

Version History for CrystalClear Interface 1.8 - 2.5

Date	Version Information
02.19.12	2.5.8.8. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Fixes a bug that prevented users from disabling apps from the CCI global menu.
02.14.12	2.5.8.7. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Adds system graphics and support for Mac OS X 10.7.3.
01.29.12	2.5.8.6. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Adds code to prevent its install or uninstall on Mac OS X 10.7.3, which has yet another new set of system graphics files, which are incompatible with both 10.7.1 and 10.7.2. ▪ Adds code to be compatible with the recently released Mars Text Tools.
11.10.11	2.5.8.5. This release adds support for Lion 10.7.2, improves performance, and fixes bugs on both OS's. <p>Enhancements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Adds support for Mac OS X 10.7.2. ▪ Expands support for more CCI custom graphics — mostly various types of buttons — on Lion. <p>Bug fixes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Fixes a bug that could cause CCI to mis-theme some buttons and text labels when the user has selected the Aqua button theme. ▪ Fixed a bug that caused applications to crash after changing menu extra icons from black to white, and vice versa. ▪ On Lion, made several changes to ensure that application and global preference settings are not affected by installing or uninstalling CrystalClear Interface. ▪ Also on Lion, fixed a few CCI graphics that weren't rendering correctly. <p>Other (architectural):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Reorganized core graphics files, zipping whole set for each OS and installing only the relevant set. ▪ Added new property list to store IDs for apps that have had preferences plist edited while running CCI. Will use this list to remove those settings when CCI is uninstalled. ▪ Eliminated use of the "pointer window" to show new users where the CCI global menu is located.
09.26.11	2.5.8.4. This release fixes bugs on both Snow Leopard and Lion and adds graphics for Lion. <p>On 10.6 and 10.7:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Fixed a bug that could cause difficulty in enabling CCI after installing a license. ▪ Fixed a setting that could cause white-contrast text to have over-etched shadows on some buttons. ▪ Fixed a bug that could cause CCI to fail to restore a user's existing license when updating to a new version of CCI. <p>On 10.7:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Added CCI gradient-style graphics for regular scrollbars.
09.10.11	2.5.8.3. This release fixes bugs in using CCI on Mac OS X 10.7 ("Lion"). <p>Bug fixes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Added code to preserve users' custom Finder settings when uninstalling CCI. ▪ Fixed Safari graphics files so that Safari is restored correctly when uninstalling. ▪ Prevented users on Mac OS X 10.7.2 from installing CCI. This OS update, not yet released from Apple, has new graphics files not compatible with CCI.
09.06.11	2.5.8.2. This release fixes bugs in using CCI on Mac OS X 10.7 ("Lion"). <p>Bug fixes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ CCI now forces users to restart their Mac after installing or uninstalling CCI. This helps overcome a problem on Lion that can make it appear that CCI either hasn't been installed or hasn't been uninstalled. (A restart isn't necessary for Snow Leopard, but it isn't practical to require a logout on Snow Leopard and a restart on Lion.) ▪ Removed graphics files for Apple apps (Safari, Mail, Preview) until Lion-specific files can be prepared. The Safari graphics in versions before 2.5.8.2 did not completely restore Safari graphics to their defaults. ▪ Eliminated code for Lion that caused users' custom System Preferences to revert to the Lion defaults.

09.02.11	<p>2.5.8.1. This release fixes bugs related to the CCI Uninstaller and the License Installer.</p> <p>Bug fixes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ This update fixes a bug with the Uninstaller that could cause it to fail for new users who installed CCI and then almost immediately tried to uninstall it. It also fixes a related bug that failed to insert the current version number of CCI into the user's preferences property list. ▪ In addition, the license installer program has now been updated for CCI 2.5.8. The earlier license installer failed to recognize licenses for the new version of CCI.
