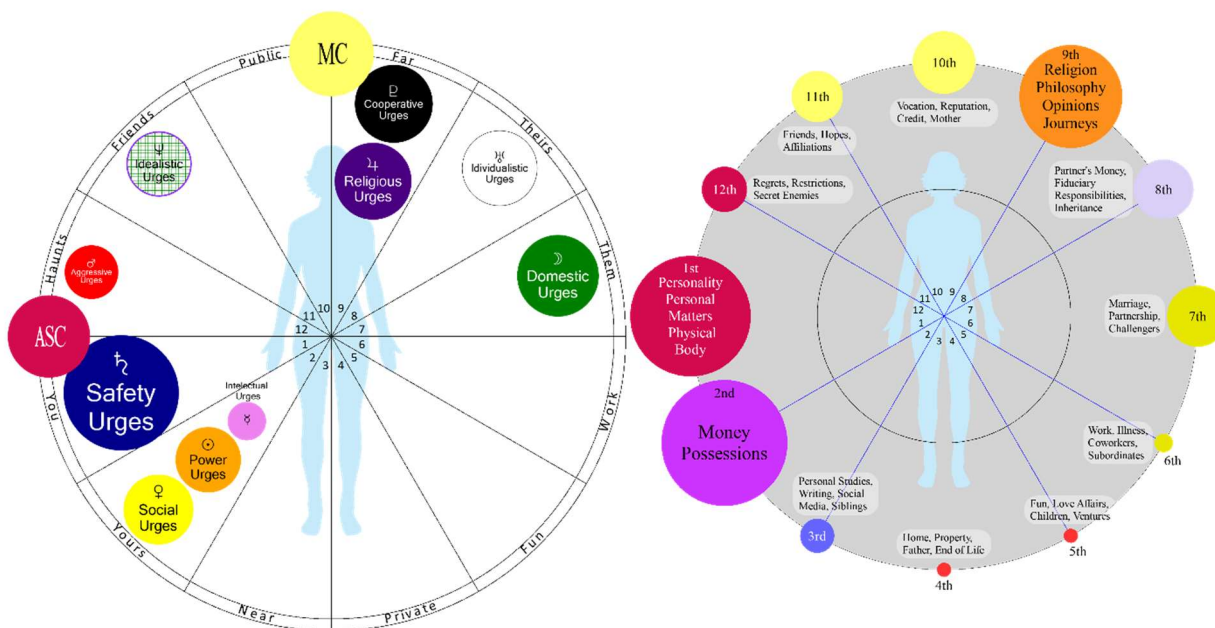


New Features in Horoscope

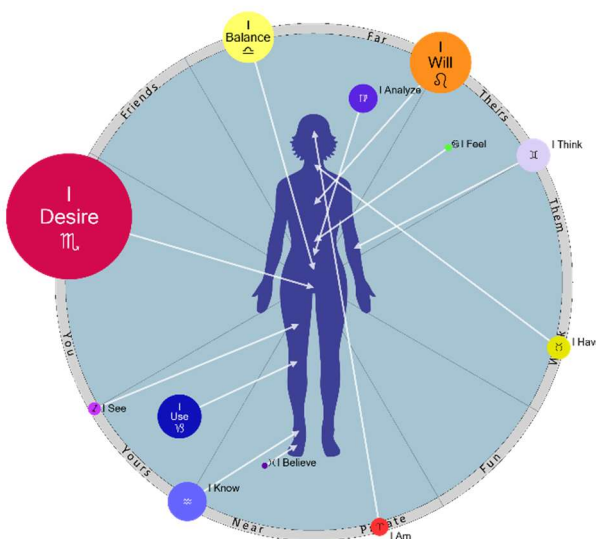
In addition to the new-features summary below, you'll find more detail on each of the new features in the Horoscope Help topics accessed from the Help menu.

