

# IHS Engineering Workbench™

## V1.3 Release Notes

IHS Markit is pleased to announce the release of Version 1.3 of IHS Engineering Workbench™, delivering additional and enhanced Standards management capabilities, along with usability and user personalization enhancements based on user feedback.

### Learn More.

[Click here](#) to watch a recorded demo of the new capabilities in IHS Engineering Workbench 1.3 (may take a minute to load, depending on your browser and connection).

Read this [briefing paper](#) (PDF) detailing how Engineering Workbench makes finding, using and managing standards easy and convenient.

### Release Description

IHS Engineering Workbench Version 1.3 is the latest in a series of releases enabling best-in-class Standards management functionality within Engineering Workbench. This release brings additional and enhanced standards management capabilities and multiple usability and personalization improvements based on direct user feedback and requests.

Building on the prior 1.2 release, Version 1.3 includes further essential capabilities for working with standards, codes and specifications in support of the eventual migration from IHS Standards Expert to Engineering Workbench. For example, Version 1.3 delivers Watch List functionality analogous to Standards Expert, as well as enhanced sharing capability for Projects.

In addition, Version 1.3 brings multiple user experience improvements and additional improvements in application security and performance.

Please note that Version 1.3 does not include all functionality equivalent to Standards Expert. Over the coming months, additional functionality will be added to Engineering Workbench to enhance your organization's ability to work with standards. An additional release is scheduled for January 2017, followed by the release of Engineering Workbench 2.0, scheduled for Q2 2017.\* Version 2.0 will include the full capabilities of Standards Expert, along with many powerful new capabilities for discovering, using and managing standards along with related technical content.

Through this "early visibility" to the standards-related capabilities in Version 1.3, current Engineering Workbench customers already can start using it as their standards management solution, while also taking advantage of the ability to use standards alongside eBooks, journals, or other content they access via Engineering Workbench.

Read more detail on the enhancements in Version 1.3 on the pages that follow. For assistance or training on IHS Engineering Workbench, please contact IHS Markit Customer Care for your region using the information below.