08.29.11	<p>2.5.8. This is a major release that introduces a new architecture for the software and drops support for Mac OS X 10.5 ("Leopard"). It includes a variety of new features, though many are a bit subtle. In addition, the update introduces numerous enhancements to performance and usability.</p> <p>Architecture changes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ CCI 2.5.8 can only be installed on Mac OS X 10.6 ("Snow Leopard") and Mac OS X 10.7 ("Lion"). Support for Lion, while not as extensive as that for Snow Leopard, is much improved over 2.5.7.2. ▪ CCI no longer requires SIMBL, and it no longer uses the InputManager plugin. ▪ CCI is now installed as part of the MarsThemes folder, where it runs as a plugin for the new MarsThemes Loader software. ▪ A new MarsThemes Agent program watches application launch events and automatically loads CCI into applications that can use CCI's functionality. ▪ The new architecture allows CCI to eliminate the "ResetFinder" application that launched on login and forced Finder to relaunch to ensure that Finder would load CCI automatically. "ResetFinder" could cause problems with the login process — including generating AppleScript errors — and interfered with use of Finder plugins like TotalFinder. ▪ With the new MarsThemes Loader software, it will be possible to allow CCI and Crystal Black — as well as any future MarsThemes plugins — to be installed and used simultaneously. ▪ CCI modifies one of the two main system graphics files for Lion—the one that determines color/appearance for the menubar, menu highlights, Spotlight bar, and a few other window-related items. However, CCI doesn't provide any separate graphics for buttons or other controls. <p>New features:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ All applications on both Snow Leopard and Lion can now have their name replaced by their icon in the main menubar. ▪ CCI now themes the ruler view in RTF editing applications. ▪ Like Crystal Black, CCI now themes the buttons of the Font Panel. ▪ Users can now uninstall, as well as install, third-party Crystal Docs icons from the CCI Prefs Panel. ▪ The Uninstaller now offers to remove any Crystal Docs icon sets the user has installed. ▪ Users can now choose whether or not to show the CCI global menu as a contextual menu in window titlebars. The option is added to the Extras»Other tab in CCI Prefs Panel. ▪ Users can now hide the Crystal Menubar if they choose. The option is in the Extras»Graphics tab. <p>Enhancements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ This release updates the application graphics installed for Safari and iWork, for compatibility with changes Apple introduced in July 2011. ▪ Reliability and performance of the Color Panel is improved when used to modify CCI custom colors. ▪ CCI now automatically loads into the LoginWindow process, as well as other system processes that generate alert windows — including User Notifications and Authentications. ▪ Previously, CCI could not automatically load into "agent" applications that use 64-bit memory. This type of application runs without a menubar and doesn't appear in the Dock. Examples of agents that run natively with 64-bit memory are Hazel, CoverSutra, and MenuCalendarClock for iCal. ▪ CCI now automatically changes the eject button in Finder to provide appropriate contrast color when the outline view background changes. ▪ This version improves settings for the color of table and outline views — for those that use alternating row colors and those that don't. ▪ The set of white Apple menu extras provided now includes the Script and Keychain icons. ▪ Added a white menu extra for TotalFinder. ▪ Slightly modified the DarkFire theme (the default CCI theme) to better complement the Dark Fire "frosted crystal" desktop picture. ▪ Expanded the set of outline and tableviews that can support dark backgrounds with white text. Examples are Activity Monitor and System Preferences. <p>Bug fixes (on Snow Leopard):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Finder's eject button works again. ▪ Prevents use of the CCI 2.5.8 uninstaller to uninstall prior versions of the software. Doing so could cause the uninstall process to fail or perform incompletely. ▪ A bug in previous versions could make switching button themes unreliable. This bug is fixed in 2.5.7.2 <p>Other changes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Font Options panel has been removed from the CCI Text Tools, because of an incompatibility with Lion. ▪ Removed the option to install third-party icons automatically, as this was more confusing than helpful.