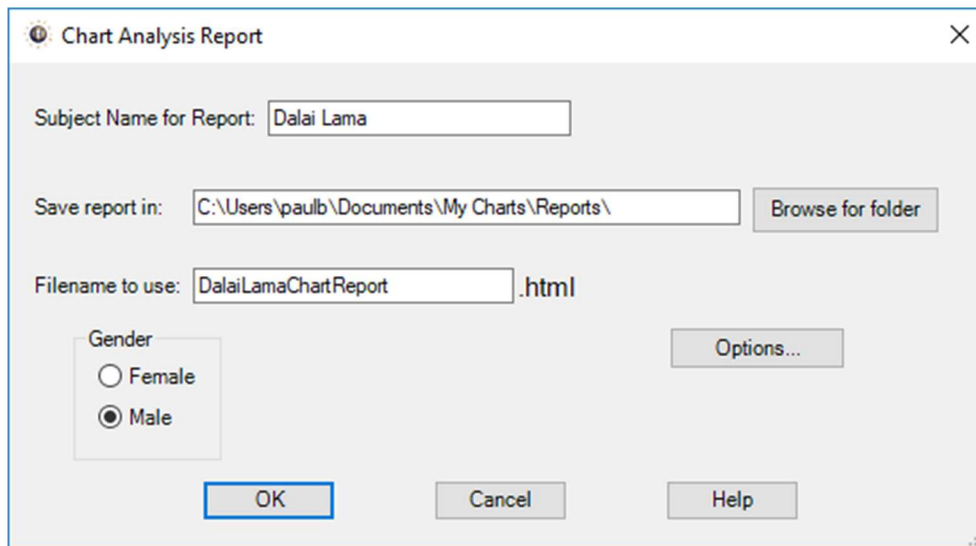
Chart Analysis Report Generator

Horoscope now has a **new Chart Analysis Report Generator** that produces a detailed chart delineation that you can view in your browser. The report contains ten sections plus an appendix covering all aspects of chart delineation including interactive diagrams of energy distribution in the chart for planets, signs and houses shown below:



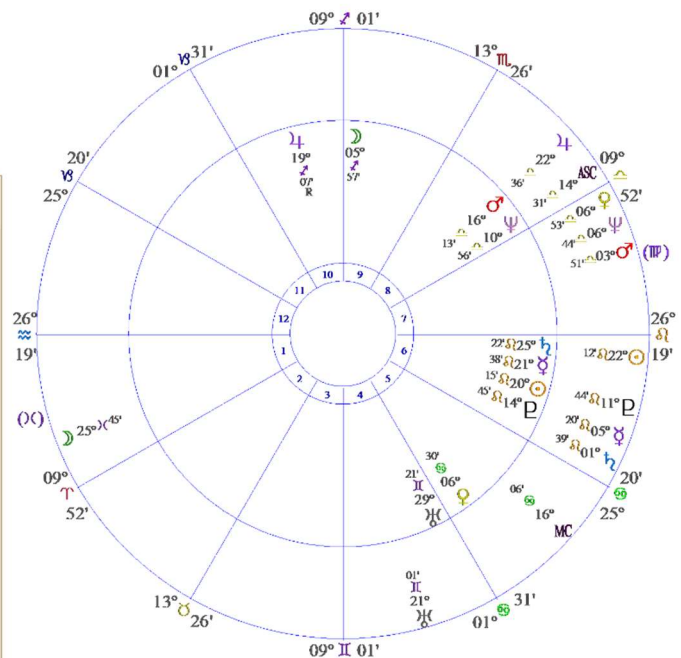
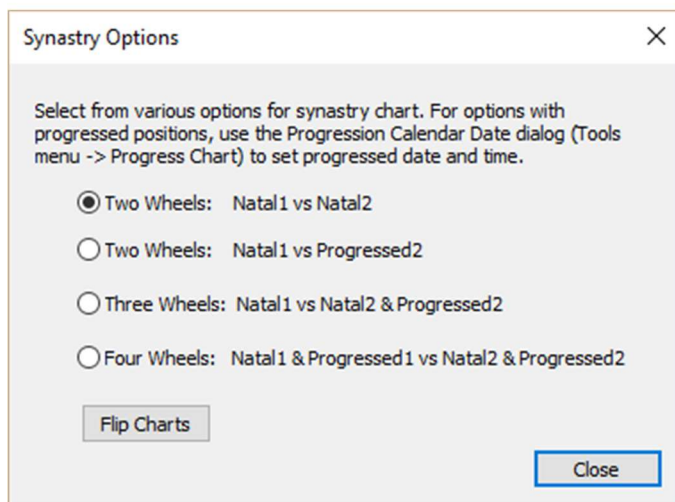
The chart report can be activated from the Tools menu or by a new button on the main toolbar. There is a new option under Tools->Options->General Options & Preferences that allows you to optionally specify a special folder in which to save your chart reports. If no default folder is specified, then the HTML chart reports are save in the Reports subfolder of your My Charts folder.