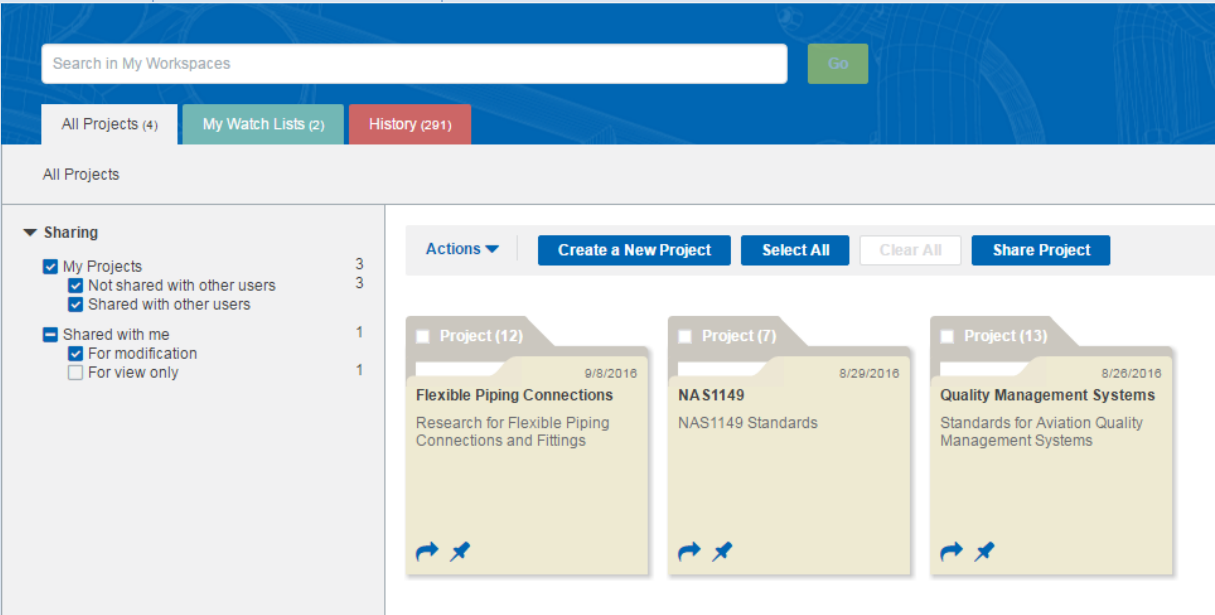
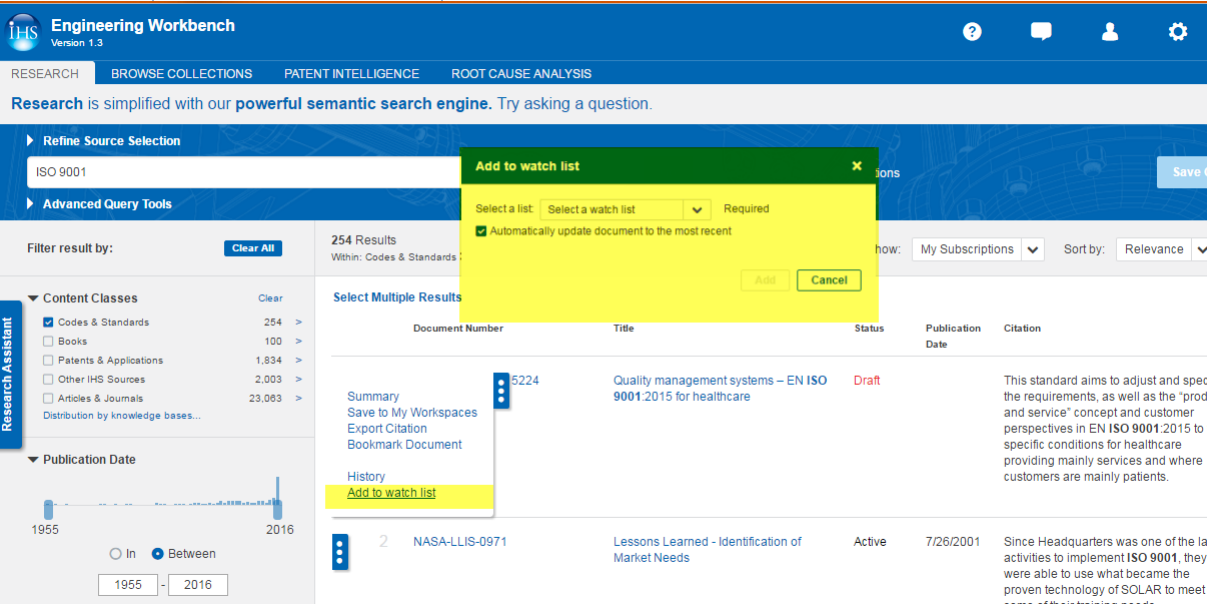
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\* Timing and scope of future releases subject to change without notice.

