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1 Overview

Definiens Tissue Studio® is an image analysis product that provides functionality to support the pathologist in analyzing standard assays in histopathology. It enables non-technical users to configure, calibrate and execute versatile image analysis workflows. The software supports all major acquisition devices and users can analyze all kinds of tissue slides, tissue micro arrays and microscope images.

With the built-in Definiens Composer Technology™, regions of interest can be extracted from images by selecting samples and train the software how to find the regions of interest. Once the training is finished, Definiens Tissue Studio® can extract the regions from an unlimited number of images.

A library of pre-defined image analysis solutions for typical every-day problems is provided that can be calibrated for the particular image data set, using Definiens Composer Technology™ and/or simple graphic sliders. These calibrated applications can be saved and submitted for batch execution.

Definiens Tissue Studio® allows the user to quantify IHC, fluorescence and other histological assays on a cell-by-cell basis.

1.1 About Definiens Tissue Studio® 3.0.1

Definiens Tissue Studio® 3.0.1 is a maintenance release. This is an optional update and includes 22 bugfixes and two small feature additions to Definiens Tissue Studio® 3.0. Please use the list of new features and bug fixes in the next section to make a decision on performing the update.

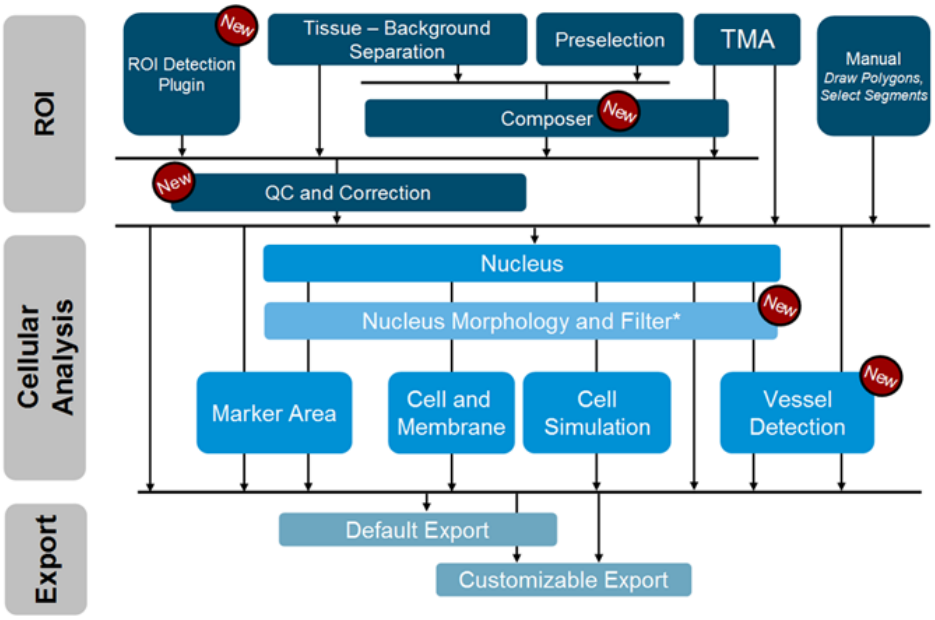

Figure 1.1. Overview of available actions in Definiens Tissue Studio (to reduce complexity, classification actions are not displayed)

2 New Features, Bug Fixes and Errata

2.1 New Features

See table 2.1 on this page, *New Features in Tissue Studio 3.0.1*.

Table 2.1. New Features in Tissue Studio 3.0.1

Category	Reference	Description
User Interface	18458	Import File(s) Dialog: Folder recursion is now an option.
User Interface	18305	Import File(s) Dialog: Use natural sorting

2.2 Bug Fixes

See table 2.2 on the current page, *Bugs Fixed in Tissue Studio 3.0.1*.

Table 2.2. Bugs Fixed in Tissue Studio 3.0.1

Category	Reference	Description
Installation	18326	64bit workstation versions on Windows Vista/7: License activation: License files are not saved to license folder
Installation	18261	Audit trail tool is not part of installation
Data I/O	18211	JPG 2000 driver: Certain image files are not displayed correctly
Data I/O	18359	Aperio Annotation files: Files with missing attribute “MicronsPerPixel” are not read correctly
User Interface	18515	Tissue Studio [Quad] version: Error message that algorithms are missing

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Category	Reference	Description
User Interface	18189	Manual ROI Selection: After loading solution, internal view for confirmed ROI selection is accessible
User Interface	18229	Composer Training: Mean stain intensities not updated in image object information
User Interface	18502	Composer Training: After press on button Undo Step, class Background turns to unclassified
User Interface	18513	Composer Training: Error message “Layer ‘OD’ could not be accessed.”
User Interface	18351	Vessel Detection: everything classified as Vessel during configuration in some cases
User Interface	18412	General Settings: IHC Marker selection is visible in IF portals
User Interface	18282	Import File(s) Dialog: Dialog blocks access to certain directories
User Interface	18505	Import File(s) Dialog: Wrong selection of subfolders on double-click
ROI Detection	18163	Composer: Cut At Bottleneck: Cut width is set in pixels, should be um
ROI Detection	18171	Composer: New composer training is necessary after reloading solution
Cellular Analysis	18110, 18133	Some temporary class fragments are not removed
Export	18109	Default Export: TMA core name is wrongly exported as slide name
Export	18447	Default Export: ROI area values are exported in pixels not in µm²
Export	18154	Average Intensity Markers 1,2 and 3 is zero
Processing	18122, 18460	64bit workstation version: jobs stay in state waiting due to wrong user rights for some files

2.3 Known Issues and Limitations

See table 2.3 on the facing page, *Known Issues and Limitations in Tissue Studio™ 3.0.1*.

Table 2.3. Known Issues and Limitations in Tissue Studio™ 3.0.1

Category	Reference	Description
Processing	N/A	Limitation: The ROI Detection algorithms work on the first six fluorescence channels only. Additional channels are ignored. Data export and visualization is possible for up to 12 channels.

2.4 Document Errata

None

3 Additional Information

3.1 Solution Files from Previous Versions

Solution files from version 2.1.0 and above can be loaded with Definiens Tissue Studio 3.0. If an old solution file is loaded, the software will enter into a compatibility mode with the respective version. If you would like to leave this compatibility mode, press the button New Solution or load a solution that has been created with Definiens Tissue Studio 3.0.

3.2 Using Manual Selections from TissueMap 3.1 in Tissue Studio

Definiens TissueMap and Definiens Tissue Studio are two different products. The workspace layout has been changed. Due to this, users of TissueMap 3.1 can not use the manually created regions in Tissue Studio automatically. However, the workspaces with manually created region selections can be converted. Please contact Definiens product support at support@definiens.com to get the tool to convert workspaces.

3.3 Contact

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