

What's New in MAGS MAGS 5.0, June 2016

On June 1, 2016, an updated version of the Maryland Automated Guidelines System (MAGS) was released for immediate use in all jurisdictions that have deployed MAGS. MAGS 5.0 provides several new features. The following is a summary of the most significant changes to MAGS. In addition, the MSCCSP suggests that users reference the MAGS User Manual and Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) documents, which have been revised in accordance with the new version of MAGS and are available on the MSCCSP website, www.msccsp.org.

• The guidelines ranges for seriousness categories IV and V drug offenses have been updated in anticipation of the new guidelines for seriousness categories IV and V drug offenses that will go into effect July 1, 2016. As illustrated in the below screenshot, users initiating worksheets for seriousness category IV or V drug offenses will be asked to indicate if the date of sentencing will occur on or after July 1, 2016. The anticipated date of sentencing will be used to calculate the guidelines for seriousness categories IV and V drug offenses. Please note, should the date of sentencing be postponed or moved up, the guidelines will be automatically updated to correspond to those in effect based on the sentencing date entered on the *GLS/Overall Sentence* screen.

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• The offense table and list of most common offenses table now provide the option to search for offenses by offense type in addition to offense description, CJIS code, and source. Users may also simultaneously search all columns in the offense table by entering text in the Search field located in the upper-left corner of the page.

	Offense Offense	CJIS Code CJIS Code	Source	Type drug ×	Level	Min	Max	Serious. Categ.	Fine
Select	Accessory after the fact to a felony (drug)*	1-1480	CR, §1-301(a)	Drug	Felony		Lesser of 5Y or max. term penalty for the crime	v	
Select	Bringing minor into State to violate drug laws	1-0489	CR, §5-628(a)	Drug	Felony		20Y	III-B	2000
Select	CDS Importation into State, marijuana (5 - <45 kilograms) *	1-0730	CR, §5-614(b)	Drug	Felony		10Y	IV	1000
Select	CDS Importation into State, marijuana (45 kilograms or more)	3-3550	CR, §5-614(a)	Drug	Felony		25Y	III-A	5000
Select	CDS Importation into State, non-marijuana	3-3550	CR, §5-614(a)	Drug	Felony		25Y	III-C	5000
Select	CDS Possession - Cocaine*	4-3550, 1-0247, 1-0248, 1-0249, 1-0250, 1-0251, 1-0252, 1-0255, 1-0256	CR, §5-601(c)(1); CR, §5-620(d)(1) (for paraphernalia)	Drug	Misd.		4Y	v	2500
Select	CDS Possession - Drug not identified*	4-3550, 1-0247, 1-0248, 1-0249, 1-0250, 1-0251, 1-0252, 1-0255, 1-0256	CR, §5-601(c)(1); CR, §5-620(d)(1) (for paraphernalia)	Drug	Misd.		4Y	v	2500
Select	CDS Possession - Heroin*	4-3550, 1-0247, 1-0248, 1-0249, 1-0250, 1-0251,	CR, §5-601(c)(1); CR, §5-620(d)(1)	Drug	Misd.		4Y	v	2500

• There are several new information icons on the *Offender Score*, *Offense/Offense Score*, *Offense Sentence*, and *GLS/Overall Sentence* screens in MAGS. These icons provide additional definitions and instructions to aid users in their completion of the sentencing guidelines worksheet.

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- For those jurisdictions utilizing the Maryland Electronic Courts system (MDEC), users may enter MDEC-assigned case numbers into MAGS using the new MDEC format. Case numbers that are assigned using the new MDEC format should be entered into MAGS using the following format:
 - CJJCRYY######
 - Where JJ= 2-digit jurisdiction code,
 - \circ And YY= filing year.

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* D. Special Victim Vulnerability 😯						
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• Judges, judges' administrative assistants, and law clerks may now view, print, and save PDF versions of submitted worksheets.

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