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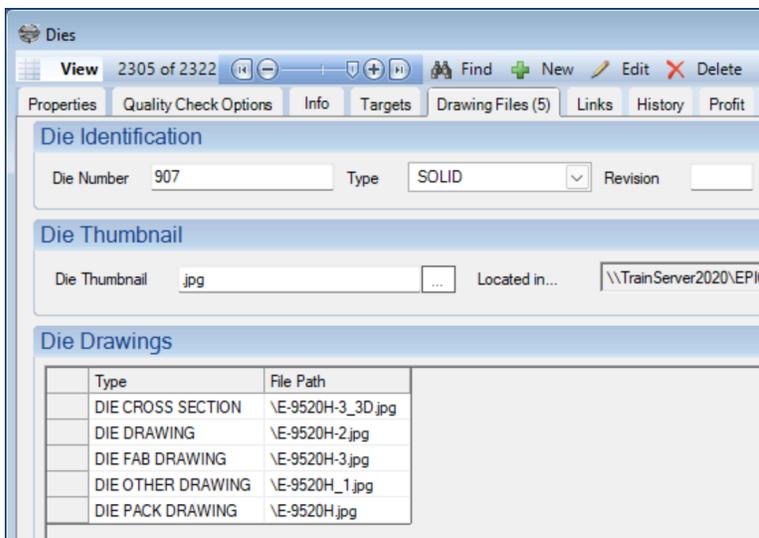## In this issue:

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EPICS 10 Launch

We are excited to announce that EPICS 10 is now live!

EPICS 10 adds many of your most requested enhancements while retaining the same look and feel that your users are accustomed to. Here are just some of the new features in EPICS 10:

- New Web-based Help System
- Billet/Log inventory by bundle
- Save and re-use price change configurations
- Apply the same price change to a list of GLCodes, Customers, Dies, etc.
- Die Groups allow any number of dies to be grouped together for simplified notes, alerts, and production specs
- Die Copies can have different extrusion specs (butt, end scrap, tooling) for each press, container, alloy, and copy

EPICS 10 Is here!

The best version of EPICS is here! Upgrade today for quality of life improvements and new features.

- Unlimited drawings can be linked to each die and part
- Notes and Alerts can reference all customers in a customer group, all dies in a die group, or all departments in a department group
- Notification improvements, including threaded conversations and a new screen to automatically watch sales orders
- Full Support for routings where a part length changes more than once during production

- Updated workorder includes support for multi-billet transverse weld scrap and for lead-out scrap
- Scheduling and Shipping Alerts

- SQL Server Reporting Services (SSRS) support
- Customer-specific email subjects, email body, and attachment names for all emailed documents
- Improved "Advanced Find" functionality and a new "Sort By" button to sort query results by any field

And much more! A complete list of EPICS 10 features is here. You can also watch an overview of the new features here.

Your EPICS Administrator should have received an email about the launch of EPICS 10 on Friday, January 9th. If you are an EPICS Administrator and you did not receive that email, please let us know by emailing help@foyinc.com

Log in to the Support/EPICS 10 Downloads page of www.foyinc.com using your email address and password to download the EPICS 10 files.

Please review the EPICS 10 Implementation guide here before beginning testing or deployment, and let us know if you have any questions.

New Year EPICS Reminder

The beginning of the year is a great time to review your EPICS production calendar. We recommend you add additional "OPEN" events if your calendar does not extend through at least the end of 2026.

More information about the EPICS calendar can be found in our Help Docs.

Celebrating 30 Years!

Stacy Foley celebrated her 30th anniversary with Foy Inc on January 2, 2026.

Stacy is an indispensable part of the Foy Inc Team. She currently acts as our Secretary and Treasurer, but she has worn many hats in her time with us, and hers is the friendly voice you most often hear when you call our office.

Please join us in congratulating Stacy on this important milestone!

Happy Anniversary

EUC 2026 in Austin, Texas

It's already January, which means the EPICS User Conference is quickly approaching!

EPICS User Conference 2026 will take place April 12 – 15, 2026 in Austin, Texas. The conference page on our website is live now! Make sure to register on our website and then secure your hotel room.

At the User Conference you will…
- See all the awesomeness of EPICS 10
- Take a deep dive into the latest EPICS features
- Meet with peers and exchange ideas
- Become better at what you do
- Meet the Foy Inc team and share your ideas
- Bring your ideas and help make EPICS better!
- See the Topics page for more details

Don't miss it. Make your plans now to attend EUC '26 in Austin, Texas! Can't wait to see you there.

JOIN US
EPICS User Conference
4/12/26 - 4/15/26

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EPICS Customer List

On any given day EPICS is helping more than 15,000 people at over 100 extrusion plants on more than 250 presses in 14 countries around the world.

EPICS development is user-driven and continually enhanced by the ideas of its experienced and innovative users. See the list of EPICS customers here.

Foy Inc to Attend AEC Meeting

The Aluminum Extruders Council (AEC) will be holding their 77th Annual Meeting in Hilton Head, South Carolina in March 2026.

John and Scott from Foy Inc will be attending this year.

More information can be found on the AEC website.

Online and In-person EPICS and Report Writing Training

EPICS User Training is available in-person at our training facility in Farmersville, Texas as well as online. In this four-day class, trainees work through the entire EPICS interface. The next in person class will meet March 23-26, 2026. The next online classes are scheduled for January 19-22, 2026 and February 16-19, 2026.

For online classes, a good internet connection and dual monitors are essential. One monitor is needed for watching the instructor's screen and another for running EPICS.

This could be individuals in their homes or offices, or it could be several people in a conference room with a single large screen with speakers to see and hear the instructor and with individual PCs for each trainee. Trainees will connect via VPN to a training database on a Foy Inc server.

This is a great opportunity to provide training for your administrators and key users. Training is valuable not only for new users, but also as a refresher for long-time EPICS users. Much has been added to EPICS V9 in the past few years, and there are probably other things that have been forgotten. Take this opportunity to see the full scope of what EPICS has to offer.

Report Writing training is also available. This is a two-day novice level class for learning Crystal Reports with emphasis on the use of the EPICS database. Please see the Foy Inc website for details.

If you are interested in any training opportunities, please call us at 972-782-7282 or email us at info@foyinc.com.