

TheBrain 14 Release History

Version 14.0.42

April 23, 2024

- Fixes
 - (#10153) Missing temp folder can lead to issues on startup

Version 14.0.41

April 17, 2024

- New Features
 - (#9812) Custom prompts for AI note generation
- Fixes
 - (#8760) Improved handling of errors related to database file locks
 - (#9931) macOS: Slider for word count for AI note generation displayed incorrectly
 - (#9990) Navigating away from thought with backslashes in the text can causes an error
 - (#10115) Improved indexing when syncing brains
 - (#10117) Avoid null exception process notes for images
 - (#10123) JSON export cleanup
 - (#10124) macOS: AI dialog can open partially off-screen
 - (#10128) macOS: Notes toolbar not displaying upon opening a thought in a new tab
 - (#10134) macOS: BrainBox and account icons are rendered too low
 - (#10135) macOS: BrainBox list items do not display command icon on hover
 - (#10137) Wrong path when checking for sufficient space of brain download
 - (#10140) Improved indexing of PDF attachments, especially on Windows
 - (#10144) Upgrade AI Models to GPT-4 Turbo + GPT-3.5 Turbo
 - (#10147) Error related to dynamic wallpaper

Version 14.0.39

April 1, 2024

- Fixes
 - (#9916) On paste of a set of thoughts, link conflicts should automatically resolve
 - (#10119) Error caused by to do list updating

Version 14.0.38

March 18, 2024

- Fixes
 - (#8303) Read only users can customize pins for themselves

Version 14.0.37 (macOS only)

March 14, 2024

- Fixes
 - (#10095) macOS: Stock icons, themes and other folders not getting populated

Version 14.0.36

March 12, 2024

- Fixes
 - Modified license agreement for official release of v14 to not mention 'beta'

Version 14.0.35

March 8, 2024

- Fixes
 - (#8412) Multiple instances with different users should be possible
 - (#10072) Performing web search in BrainBox tab causes an error
 - (#10076) Provide option to download a brain even with possible insufficient space

- (#10077) Pressing keyboard shortcuts for the report/to do list while not in brain view
- (#10081) Learn more button when BrainBox list is empty is not clickable
- (#10087) AI note generation feature returns an incorrect response

Version 14.0.34 (Release candidate)

February 15, 2024

- Fixes
 - (#10066) Improved retrieval of parent thoughts when clicking on "Set Context Thought" from AI thought generation
 - (#10068) Application window size and location are not maintained after connecting to an external monitor(s)
 - (#10070) Search can cause an exception if there are many name and label results

Version 14.0.33 (Windows only)

February 5, 2024

- Fixes
 - (#10062) Windows: PDF preview leads to an error

Version 14.0.32

February 2, 2024

- Fixes
 - (#10025) macOS: Contents of PDF files are not searchable
 - (#10053) Improve sync reliability via compression library upgrade
 - (#10061) Resetting the meta database is slow when large brains are present

Version 14.0.30

January 16, 2024

- Fixes
 - (#10044) Bad read exception possibly causing sync failure

Version 14.0.29

January 2, 2024

- Fixes
 - (#9779) Windows: Shortcuts are not incorporated when importing a folder
 - (#10029) Windows: Internal browser remains visible in reports after maximizing the plex area
 - (#10031) Windows: Color chooser dialog does not align vertically when brought up
 - (#10035) Importing a folder with redundant shortcuts fails
 - (#10036) Google Calendar sync deprecated
 - (#10037) Windows shown at startup/shutdown are improperly located
 - (#10038) Keyboard focused search result is reset to top if more results are shown
 - (#10039) Various search and indexing improvements

Version 14.0.28

December 18, 2023

- New Features
 - (#10021) Make the AI button for note generation always show in the note toolbar
 - (#10023) Faster display of search results
 - (#10024) Incremental display of search results, enabling access to more results
- Fixes
 - (#10011) Searching for a thought name with an underscore and double quotes returns no results

