TurningPoint Cloud (PC) Release Notes

Software Name: TurningPoint (PC)
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Overview:

Minimum System Requirements:
- Microsoft Windows® 7, 8.1 or 10 (32 or 64 bit)
- Local Installation of Microsoft Office® 2007, 2010, 2013, or 2016 (32 or 64 bit) (for PowerPoint Polling and viewing exported reports in Excel)
- Microsoft NET® 4.5 SP1
- 2 GHz Dual Core Processor
- 4 GB RAM
- 500 MB hard disk space
- 1024x768 at 32-bit color or higher resolution, up to 150% DPI (up to 125% for PP Polling recommended)
- Standard USB 2.0 port (for USB-based hardware devices)
- Ethernet or 802.11 compatible wireless network card
- An active internet connection for initial Turning Account authentication, ResponseWare usage, and use of Cloud features
- Adobe® Flash Player (for Animated 2D/3D charts)
- Adobe® Acrobat Reader (for printing and viewing the help options)
- Java™ 7 Runtime Environment or later (for importing RTF, DOC, DOCX and QTI documents and exporting reports to Excel and CSV)

7.5.1
- Fixed DPI issue on proxy authentication screen
- Fixed an issue where TurningPoint could crash using RemotePoll
- Fixed an issue where question list presentations close when launched from the Desktop

7.5.0
- Offline Password notification for users that do not have an Offline Password set
- Updated link for online tutorials
- Fixed issue causing export for Results Manager session overview to fail if there is more than one unassigned device
- Fixed issue causing PowerPoint to open template selection page in addition to presentation when launching PowerPoint from TurningPoint dashboard
- Fixed issue causing answer text to flash before displaying pictures for picture slides
- Fixed issue causing charts to not display results when using ResponseWare
7.4.0

- Moodle indirect integration
- Allow merge by question with anonymous questions
- Fixed issue causing PowerPoint charts to not load correctly when machine is set to foreign language
- Fixed issue causing Excel to not display in background when language is set to Chinese or Japanese and multiple slides are inserted to PowerPoint presentation

7.3.0

- Integrate with content created on Content Server
- Sync Participant Lists through Integration Server
- Grade Upload through Integration Server
- Self-Paced Polling support for Pulse Gen 3 clickers
- Context sensitive help links
- Support Organization License
- Remember me option
- Remember organization option
- Rename Desire2Learn to Brightspace

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- Localized to support 12 languages:
  - Arabic, Chinese, Danish, Dutch, English, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Russian, Spanish, Swedish
- Fixed 'Unknown Error' for offline login
- Fixed bug to ensure Participant Lists are updated properly
- Minor bug fixes

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- Fixed bug for Demographic Comparison report.
- Fixed issue for merging sessions.

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- Addressed bug that caused Single Sign On issue

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- Support for Windows 10
- Support for Microsoft Office® 2016
- Support Pulse Gen 3 device for PowerPoint/Anywhere Polling
• Added ability to set excel charts to correct/incorrect answer colors (green/red) with single click of a button on the TurningPoint Cloud Slide Pane in PowerPoint Polling.
• Added ability to update Participant Lists from the Manage tab of the TurningPoint Cloud dashboard
• Added chromium library to minimize external browser dependencies
• Added WordCloud display for Short Answer and Essay question types in PowerPoint Polling, Anywhere Polling, and reports
• Added control code to access offline login
• Added tutorial links to the TurningPoint Dashboard for each polling environment
• Miscellaneous bug fixes

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• Update to ensure when a Participant List is updated any unassigned devices that can be assigned to a participant based on their registered devices will be
• Enhanced Performance Matters integration

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• Improved stability of connection to ResponseWare

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Fixes
• Addressed issue where incorrect slide was shown on ResponseWare devices when using VM Ware, or in some cases a multi monitor set up
• Issue where Continue Session in PowerPoint Polling did not update Participant List dropdown menu
• Various DPI issues
• Corrected ability to set Attendance Shortcut key same as other shortcuts
• Scroll bar behavior in Results Manager
• When using custom questions Anywhere Polling now displays the question when polling has begun
• Corrected password dialog hidden behind other window issue.