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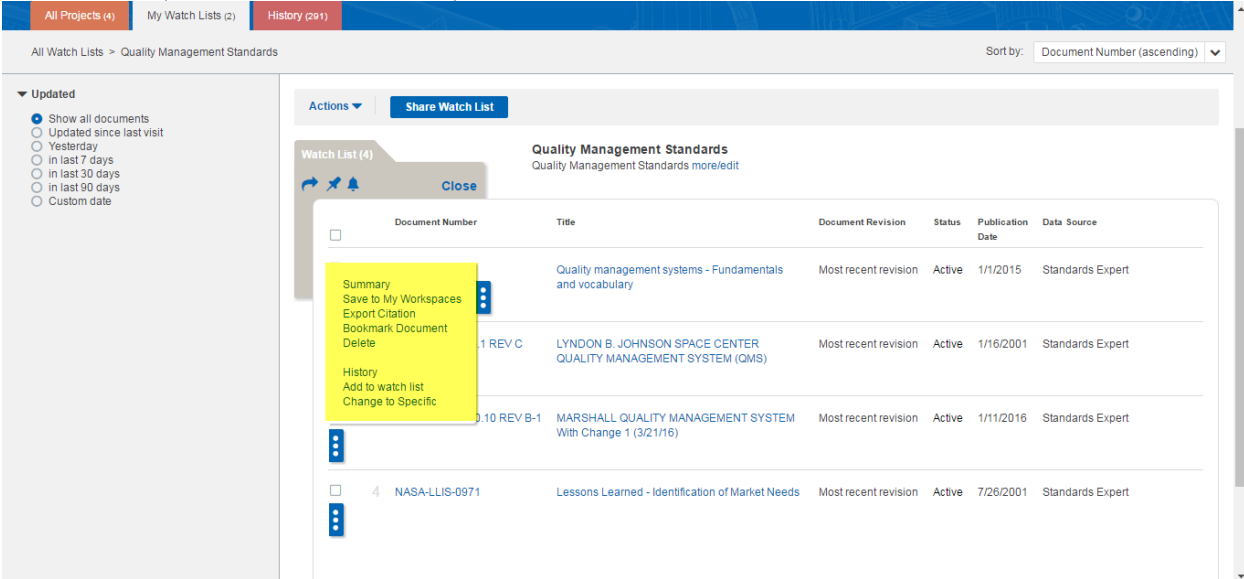
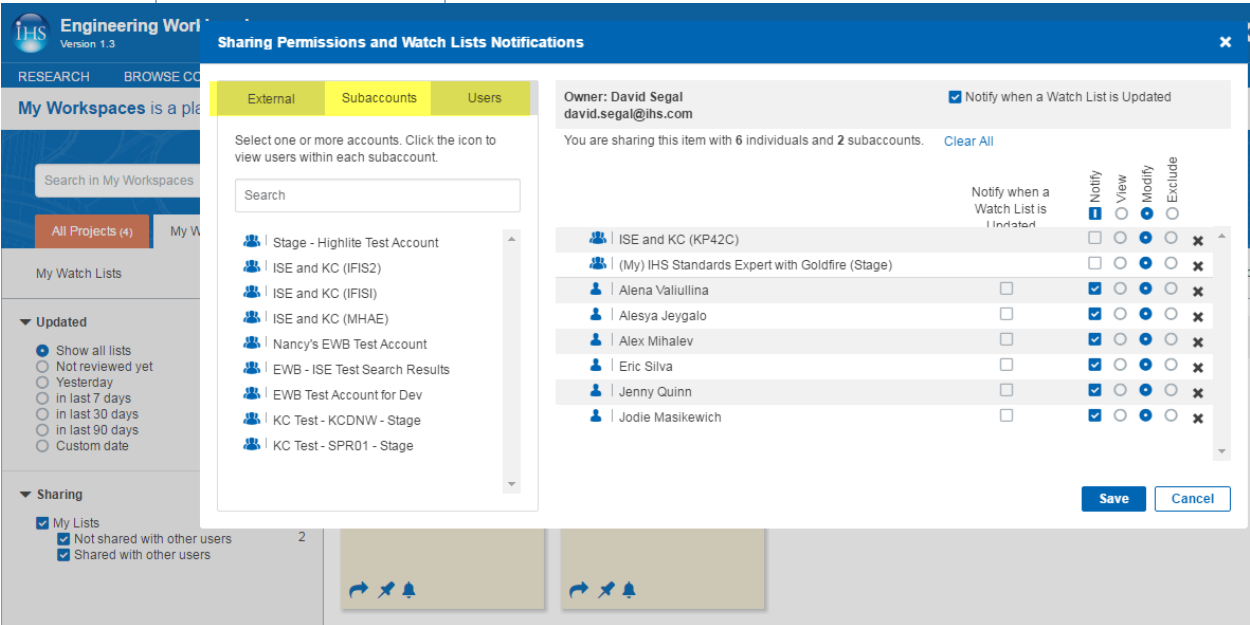
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### Capabilities and Enhancements in IHS Engineering Workbench Version 1.3

EWB Module	Area of Enhancement	Description
My Workspaces	Projects and Watch Lists user interface	<p>New appearance of Project "cards," or folders, in My Workspaces for better user navigation and simplified user experience.</p> <p>User notification for new and updated information within My Workspaces.</p>
		
Home Page, Research App and My Workspaces	Standards Watch Lists	<p>Ability to create, manage and share Standards Watch Lists. Documents listed in search results can be instantly added to Watch Lists.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ability to instantly add documents from search results to Watch Lists:</li> </ul>
		