Version 14.0.27

December 6, 2023

- New Features
 - (#10001) Enable setting default preferences via the installer

- Fixes
 - (#9757) Search does not find thoughts that have backticks in name
 - (#9892) Index integrity check to remove documents that should no longer exist
 - (#9989) Special characters that need to be added as dividers for search
 - (#9852) Typing then removing [characters inside input field to link to a thought causes error
 - (#9979) Search: Show forgotten thoughts causes the thought creation and thought link insertion search to return no results
 - (#10003) Wildcard search should perform thought name search and full search separately
 - (#10004) Duplicate search result displayed when term appears twice in the note

Version 14.0.26

November 24, 2023

- New Features
 - (#4056) Option to disable attachment count indicators
- Fixes
 - (#9974) macOS: Pasted images that have an embedded URL are not visible after resizing
 - (#9977) Retrieve web client address from the server (for enterprise deployments)
 - (#9981) Images added to note as a file do not sync and show on other clients

Version 14.0.25

November 15, 2023

- New Features
 - (#9959) Faster search
- Fixes
 - (#9969) Partial search queries do not return expected search results

Version 14.0.24

November 14, 2023

- New Features
 - (#9960) Windows: Default to compact window title bar being enabled
- Fixes
 - (#9965) Switching notes editor layout causes error
 - (#9966) Don't allow navigating away from thought when AI generation result is pending user confirmation
 - (#9972) OpenAI key should not be retrievable via UI
 - (#9975) Forgotten thoughts should not be included in search results if they are hidden

Version 14.0.23

November 8, 2023

- Fixes
 - (#9947) Searching for some special characters causes an error
 - (#9956) Windows: Various issues with splitter controls
 - (#9957) Copying a link to an email address or phone number sometimes causes a crash

Version 14.0.21

November 1, 2023

- Fixes
 - (#9946) Error in cache used for search

Version 14.0.20

October 31, 2023

- New Features
 - **(#3281) TheBrain API**
 - (#9924) AI writing tools: Output should match the language of the input text
 - (#9925) Multiple page sizes and landscape orientation for notes export and print

- (#9933) Optimize search indexing and sorting
- (#9935) Make tab colors more prominent
- (#9936) Add help button next to setting for using custom OpenAI API key
- Fixes
 - (#9851) When an attachment is deleted via sync, other attachments turn read-only
 - (#9891) Show parent thoughts when search results have duplicate thought names
 - (#9907) Hovering over deletion items in recent changes dialogs causes an error
 - (#9919) Search returns an error when search query contains a single letter
 - (#9927) Reports: "Duplicate Names" causes an error
 - (#9929) Splitter controls remain visible after minimizing TheBrain from full screen
 - (#9932) Performing data integrity scan leads to an error message
 - (#9939) Copy thought icon command fails to send image data to clipboard
 - (#9940) Copying brain wallpaper, then right-clicking in plex causes error

Version 14.0.17

October 20, 2023

- Fixes
 - (#9917) Actions that depend on pressing the "Enter" key are not functional
 - (#9920) Bundled zip files fail to extract on startup causing stock icons to result in error
 - (#9923) macOS: Thought Column Width sometimes displays as a decimal

Version 14.0.16

October 18, 2023

- New Features
 - (#4287) Notes: Move line up/down via Alt + Shift + Up/Down keys
 - (#6638) Larger, easier to click splitter buttons
 - (#9841) Remember AI settings
- Fixes
 - (#9879) Windows: Copying text to the clipboard fails sometimes
 - (#9897) Adding a brain via brain archive import or download from cloud fails
 - (#9901) Dialogs on secondary screen appear in the wrong location
 - (#9910) Windows: Splitter controls are hidden by embedded browser
 - (#9912) Windows: Explorer file context menu > Send to > BrainBox does not get set up correctly