07.10.11	<p>2.5.7.2. This release updates the system graphics files to include files for Mac OS X 10.7 ("Lion").</p> <p>Modifications for Lion:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ CCI modifies one of the two main system graphics files for Lion—the one that determines color/appearance for the menubar, menu highlights, Spotlight bar, and a few other window-related items. However, CCI doesn't provide any separate graphics for buttons or other controls. ▪ The CCI Preference Pane does not enable access to the "Glossy" button theme on Lion. ▪ CCI has code changes to reflect one or two changes in the way Lion behaves. <p>Bug fix:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ A bug in previous versions could make switching button themes unreliable. This bug is fixed in 2.5.7.2
05.22.11	<p>2.5.7.1. This release fixes a couple of bugs in CCI 2.5.7, and introduces one new option.</p> <p>New feature:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ In the "Alternative Paradigms" tab of CCI Extras, you can now choose whether or not to show the blue or graphite "focus ring" surrounding the currently active text field or button. This feature is added because 2.5.7.1 abandons the experiment—introduced in CCI 2.5.0—of changing the focus ring color to complement your window color. <p>Bug fixes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Fixed the bug that caused Time Machine to display with background transparency and a fuzzy foreground color. ▪ Fixed a bug that could cause the Crystal Menubar to quit and disable CCI after exiting from a full-screen view. ▪ Reworked the calculation for alternate row colors in some outline views. In 2.5.7, these were inadvertently set too light. ▪ Changed the animation timing for fade-in windows in order to speed initial window display. ▪ Squashed a bug that could remove the background image from Installer.app when used to install new software.
05.18.11	<p>2.5.7. This release improves stability, addresses several bugs and other issues, and introduces some minor enhancements. Note: This will be the last release of CrystalClear Interface for Mac OS X 10.5 ("Leopard").</p> <p>Enhancements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Added custom application mods from Crystal Black in a new "Extras" tab. ▪ Updated custom graphics for Safari 5.0. ▪ Added numerous custom graphics for applications and menubar icons, including: Preview, Mail, Automator, Safari, Hyperspaces, Twittrific, Voila, DragThing, and iWork. ▪ Added custom modifications for a few third-party applications, including Leap, Path Finder, Chronosync, and TextEdit. ▪ Rebuilt the CCI Uninstaller program to overcome some weaknesses in the previous version, which could fail to remove some components if not run from the CCI menubar or from the disk image. In addition, the program now automatically restores default menu icons if you have changed them through CCI. ▪ Eliminated the nested "CCI Tools" menu to make it easier to find and use the "Re-Crystalize Windows" and "Toggle Crystal Menubar" functions in the CCI global menu. <p>Issues addressed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The CCI installer now detects Crystal Black and prevents users from installing CCI if Crystal Black is running. ▪ Turned off window animations by default. Using this option on slower systems such as MacBooks or MacMinis causes a serious delay in launching applications. ▪ Turned off Single Application Mode (SAM) by default. SAM is the best way to run CCI, but it's disorienting to users who aren't used to it. ▪ Fixed the "ResetFinder" application to ensure it retains windows from previous session. ▪ Fixed a system graphics file to ensure gradient toolbars are used with both graphite and blue system colors. ▪ Eliminated a few routines that caused excessive overhead and possible application crashes—for example, the experimental setting of custom focus ring colors on popup buttons, and the use of overlay images on HUD panels with toolbars. <p>Bug fixes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Fixed a bug that could cause an AppleScript error after installing and opening a new application. ▪ Improved routines for setting custom colors for outline views and panels. ▪ Fixed some inconsistencies in the application of contrast text colors. ▪ Numerous code improvements to improve stability and reduce memory and processor use. ▪ Killed a bug that prevented the Icons Uninstalled confirmation sheet from closing when user clicks "OK." ▪ Support added for App Store, QuickTime Player (on Snow Leopard), and Adobe Photoshop CS5, which are incompatible with CCI for various reasons. CCI 2.5.7 automatically disables CCI for App Store, and minimizes CCI for QuickTime Player and Photoshop CS5.

08.01.10	<p>2.5.6.3. This release fixes a few bugs that can have a noticeable impact on window and view display.</p> <p>Bug fixes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Version 2.5.6.2 introduced a bug that could unexpectedly cause windows to take on the theme of another window type. The most common instance is to see Heads-Up Display (HUD) panels, such as the Inspectors in Pages, switch from their normal translucent black appearance to take on the color of the window being inspected. Another example is that of a window having its toolbar switch from the window's normal color to that of an accompanying HUD panel. ▪ This release also fixes a bug that caused delay in correctly theming the color of text in file browser views, when the user clicks a node that adds a new column to the browser. In this case, the new column's text wouldn't switch to white (in the case of a dark browser background) immediately, but only after a one- or two-second delay. ▪ Fixed the bug that eliminated the beautiful gradient background in Quicksilver's Preferences window. ▪ Fixed a bug that caused the frontmost window in Quicken 2006 to appear blank when you switch to the application while using SAM.
