: User Guide has been corrected to state that we do not support opening or placing Microsoft Word documents.