Version 14.0.13

October 12, 2023

- Fixes
 - (#9902) Problems with external attachments
 - (#9903) macOS: Popup windows do not display on some laptops

Version 14.0.12

October 6, 2023

- Fixes
 - (#9882) Search index integrity checking
 - (#9886) Settings such as "Compact window title bar" sometimes do not save
 - (#9887) Brain colors are not saved
 - (#9889) Improve sorting of search results
 - (#9896) Attempting to resolve attachment path for an event leads to an error
 - (#9898) Attempting to create a thought while index process is running causes crash
 - (#9900) Favorite brains are lost between versions

Version 14.0.10

October 6, 2023

- Fixes
 - (#9843) Error when opening BrainBox and on sync sometimes
 - (#9893) Indexing does not complete and restarts

Version 14.0.9

October 5, 2023

- Fixes
 - (#7913) Notes: Raw URL not recognized completely when hyphen is in URL
 - (#9830) BrainBox list does not update after adding an attachment as a child thought
 - (#9872) Cannot delete or assign new guid to a recently created brain
 - (#9888) Custom protocols not opening correctly

Version 14.0.8

September 28, 2023

- New Features
 - (#9860) Proxy support for AI generation features
 - (#9865) Allow users to use their own private OpenAI API key for AI generation features
 - (#9869) Preference to select specific AI model for generation
- Fixes
 - (#5983) Notes: Tilde in a URL makes hyperlink show in subscript
 - (#9807) Dragging attachment from attachment area in content section of thought causes error/crash
 - (#9848) Localizations for AI Note generation commands missing in keyboard preferences
 - (#9863) macOS: "Paste thought colors" command missing in context menu after copying thought
 - (#9866) Improved AI generation error handling + logging
 - (#9867) Improved reliability of AI generation service initialization on startup
 - (#9870) Start of search is sometimes delayed, resulting in very poor search performance

Version 14.0.7

September 27, 2023

- New Features
 - (#5018) Option to limit find/replace to selected thoughts
 - (#9818) Windows: Improve reliability of update process
- Fixes
 - (#9799) Merging thoughts with duplicate attachments can cause some attachments to be removed/duplicated unexpectedly
 - (#9814) TheBrain 14 will not open after installing while having TheBrain 13 open
 - (#9819) Deleted files from thought folder are still shown as attachments
 - (#9829) BrainBox list does not update after dragging a new item into the folder
 - (#9830) BrainBox list does not update after adding an attachment as a child thought
 - (#9849) Performing "Save As" into a thought folder does not display the attachment in the UI
 - (#9850) Modification date of attachment does not update even though the changes made are correctly saved
 - (#9853) Attachments and notes not displaying correctly after merging thoughts
 - (#9857) Automatic update checks are not working; startup takes longer than it should
 - (#9858) Windows: Some edit boxes in dark mode do not have any borders, rendering them invisible unless they contain content

Version 14.0.6

September 26, 2023

- New Features
 - (#5427) Colored tabs
 - Individual tabs can be assigned a color via the context menu. The selected color will persist if the tab is left open when the application is closed. Colors assigned to tabs override colors assigned to brains.
 - (#9791) Brains list page: favorite brains section
 - Set a brain as a favorite via the context menu on the brains list. Favorite brains appear at the top of the brains list in their own section.
 - (#9826) Redesigned brain tabs
 - (#9835) Windows: Customized look for menus in light mode

- (#9836) Windows: Add shadows and other details to "Compact window title bar" mode
- (#9837) Brain tabs: Show brain name on separate line from thought name
- (#9838) Customizable brain colors in tabs and on brains list
 - Brain colors are shown as part of the tab when a brain is open and also in the bottom-left corner of the brain tile on the brains list. Assign a brain a color according to your individual preference via the context menu of a brain tile from the brains list. Brain colors are saved per user, not as part of the brain they are applied to, and are synced across devices.
- (#9847) Make tabs more compact when brain name is hidden
 - When brains names are shown tabs are displayed tabs are made taller. Conversely when brain names are hidden tabs are more compact. This setting can be toggled from Preferences > Look and Feel > Window or via the tab context menu.
- Fixes
 - (#9798) Unlisted warning message for a Brain that is not the current tab
 - (#9839) Cannot search for special punctuation: =, <, >