07.29.10	<p>2.5.6.2. This release addresses several bugs, and adds some minor enhancements.</p> <p>Enhancements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Modified the color of Split Views, such as the one in Finder, to make it more opaque and prevent the distracting "see through" effect. ▪ Modified the sidebar headers in iPhoto to change color in response to changes in contrast color. ▪ Forced text in iPhoto's status bar to always be white against the dark gradient background there. ▪ Modified the default "diffhunk" and "highlight" colors in Xcode's Snapshot comparison window, making your code changes readable when viewing against a very dark background. ▪ Added and enhanced a special contextual menu for Xcode's Snapshot comparison window that gives users access to the comparator configuration sheet. The menu is titled "Customize View." ▪ Enhanced the browser view in Interface Builder's document window. ▪ The "Resize All Windows" function now extends to sheets as well. <p>Bug fixes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Fixed a bug that caused windows to start flashing uncontrollably if you were to move the Alpha slider for main or background windows all the way to the left. ▪ Fixed a bug introduced in 2.5.6.1 that would cause an outline view with a light background to get white contrast text when the window loses focus. ▪ In previous versions, some applications containing Java or Carbon components would sometimes have difficulty or even crash when trying to use the Open/Save panel. ▪ Addressed a bug that sometimes causes the first window Finder opens to be titled "No Title." ▪ Fixed a bug introduced in 2.5.6.1 that in certain circumstances caused inactive Finder windows to display with broken, diagonal lines, and/or to reveal contents of the windows list or browser views. ▪ Fixed the bug that could cause unexpected behavior when editing rows in table views. ▪ When using the Gradient theme on Snow Leopard, a bug prevented "default" buttons from animating on sheets and/or sometimes disappearing. ▪ Addressed the bug that could cause some alert windows and sheets from displaying without resizing their backgrounds appropriately. ▪ Fixed a bug introduced in 2.5.6.1 that could cause some tables in HUD (translucent black) windows to display without using the appropriate alternating row colors, thereby producing the wrong text contrast color.
07.21.10	<p>2.5.6.1. This release addresses several bugs, and some minor enhancements.</p> <p>Enhancements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ When using the new Gradient theme, the text of selected tabs now receives the appropriate contrast color (white). ▪ Changed the setting for blank windows in Safari, so that it takes your color setting for "Text background" rather than a default, slightly translucent white color. ▪ Changed the setting for Finder Info windows, so they adopt your setting for window color rather than the very translucent, light color previously applied by default. ▪ Changed the background colors in DevonThink's list views, so they use the same opacity levels as other outline views. The change also affects the log list view in Console. ▪ Themed background colors for Packages, which show up when running that app in 32-bit mode. <p>Bug fixes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Windows that show the CCI overlay view ("horizontal shine" or "diagonal shine") retain the overlay when you open new windows, and when switching panes in apps like System Preferences. ▪ You can now use the Tables editor panel normally. Previously, this panel (and some other, similar, ones) would lose focus each time you applied a change to the main window. This bug also affected Finder's "Continuous Info" window (⌘⌘I), which would require an extra click when changing focus to the Finder window. ▪ The bugs in Little Snapper that prevented use of the zoom slider and caused the main window background to turn white are now fixed. ▪ This release restores support for PowerPC Macintoshes. ▪ Fixed an error in the Gradient button graphics on Leopard, which caused an unattractive background on pressed buttons, as well as an inconsistency in the appearance of some tabs and buttons. ▪ Fixed an error in the install script, which prevented the custom CCI graphics (mainly for the tab bar) from being applied to Safari.

