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HDS 5.0 Software Update

Product:	All Lowrance HDS Gen3
Product Description:	Lowrance HDS Gen 3
Software Version:	HDS Gen3 5.0-57.1.206
Effective Date:	August 9, 2017
Inspect/Update Current Inventory:	No

Lowrance® is pleased to announce the release of new software for HDS Gen3 multifunction displays. This upgrade brings the following feature additions and improved functionality to the HDS Gen3 family:

- Control Bar
 - Located on the left side of the screen, the new control bar provides quick onscreen access to Trolling Motor, Outboard Pilot, Audio and Power-Pole controls.
- Color Trails based on Boat Speed
 - This allows the system to dynamically change the color of the GPS trail, based on boat speed.
 - Trail color can be based on the following data sources (if available):
 - SOG (Boat Speed over ground: GPS)
 - STW (Boat Speed through water: Paddlewheel).
- Heat Maps
 - Heat Map is a new Chart Overlay that allows an angler to see trends in water temperature, based on where the boat has travelled.
 - The water temperature history is shown on the chart as a color scale (or Heat Map) that changes depending on the temperature of the water.
 - A water temperature sensor (built-into a transducer or a NMEA 2000® network sensor) is required and it has to be set as a water temperature source, in the Network settings.

- Bug fixes and Software Improvements
 - Resolves issue with East/West identifier missing from WPTs when coordinate system is set to Degrees / Minutes / Seconds
 - False high voltage alarm issue has been resolved
 - Screenshot files names now include date and time. The new file name format is “Screenshot_2017-07-06_05.01.12.png”. The previous file name format was “shot001.png.”

To download the Lowrance HDS Gen3 software and to get the full software release notes for this update visit: <http://www.lowrance.com/en-US/Software-Updates/>

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