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Enhancements:
• Added ability to use Excel Charts native to PowerPoint (version 2007 and later)
• Flexible Countdown Timer, allowing user to pause, add, and subtract time during polling
• Auto advance option added to countdown timer
• Support Real Time Registration for LT and SE response devices
• View essay responses in reports that were polled anonymously
• Messaging added to TurningPoint Ribbon so that users can utilize messaging before entering the polling environment
• Load question list while in Anywhere Polling session
• Attendance shortcut keystroke
• Support for ResponseWare Self-Paced Polling
  o Host recovery of session data
• Forced update of receiver license (receiver will no longer work with previous software versions)
• Updated ribbon icons
• Support Turning Account Instructor License
• Enforce HTTPS protocol for LMS calls
• Offline Login Password added to preferences (Online features disabled when using Offline Login)
• Region selection on initial log in (points software to the correct server based on selection)

Fixes:
• Graph no longer covers screenshots from Anywhere Polling in reports
• Defective response device no longer causing crash

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Enhancements:
• Response Display Window, allowing viewing of individual participant responses during the presentation
• Attendance Poll, allowing quick specialized polls for attendance purposes
• Delete Last Question Polled option, allowing the presenter to delete the results of the last question polled from the recorded session file
• Attendance Report, displaying results of new Attendance Polls
• Export Scheme support updated for licensed participant support
• Participant List update reminders in Results Manager on downloaded Participant Lists to remind presenters to update the list periodically for most current information
• A display of how many participant records were updated after a downloaded Participant List has been updated
• Support for ResponseWare enhancements to improve speed and reliability of ResponseWare
• Added an additional option in the Messaging Window, offering a fully unthreaded view of All Messages, in addition to the Group Chat and individual message threads added in 6.0
• Added support for new Messaging window in Self-Paced Polling environment
• Secondary Device merge button in Results Manager when a session column is selected, allowing a presenter to merge response data for all participants who have responded with more than one registered device in the same session
• New HID Long Range Receiver support
• Support for QT extended text questions of 512 character limit during presentation mode (previously 164 character limit)
• Support for new Starfish Export Scheme

Fixes:
• Converting Question Lists to PowerPoint slides no longer encounter issues when question or answer text includes HTML characters
• Addressed issue where in some scenarios, “Response Cleared” would display in the report in place of a Short Answer or Essay response
• Sorting in Results Manager is no longer case sensitive
• Show/Hide button used on a PresenterCard during a PowerPoint presentation in PowerPoint Polling now functions as expected to restore the view of the presentation
• Presenters using RemotePoll no longer encounter capacity limitations when no receiver is plugged in
• Presenters with 64-bit Java installed no longer encounter additional Java installation prompts

Known Issues:
• A conflict between TurningPoint and Adobe Connect® necessitates that “Add-in Always Loaded” be unchecked in the Preferences if both programs are running in PowerPoint
• Charts in PowerPoint Polling occasionally generate slowly, or may need refreshed by pressing “Show Chart” button on PowerPoint showbar, during the presentation

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Fixes:
• Resolved “Error communicating with the Turning Account Server“ that occurred during download of large participant lists
• Fixed issue preventing PowerPoint keyboard shortcuts from working correctly

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New Features:
• Required login with a Turning Account to protect participant and session data privacy
• Local storage of encrypted Turning Account information for offline authentication and sign in (requires initial online authentication for storage)
• Participant List and Session file encryption, unique to each presenter’s Turning Account
• Ability to export Participant Lists and Session files with password to share encrypted files with other presenters
• Separate presenter file structures preventing presenters from exposure to other users’ files
• In-application conversion of ExamView tests and CPS export files to TurningPoint question lists
• Support for Turning Technologies’ new QT Response Device
• Support for Turning Technologies’ new ResponseWare 2.0
• Support for Turning Technologies’ new ResponseWare and ResponseCard bundle, allowing the merging of response data from multiple devices used by the same participant in one session.
• Enhanced messaging interface between presenter and participants, enabling back-channel chat capabilities when used with ResponseWare
• Support for Turning Student Account registration
• Demographic Comparison report, enabling question results to be compared with between multiple demographics in both tables and charts
• Team Points report, enabling team point comparison, which can be viewed overall, or broken down by question and by team participants
• Ability to export multiple reports into one Microsoft Excel workbook from one session file
• Option when exiting the Real-Time Registration to save the newly registered devices to the current participant list

Known Issues:
• Deleted responses from participants to Multiple Response questions in Self-Paced Polling sessions may be recorded as part of the final response
• Sending invalid responses to Multiple Response questions in Self-Paced Polling sessions may clear previously recorded responses to the same question
• Slide transitions may not work with all versions of PowerPoint 2010 when used on TurningPoint Cloud slides