07.12.10	<p>2.5.6. This major release, a free upgrade for all users, includes the following new features, enhancements, and bug fixes. The new features only apply when running CCI 2.5.6 on Snow Leopard.</p> <p>New features:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ This release includes a beautiful, entirely new button theme for Snow Leopard, a "Gradient" theme similar to the one that's been available for Leopard users. ▪ You can now install the "Frosted Crystal" desktop pictures right from the global menu. ▪ To complement the "Light Up Menubar" and "Dark Light" theme introduced in 2.5.5, this release lets you switch out the default black icons used in the system status bar with white versions. The set of icons includes 14 of Apple's "menu extras" as well as statusbar icons for 14 third-party apps. (All the icons are listed in the CCI Tools section). You can switch between white and black versions of the statusbar icons right from the CCI global menu. <p>Enhancements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ CCI now resets the trial period for users who have installed a more recent version after their trial period on an earlier release has expired. ▪ Removed redundant titles from Finder windows when using TotalFinder. ▪ Cover Flow views in the Finder (and other apps) are now themed with a background color other than black, a dark color based on your chosen OutlineView color. ▪ When running CCI with Single Application Mode (SAM) turned off, CCI now defaults to bringing all windows of an activated application to the front. The normal Mac OS X mode brings only the activated window forward, leaving other windows of the same application further down in the layer hierarchy. ▪ The "Dark Fire" theme is redesigned to provide fans of darker desktops an alternative to "Dark Light." <p>Bug fixes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Fixed a bug that prevented use of the "Save As" panel in all applications when user has set the "Text View" color to be more than 50% transparent. ▪ Fixed bug that caused text shadows to appear dark yellow on some buttons, when using the gradient theme on Leopard. ▪ Fixed bug that prevented users from disabling CCI for Adobe Photoshop. ▪ Fixed a bug that prevented DevonThink users from adding new sheets to their library ▪ Fixed a bug that interfered with TabExpose in Safari ▪ Fixed a bug that would cause apps to crash when using non-English keyboards and entering accent characters.
06.09.10	<p>2.5.5.1. This update fixes a bug that prevented users from changing the transparency of windows from the CCI Preferences window. The bug affected transparency values for front, back, and back application windows, as well as special values for titled and untitled windows.</p>

06.07.10	<p>2.5.5. This update contains the following changes:</p> <p>New features:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ When using the Crystal Menubar in "transparent" mode on Snow Leopard, a new feature in the CCI Global Menu lets you shine a light against your desktop picture to improve readability. This feature also turns menu title color from black to white, though you must restart each application for the text color change to take effect. ▪ You can now change themes from a new "Themes" submenu in the global menu. ▪ On Snow Leopard, new users will see a clear pointer to the location of the CCI Global Menu when first launching a CCI-enabled app. <p>Enhancements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Made the CCI Text Tools context menu more obvious. ▪ Improved contrast for table selected rows in HUD windows. ▪ Improved calculation of background colors for tables and outline views so that they work reasonably well when users set the OutlineView color in CCI to a very dark and/or very transparent color. ▪ Redesigned the "In The Dark" theme, now named "Dark Light," to utilize the contrast enhancements previously described. ▪ Made use of dark/transparent background color in the Finder's sidebar practical by modding the background of the sidebar's section headings. ▪ Implemented several custom modifications to Espresso's outline view. ▪ Redesigned images used for Crystal Menubar with a somewhat softer "shine." ▪ Now remembers your icon and "incompatible app" settings if you uninstall and then reinstall CCI. ▪ Installing and uninstalling icon sets now requires only one authentication when changes are made before restarting the application in which authentication occurs. <p>Bug fixes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Fixed an issue that prevented dragging from Interface Builder's Connections panel. ▪ Fixed a bug in iPhoto that prevented using the "New" album/slideshow/etc. sheet. ▪ Fixed a bug in some outline views (e.g., Finder) that could cause "smearing" of text when using a very transparent Outline View color. ▪ Colors in outline views and boxes now change immediately as you change custom CCI colors. ▪ Implemented a fix to minimize a bug that causes custom colors to change hue (to a maroon color) when you set a color's saturation level to zero. ▪ Hopefully eliminated a bug that could cause multiple "Thanks for trying..." and "Tips for Using..." windows to open when first logging in after installing CrystalClear Interface. ▪ Fixed an issue that caused a conflict with 1Password 3.x on Leopard, Neutrino, and other apps using a class with the same name as one used in CCI. ▪ Restored loading of CCI into Adobe Photoshop, to enable use of the Crystal Docs icon set for Photoshop. Users who have a conflict with Photoshop (likely caused by an incompatible plugin) can disable Photoshop in CCI's System Preferences pane.