Version 14.0.5

September 22, 2023

- New Features
 - (#9820) Add word count slider to AI Note Generation dialog
 - (#9826) Redesigned brain tabs
 - (#9827) Windows: More distinct window borders
- Fixes
 - (#9805) Icons are not showing properly
 - (#9824) Pressing the "Enter" key does not cause any action when attempting to create a new child thought from highlighted text
 - (#9825) Windows: Search box input field loses focus after search results are returned
 - (#9831) Add feedback to Set Context Thought menu when there are no parent thoughts to display
 - (#9832) macOS: Error when some UI windows are used (create thought, thought properties, etc)
 - (#9834) macOS: URLs do not open in external browser

Version 14.0.3

September 21, 2023

- New Features
 - (#9808) Reindex brain command
- Fixes
 - (#9806) AI generation fails in secondary note attachments
 - (#9808) macOS: Popup windows (create thought dialog, insert table, etc.) do not get focused when they appear
 - (#9809) macOS: Text in search box is sometimes pixelated like it is missing or duplicating horizontal rows
 - (#9815) AI buttons are occasionally disabled incorrectly
 - (#9816) Cannot launch TheBrain if other instance failed to exit successfully

Version 14.0.2 (First Public Beta)

September 19, 2023

- Key Features
 - AI generation of thoughts
 - AI writing tools
 - Embedded search and indexing
 - Cross-brain search
 - Windows: All new browser
 - User interface improvements
 - Multiple language localizations
 - Performance improvements
- Tracked Feature Issues

- (#3531) Copy/paste in Google Doc attachments
- (#4023) Ability to download from the internal browser
- (#4258) In internal browser, drag link from a webpage into the brain to create a new thought that directs to that unique link.
- (#4603) Windows: Vimeo videos are not played on some PCs
- (#6166) Windows: YouTube video playback is choppy
- (#6499) Ability to zoom when using TB's internal browser
- (#7308) Dictation from within internal browser
- (#7843) Ability to copy a hyperlink/URL from web page in built in browser
- (#9696) Windows: Upgrade embedded browser to use Edge
- (#9755) Search other brains
- (#9790) Inline diff view in notes after AI manipulation
- (#9723) Localization in 78 languages
- (#9788) Windows: Faster initial startup
- (#9796) Windows: Improve look and feel of buttons and other controls
- Fixes
 - (#3516) Gmail attachments get "no longer supported" banner
 - (#3547) Windows: Right Click menu from embedded browser cannot be easily dismissed and often appears in the wrong location
 - (#4150) Attaching URL with many advertisements crashes Brain
 - (#4435) No context menu on built in browser
 - (#5025) Unable to login using internal browser
 - (#5173) URL doesn't load or loads incorrectly in embedded browser
 - (#5361) Page with video doesn't load in built in browser
 - (#5464) Popular songs on YouTube cannot play in TB 10 embedded browser - Copyright
 - (#6479) Unable to login to Google docs in TB internal browser - "browser or app may not be secure"
 - (#7306) Links to Gmail messages not resolving in internal browser
 - (#7546) Built in browser. URL slow to update
 - (#8678) AttachmentsWebView Out of Memory Exception when previewing specific URL
 - (#9480) Various video URLs open but do not play in internal browser
 - (#9517) Specific URL no longer loading in content area
 - (#9536) Cannot switch user in built in browser - youtube
 - (#9637) ChatGPT website to load in internal browser
 - (#9691) Windows: Opening an attachment displays "NoApplicationAssociated" message