### **Release Notes**

# PathWave BenchVue Software BV0003B Power Supply Control App

# PathWave BenchVue Power Supply 2022

Release Version:	2022
Released Date:	09May2022
Operating System:	Windows 10: 64-bit (version 1809 or later)
System Requirements:	Processor: Intel Core i5 (or equivalent)
	RAM: 8 GB
	Storage Drive: 900MB free space
	Display resolution: 1920x1080 recommended
Hardware:	www.keysight.com/find/BenchVueInstruments
Firmware Build(s):	-
Licensing:	Included license, Perpetual and Subscription (Node-locked, Transportable, USB
	Portable, Floating)
Release Type	Major Release (2.0.49)

#### **New Features**

- Provide user-based login and new export data log capability (available in Fall 2022)
- Support BenchVue Power Supply Control app state file open in PathWave BenchVue Power Supply app
- Support for RP7984A instrument
- Support BenchVue TestFlow integration
- Added language localization for changing App Language in 5 different languages (Italian, Japanese, French, Spanish, Russian)



### **Enhancements**

• Chart improvements: annotation, rubber band zoom, customized export chart and overview chart control.

### **Resolved Issues**

- Resolved the hassle to reconfigure floating license for BenchVue Control Collection user who open multiple app windows.
- Resolved in use floating license count after successfully connecting to instrument using BenchVue Control Collection Floating License.
- Defects fix for usability and stability

# PathWave BenchVue Power Supply 2021 Update 2

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Windows 10: 64-bit (version 1809 or later)
Processor: Intel Core i5 (or equivalent)
RAM: 8 GB
Storage Drive: 900MB free space
Display resolution: 1920x1080 recommended
www.keysight.com/find/BenchVueInstruments
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Included license, Perpetual and Subscription (Node-locked, Transportable, USB
Portable, Floating)
Major Update Release (1.2.237)

- Added support new models for RP7982A, RP7983A, E36154A
- Added support 6 types of Build in Arb (Sine, Square, Ramp, Exponential, Trapezoid and Triangle) for B2960 Series Power Source
- Added language localization for changing App Language in 3 different languages (Simplified Chinese, Korean and Germany
- Defects fixed for stability, usability, and performance enhancements

# PathWave BenchVue Power Supply 2021 Update 1

Release Version:	2021.1
Released Date:	26Apr2021
Operating System:	Windows 10: 64-bit (version 1809 or later)
System Requirements:	Processor: Intel Core i5 (or equivalent)
	RAM: 8 GB
	Storage Drive: 900MB free space
	Display resolution: 1920x1080 recommended
Hardware:	www.keysight.com/find/BenchVueInstruments
Firmware Build(s):	-
Licensing:	Included license, Perpetual and Subscription (Node-locked, Transportable, USB
	Portable, Floating)
Release Type	Major Update Release (1.1.85)

- New supported models N69143A, N69145A, N69146A, N69172A, N69173A
- 7 Build In Arb supported in N6705 A/B/C and N6700/01/02C and N6700 Series Modular System Power Supplies, Sine, Step,
- Ramp, Trapezoid, Exponential, Pulse and Staircase.
- Enable Aux measurement data logging in datalogger.
- Enable usage data collection and option.
- Defects fix for usability and stability

### PathWave BenchVue Power Supply 2021

Release Version:	2021
Released Date:	15Mar2021
Operating System:	Windows 10: 64-bit (version 1809 or later)
System Requirements:	Processor: Intel Core i5 (or equivalent)
	RAM: 8 GB
	Storage Drive: 900MB free space
	Display resolution: 1920x1080 recommended
Hardware:	www.keysight.com/find/BenchVueInstruments
Firmware Build(s):	-
Licensing:	Included license, Perpetual and Subscription (Node-locked, Transportable, USB
	Portable, Floating)
Release Type	Major Release (1.0.153)

- Standalone PathWave BenchVue Power Supply software
- Added support on 44 DC Power Supplies and Source Measure Units models:
  - B2901B, B2901BL, B2902B, B2910B, B2911B, B2912B, B2961B, B2962B
  - > EDU36311A
  - N6731B, N6741B, N6732B, N6742B, N6733B, N6743B, N6773A, N6734B, N6744B, N6774A, N6735B, N6745B, N6775A, N6736B, N6746B, N6776A, N6777A, N6751A, N6752A, N6753A, N6754A, N6755A, N6756A, N6761A, N6762A, N6763A, N6764A, N6765A, N6766A, N6781A, N6782A, N6783A, N6784A
  - RP7972A, RP7973A
- Meter View Improvement:
  - 1. Meter view display clearly in series, parallel, tracking, no module, double wide and output grouping status
  - 2. User available to collapsed and expand channel view
  - 3. Support Power measurements in meter view readings
  - 4. Add OCP delay, OCP delay start and clear protection features
  - 5. Support measurement ranges selection
  - 6. Add Power and Resistance priority mode, settings and ranges
  - 7. Single / Multi output meter view
  - 8. Add all on and all off for output
  - 9. Voltage, Current, Power and Resistance slew rise and fall rate settings
  - 10. Positive and negative max slew rate settings
  - 11. 11. Output operation mode and tracking
  - 12. Aux voltage measurement
- DataLog Improvement:

- 1. Enable limit testing in datalog alert settings
- 2. Number of samples acquired settings in datalog configuration
- 3. X and Y axis markers available in datalog chart
- 4. Delta X and Y markers value available in marker table
- 5. Single or multi trace selection in datalog chart
- 6. Datalog trace thickness
- 7. Added power trace in datalog
- 8. Min, max and average marker measurements
- 9. Improve data log minimum sampling rate up 1ms +- (best cases with dependency on instrument capability and connectivity), average 2.5ms