05.05.10	<p>2.5.4. This update contains the following changes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Sparkle has been incorporated to alert users for CCI Updates. ▪ Added a custom modification for PathFinder so that its desktop doesn't obscure your desktop picture.
04.30.10	<p>2.5.3. This update contains a number of bug fixes and improvements to existing functions, including</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Modified the setDesktopBrightness method so that any change is instantly reflected in the open windows. ▪ Fixed problem that prevented users from emptying the Finder's trash by opening the Trash window and clicking the "Empty" button. ▪ Fine-tuned calculation of contrast text colors, improving the reliability of this feature. ▪ Added method for turning CrystalMenubar off when a full screen window appears, and then back on when that window closes. ▪ Made further adjustments to the diminish the problem of disabled draggable views when users have the "windows movable by background" option set. ▪ Added custom mod to have Finder banners (e.g., Shared) set to style 3 instead of 5. ▪ Fixed problem with setting custom alpha values for windows, which could conflict with settings for an app's default main and back alpha values. ▪ Fixed problem with theming textfield cells that are organized in a matrix. ▪ Fixed bug that could cause windows to "flash" when becoming key after being activated by another visible app. ▪ Fixed bug that was causing strange behavior in the color panel, when adjusting any custom color while the CC Prefs window was open. ▪ Fixed bug that caused some windows of 64-bit apps to not become visible automatically when opened for a second time. (Occurs only for one-shot windows like Activity Monitor, and iCal).

04.25.10	<p>2.5.2. This update fixes numerous bugs and makes other improvements, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Colors of table and outline view backgrounds are better coordinated, as well as the calculation of alternating row colors. Fixed situations where table background colors weren't updating reliably when user makes a theme or color change. Eliminated a problem where the background color of selected text or table rows failed to reflect the current theme colors. ▪ Fine-tuned calculation of contrast text colors, improving the reliability of this feature. ▪ Windows no longer fade in when a user has turned Window Animations off. ▪ Prevented the initial windows of 64-bit apps from fading in, speeding and smoothing their rendering. ▪ Upon launch, Finder windows (on Snow Leopard) no longer show a perpetually spinning progress indicator in their status bars. ▪ Fixed a problem in iMovie that caused its Info panels to get the wrong text color. ▪ Addressed an issue where licensed users could be presented with multiple CCI-related windows upon a reinstall. ▪ On Leopard, corrected an error that caused the wrong button style to appear in some cases when the Leopard gradient buttons were active.
04.18.10	<p>2.5.1. This update strengthens the filter that keeps CCI from loading into Carbon applications like Adobe Photoshop. It fixes several bugs that could cause apps to crash: Because of a problem updating the application menu, in some cases where a user has no license file, and in some cases when terminating applications. It also changes the method for determining alpha value of alternating row colors, and modifies the ResetFinder script.</p>
04.14.10	<p>2.5.0.2. This update fixes a bug that affected setting menubar icons on for Snow Leopard (64-bit apps only). It also correctly sets the application version number for update checking, and modifies the ResetFinder script.</p>
04.13.10	<p>2.5.0.1. This update fixes a problem removing disabled applications from the CrystalClear Interface System Preference pane, when the application to be removed no longer exists on the user's system. It also adds a warning for Leopard users when they turn on the option for showing the application icon in the menubar, explaining that this option will disable the Services menu that appears in the application menu. For Snow Leopard users, this update adds a warning that turning on window "background blur" will cause display problems for windows appearing in Expose and Spaces. Finally, it fixes the installer to account for users who don't already have a ScriptingAdditions folder, so that SIMBL will be correctly installed.</p>
04.09.10	<p>2.5.0. This version adds numerous enhancements and bug fixes. Enhancements of particular note:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ This version is now completely compatible with Mac OS X 10.6 ("Snow Leopard"). On Snow Leopard, 32-bit applications are loaded quickly, as on Mac OS X 10.5 ("Leopard"). 64-bit applications are loaded using SIMBL, which causes an initial delay in the loading of CCI ▪ Adds support for the Finder on Snow Leopard. ▪ Adds an optional set of document icons, Crystal Docs, that can be installed and/or uninstalled within the CCI Preferences panel. ▪ Adds a new button theme ("Glossy") and the ability to robustly switch between Apple's Aqua buttons and the CCI buttons. ▪ Improves access to the CCI global menu as a context menu "popup." ▪ Adds eight all-new preset themes. ▪ Adds various additional preference settings, including the ability to access hidden settings in window toolbars. ▪ Adds a gratuitous interface addition consisting of two different "shines" that can be applied to windows. ▪ On Snow Leopard, the CrystalMenubar can be configured to run "clear," rather than "translucent," as on Leopard. ▪ Enhances the suite of "text tools" available, and adds a context menu for them as well. ▪ Uninstall is now embedded in the application and can be accessed from the global menu. ▪ Implements numerous code optimizations and bug fixes, and further enhances the accuracy of contrast colors in search fields, HUD windows, and table views.