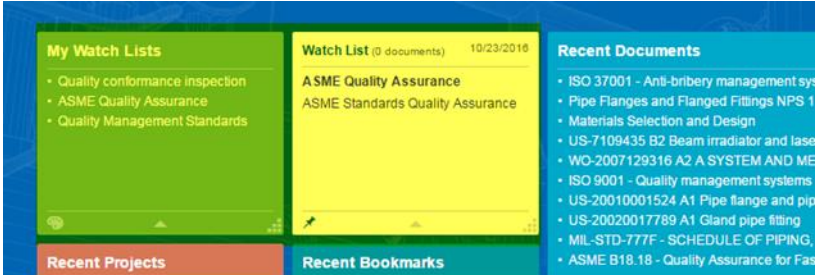
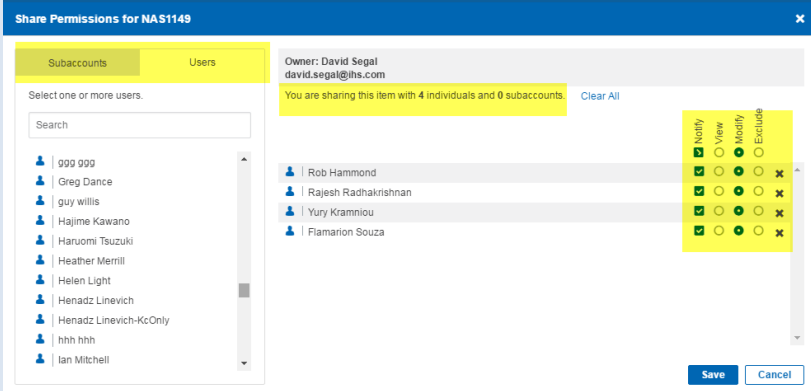
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ability to manage and personalize content of Watch Lists in My Workspaces.</li> </ul>
		
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ability to share Watch Lists with other users.</li> </ul>
		

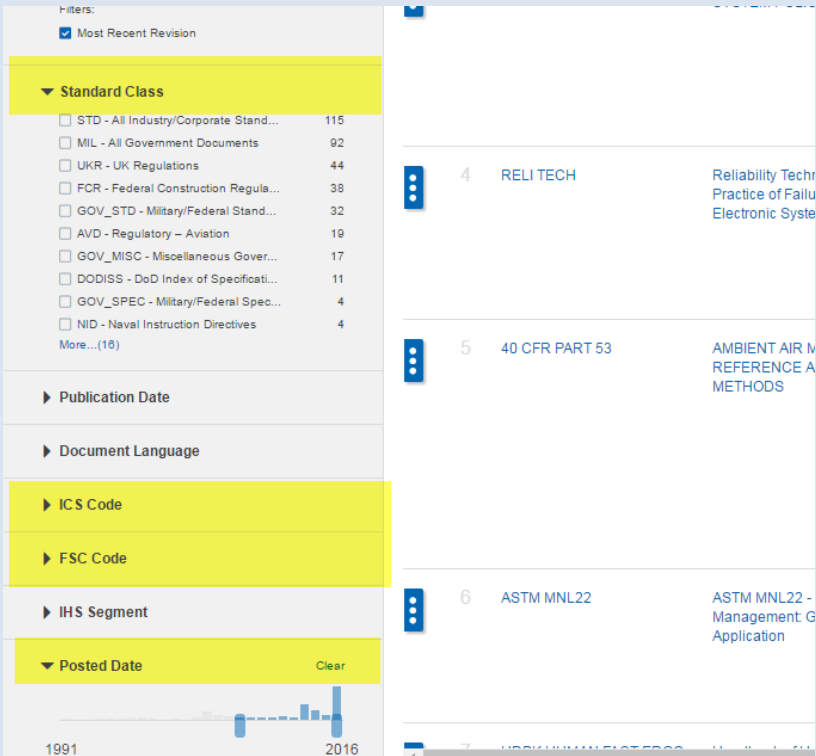
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dynamic Watch List widgets on Home Page for up-to-date, rapid access to Watch Lists.</li> </ul> 
My Workspaces	Sharing Projects	<p>Ability to share Projects with other users, including internally between sub-accounts, and with external users.</p> <p>Enhanced access management to shared projects, with ability to delegate ownership rights.</p> 
Research App	Enhancements for Search results	<p>Multiple enhancements in Standards query processing and improved relevancy of search results, such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Search queries with compound words for better search precision</li> <li>Search performance improvements</li> <li>Standards document number detection and results ranking improvements</li> <li>Ability to export search results in Table View to a PDF document</li> </ul>