#### • Export Improvement:

- 1. Add export options in ranges for data logging
- 2. Add trace data summary in export settings
- 3. User able to export even when datalog is running

#### New Features added:

- 1. Output List
- 2. DIO Configuration
- 3. UVP and UVL settings
- 4. Negative Voltage/Current limit
- 5. AHWH measurement
- 6. Reset AHWH
- 7. Tracking Limits
- 8. Sensing
- 9. Channel Coupling and delay
- 10. Power Limit
- 11. Emulating Mode
- 12. Watchdog settings
- 13. Impedance mode
- 14. Oscillation protection and output preference
- 15. Enable Aux voltage
- 16. Programmable resistance and protection coupling
- 17. Enable short
- 18. Voltage Inhibits
- 19. Output volt/current bandwidth
- 20. Under voltage inhibit and voltage on
- 21. Delay offset and coupling
- 22. Output polarity relay and resistance
- 23. OPP settings
- 24. Tmode coupling

- 25. Sense Fault detection
- 26. Operation mode (Tracking, Series, Parallel, Independence)
- Bug Fixing from BenchVue:
  - 1. OVP, OCP not available in E36300/E36200 series
  - 2. N69/7900 and RP7900 Output On time out issues

# BenchVue Power Supply Control App 2019

Release Version:	2019
Released Date:	14 Mar 2019
Operating System:	Windows 10: 32-bit and 64-bit (Professional, Enterprise, Education, Home versions)
	Windows 8, 8.1: 32-bit and 64-bit (Professional, Enterprise, Core)
	Windows 7: SP1 and later 32-bit and 64-bit (Professional, Enterprise, Ultimate,
	Home Basic, Home Premium)
System Requirements:	Processor: 1 GHz or faster (2 GHz or greater recommended)
	RAM: 1 GB (32-bit) or 2 GB (64-bit) (3 GB or greater recommended)
	Interfaces: USB, GPIB, LAN, RS-232
	Display resolution: 1280x1024 minimum recommended for single instrument
	view (higher resolution recommended for multiple instrument view)
Hardware:	www.keysight.com/find/BenchVueInstruments
Release Type	Major Update Release

- Added support for N6791A and N6792A DC Electronic Load
- Added support for E36231A/E36232A and E36233A/E36234A Auto-Ranging DC Power Supply

# BenchVue Power Supply Control App 2018 Update 1

Release Version:	2018.1
Released Date:	20 Jun 2018
Operating System:	Windows 10: 32-bit and 64-bit (Professional, Enterprise, Education, Home versions)
	Windows 8, 8.1: 32-bit and 64-bit (Professional, Enterprise, Core)
	Windows 7: SP1 and later 32-bit and 64-bit (Professional, Enterprise, Ultimate,
	Home Basic, Home Premium)
System Requirements:	Processor: 1 GHz or faster (2 GHz or greater recommended)
	RAM: 1 GB (32-bit) or 2 GB (64-bit) (3 GB or greater recommended)
	Interfaces: USB, GPIB, LAN, RS-232
	Display resolution: 1280x1024 minimum recommended for single instrument
	view (higher resolution recommended for multiple instrument view)
Hardware:	www.keysight.com/find/BenchVueInstruments
Release Type	Major Update Release

- Added support for RP7931A, RP7932A, RP7933A, RP7935A, RP7936A, RP7941A, RP7942A, RP7943A, RP7945A, RP7946A
- Defects fixed for stability and usability

# BenchVue Power Supply Control App 2018

Release Version:	2018
Released Date:	16 Feb 2018
Operating System:	Windows 10: 32-bit and 64-bit (Professional, Enterprise, Education, Home versions)
	Windows 8, 8.1: 32-bit and 64-bit (Professional, Enterprise, Core)
	Windows 7: SP1 and later 32-bit and 64-bit (Professional, Enterprise, Ultimate,
	Home Basic, Home Premium)
System Requirements:	Processor: 1 GHz or faster (2 GHz or greater recommended)
	RAM: 1 GB (32-bit) or 2 GB (64-bit) (3 GB or greater recommended)
	Interfaces: USB, GPIB, LAN, RS-232
	Display resolution: 1280x1024 minimum recommended for single instrument
	view (higher resolution recommended for multiple instrument view)
Hardware:	www.keysight.com/find/BenchVueInstruments
Release Type	Major Update Release

- Added support for RP7951A, RP7951AT, RP7952A, RP7952AT, RP7953A, RP7961A, RP7962A, and RP7963A
- Added support for E36102B, E36103B, E36104B, E36105B, and E36106B
- Defects fixed for stability and usability

# BenchVue Power Supply Control App 2017

Release Version:	2017
Released Date:	29 Mar 2017
Operating System:	Windows 10: 32-bit and 64-bit (Professional, Enterprise, Education, Home versions) Windows 8, 8.1: 32-bit and 64-bit (Professional, Enterprise, Core)
	Windows 7: SP1 and later 32-bit and 64-bit (Professional, Enterprise, Ultimate, Home Basic, Home Premium)
System Requirements:	Processor: 1 GHz or faster (2 GHz or greater recommended) RAM: 1 GB (32-bit) or 2 GB (64-bit) (3 GB or greater recommended) Interfaces: USB, GPIB, LAN, RS-232 Display resolution: 1280x1024 minimum recommended for single instrument view (higher resolution recommended for multiple instrument view)
Hardware:	www.keysight.com/find/BenchVueInstruments
Release Type	Major Update Release

# Notable changes

- BenchVue Power Supply app now requires a license
- App includes Test Flow automation and Command Expert blocks
- Support for new license terms
- Added support for N6700C, N6701C, N6702C, and N6705C
- Added support for E36300 Series
- Defects fixed for stability and usability

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