09.08.09	<p>2.2.1.1. This release is a universal binary that will work on both Intel and PowerPC systems. It fixes a bug that caused certain kinds of windows (e.g., Adium's Contacts list) to gradually expand vertically each time they were reopened. It also updates the version number shown on CCI's windows to 2.2.1.</p>
09.01.09	<p>2.2.1. Adds support for installing CCI 2.2 on Snow Leopard, and adds a new window frame, "Glass HUD," to CCI Preferences. Also fixes a bug that caused text color contrast to be unreliable in Find panels. This release should also fix a problem users have reported about running CCI on PowerPC G5 systems.</p>
08.27.09	<p>Version 2.2.0.2. Fixes the installer to prevent installation on Snow Leopard systems. Fixed the uninstaller to handle the latest versions of 2.2.</p>
08.25.09	<p>Version 2.2.0.1. Fixes a bug that could cause table views to disappear temporarily. Also adds a new option to let users disable the window blur effect.</p>
08.20.09	<p>Version 2.2.0. Major upgrade adds several new features to the global menu item, improves the contrast color functionality, expands theming to new interface elements and more applications, provides better handling of incompatible applications, and includes an introductory window for new users that highlights usage tips. Also implements numerous bug fixes expands compatibility to more applications.</p>
06.17.09	<p>Version 2.1.4. Fixed a bug that disabled users' ability to tab between buttons, text fields, and other interface controls in applications running CCI</p>

06.14.09	Version 2.1.3. Fixed a bug that prevented users from adding applications to the disabled applications list in the CCI System Preferences. This would occur when the list was empty, but did not affect users who already had at least one application in the list.
06.13.09	Version 2.1.2. Fixed a bug that could cause some applications—those few that don't immediately set up their menubar—to crash on launch. An example is myWebLog from MOApp Software.
06.10.09	Version 2.1.1. A few bug fixes to keep some types of windows from going "zombie" when closed, and to fix and modify the routine for animating windows out.
06.05.09	Version 2.1.0. Adds blur to window backgrounds, supports garbage-collected applications, includes new preset "themes," adds updated graphics as well as numerous interface enhancements. Fixes a slew of bugs and improves compatibility with more applications.
02.05.09	Version 2.0.0. Incorporates numerous improvements and new features, including an expanded global menu, a System Preferences pane, a set of custom window frames, more custom color elements, a fully functional Single Application Mode, much more reliable text contrast colors, standard Leopard button design, expanded use of the etched text style, and more.
03.23.08	Version 1.9.1. Incorporates a program as part of the uninstall process that makes sure the Leopard graphics are fully restored to their original state. This program, GraphicsToggle, is also included separately in the download package for users of CCI 1.9.0 who want to use it after uninstalling.
03.12.08	Version 1.9.0. Significant improvement in stability, and numerous extensions in capability. CrystalClear Interface 1.9 begins tackling theming chores previously handled by ShapeShifter, and also makes its presence felt visually on "disabled" apps. The installer optionally installs a system graphics file that replaces some images with those from the ShapeShifter version of Crystal Clear. Note: Starting with this release, CCI will only run on Mac OS X 10.5 ("Leopard").
01.02.08	Version 1.8.12. Additional round of performance optimizations and bug fixes. Targets include iPhoto, iChat, Photo Booth, iWeb, and, on Leopard, Quick Look.
12.19.07	Version 1.8.1. This version adds an option to disable the "window shine", as well as makes a number of improvements to stability and performance.
12.01.07	Version 1.8.0. This was the first public release of CrystalClear Interface.