Synastry Chart Comparison

When viewing a chart, you can now select Synastry from the Tools menu and then select another person's chart to display in the outer wheel. This activates the Synastry Dialog box that allows you to flip the wheels or show Major-progressed (secondary) aspects. If you select to show Major-progressed aspects, then the Progression Date dialog pops up to allow you to select the date and time for the progressed positions.



- The *aspect grid* shows the aspects between the two wheels with **aspects within one-degree orb in red**. The **astrodyne table** shows the astrodynes resulting from the aspects of one chart to the other. So, given two people A and B, A's astrodynes for a given planet or house show the power and harmony impact from the placement of B's planets in the outer wheel and vice versa. If you flip the wheels, then the data in the astrodyne and aspect tables also flip.
- This also applies to the Declination table.
- If you select **Show Applying Aspects** from the menu or toolbar, then they are shown in **blue**. This differs from how applying aspects are shown for regular charts because individual aspects,

rather than cells, must be highlighted since a cell in a synastry chart aspect table can contain both zodiacal and parallel aspects.

- **You can also do Synastry chart Progression Report** (a Lynne Palmer favorite) that shows time and date of person B's progressed aspects to person A's natal positions. This feature is accessed from the Tools menu.

Transit Return Charts

There's a new feature to create **Transit Return Charts** including solar and lunar returns, soli-lunar conjunctions, Jupiter and Saturn returns. Using the Transit Returns dialog show below, you can, for example, compute your solar return for this year by selecting 2019 in the Year field. For lunar returns and soli-lunar conjunctions, which happen every month, you must also select the month. You can then change the Chart Settings dialog for the Transit Return chart to enter your current location, if different than your default place. If there are two lunar or soli-lunar returns in the selected month, you'll be given an option to select which of the two returns to display. There is also a checkbox in the Transit Returns dialog that you can uncheck so that a new transit return chart is not created. In either case, the natal chart is progressed to the date and time of the transit return with the transits showing in the outer wheel.

Transit Returns

Create different types of transit return charts. Select the chart type, then specify the time frame of interest.

For solar returns (transiting Sun conjunction natal Sun), enter the year for which you want the chart drawn. For lunar (transiting Moon conjunction natal Moon) and soli-lunar (transiting moon conjunction natal Sun) conjunctions, enter year and month.

For Jupiter and Saturn returns, select the approximate age.

For example, Jupiter returns to its natal position about every 11.86 years, so the approximate ages to specify are 12, 24, 36, etc. years of age. For Saturn, which returns every 29.5 years, the approximate ages are 30, 60 and 90 years of age.

Solar return Create chart

Lunar return

Soli-Lunar conjunction (transiting Moon conjunct natal Sun)

Jupiter return

Saturn return


Year 1947

Month

OK Cancel

If you don't want to create a separate transit return chart, uncheck this box. You will still see the transiting planets in the outer wheel of the natal chart for the exact time of the transit return selected.

Applying Aspects

You can now highlight applying aspects in the Aspect Grid. You can do this from the **View->Show Applying Aspects** menu or from the toolbar using the  button. You can also do this for the synastry chart aspect grid. The color for the aspect grid highlighting can be set from the Tools->Options->General Options & Preferences menu using the Select Color Elements property page.