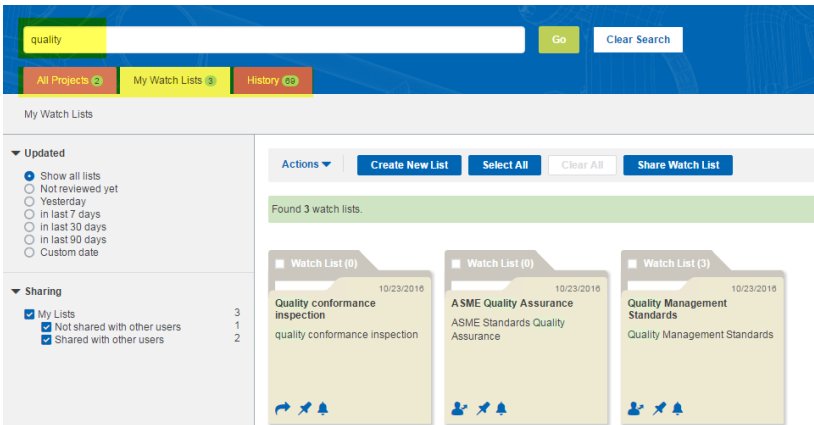

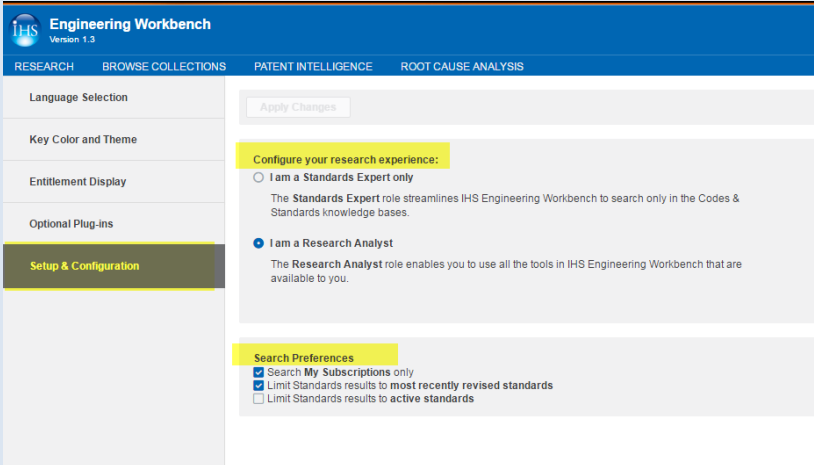
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Research App	Standards-specific filter categories in filters panel	<p>On the search results page, Standards-specific filter categories are now available in the left-hand filters panel, including Standard Class, Document Status, Posted Date, etc.:</p> 
Research App	Multiple user experience and usability enhancements	<p>Multiple usability enhancements, such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Document titles and subjects emphasis and improved relevancy ranking based on documents titles</li> <li>Updated, more relevant command names, such as “Save to My Workspaces”</li> <li>New template for user e-mail alerts and notifications</li> <li>Additional multiple user experience enhancements requested by users</li> </ul>
Unified Document Viewer	Multiple functional and usability enhancements	<p>Multiple usability enhancements, such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ability to open an embedded attachment from within a PDF document</li> <li>Improvements in Table of Contents (TOC) navigation and alignment with Annotations</li> </ul>

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My Workspaces	Search within user's personalized information in My Workspaces	<p>Improvements and visual identification of search results across a user's information within My Workspaces.</p> 
Administration and User Settings	New settings for Setup and Configuration, including My Roles & Functions including permanent Search Preferences	<p>Ability for users to associate their current session with a predefined profile for better user interface configuration, navigation simplicity and better selection of information sources. Users can switch between Roles &amp; Functions in order to simplify or extend the user interface and functionality.</p>  

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### Resources to Help You Get Started with Engineering Workbench

- [IHS Engineering Workbench Education Sessions](#) conducted by IHS Customer Care. Use this link to sign up for a session convenient to your schedule.
- For company or specific trainings around your schedule, contact [Customer Care](#).
- View a [webcast recording](#) introducing you to Engineering Workbench. (Recording not requiring plug-in available [here](#) – may take 1-2 minutes to load to browser.)
- A brief demo video introducing you to Engineering Workbench is available [here](#).

For more assistance with Engineering Workbench, please contact IHS Markit Sales or Customer Care:

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