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Option to Use Bija (Q1) Progression Rate for Major/Secondary Progressions

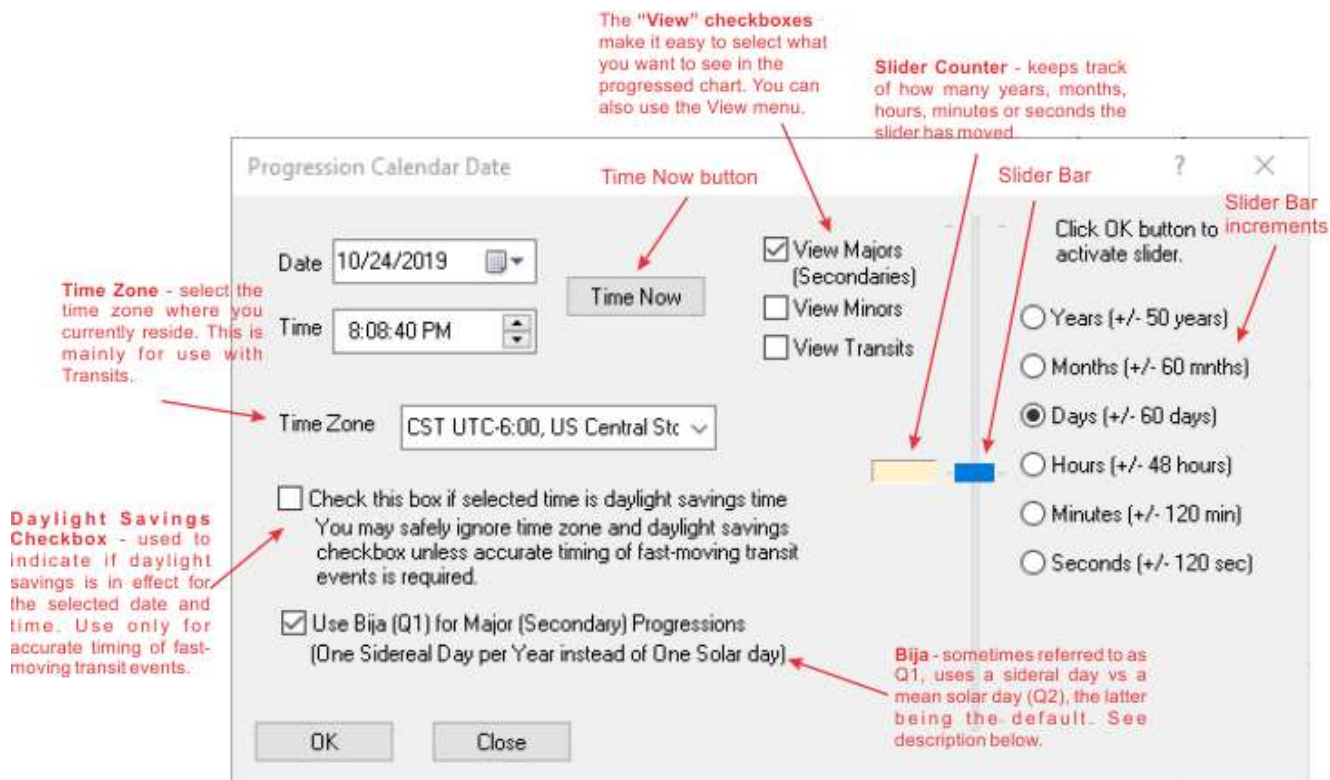
There is a new option to use the so-called **Bija (Q1)** progression rate when doing secondary (or major) progressions that uses a Sidereal Day per Year instead of a Solar Day per Year (referred to as Q2 in some astrological software.) The Tools->Progress Chart (Progression Calendar Date) dialog and the Progression Report Majors (Secondaries) Filter property page now contain checkbox options for selecting the Bija (Q1) progression rate that **default to the setting in General Options & Preferences** accessed from the Tools->Options menu.

New Chart Progression Features

The Progress Chart tool (Tools menu) has several new features:

New Slider Bar

The **slider bar** allows you to adjust the chart progression date and time to see how the progressions and transits change over time. You can select years, months, days, hours, minutes or seconds to increment or decrement the time. Dragging the slider bar progresses and displays the results in real time. **You can also use the up and down arrows on the keyboard to adjust the slider position.**



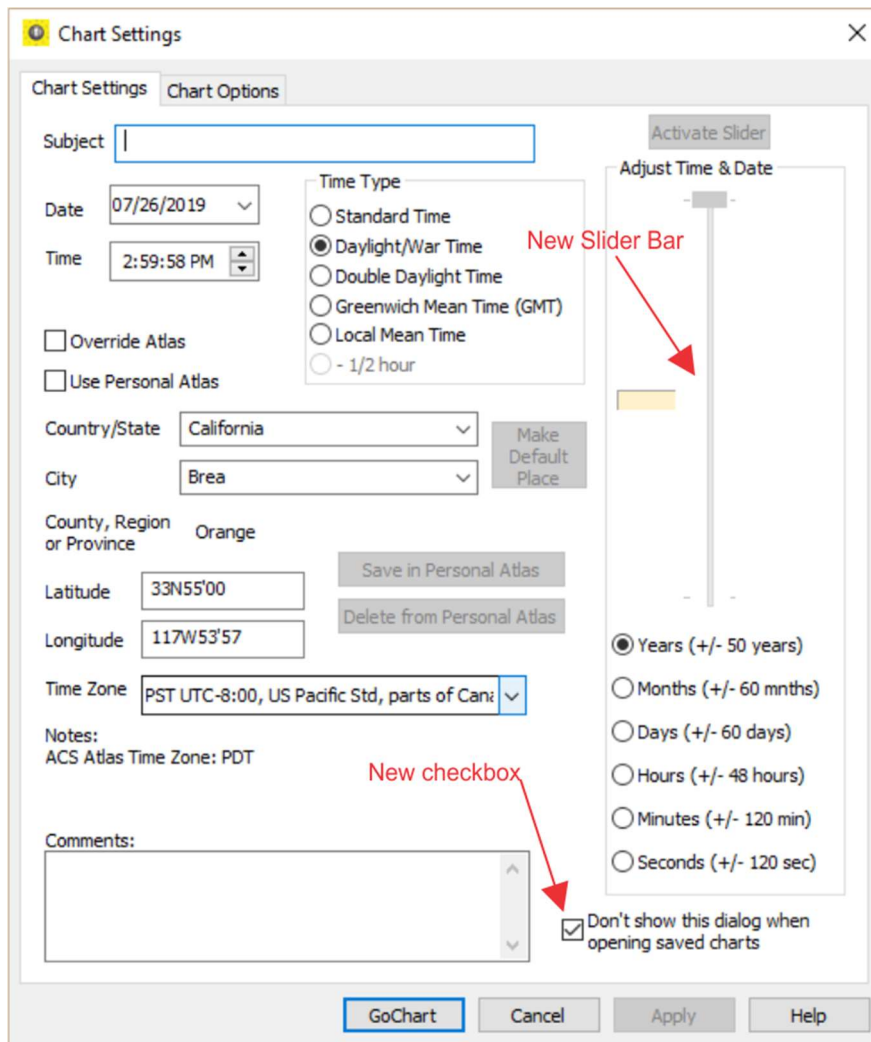
(As a reminder, the View menu has a Data Only option that, instead of the chartwheel, shows you the raw data positions of the planets to the nearest 0.1" (accurate to .5"). This is very helpful if you are trying to position a progressed or transiting planet to an exact position. This also applies to the slider bar in the Chart Settings dialog discussed below in the "New Features for Creating Electional Charts" section.)

Other new features in the Progress Chart setup dialog

- The progress chart dialog now contains **"view" checkboxes for easily selecting which progressions and transits to view on the chartwheel**, so you don't have to use the View menu. (See the diagram above.)
- There is a handy new **Time Now Button** that will quickly bring the progression date back to the current date and time.
- There is a new option checkbox for selecting the **Bija (Q1) progression rate** for Major/Secondary progressions that uses one sidereal day (of ephemeris time) per calendar year of life vs the standard one mean solar day per year.

New Features for Creating Electional Charts (Best Time to Do Something)

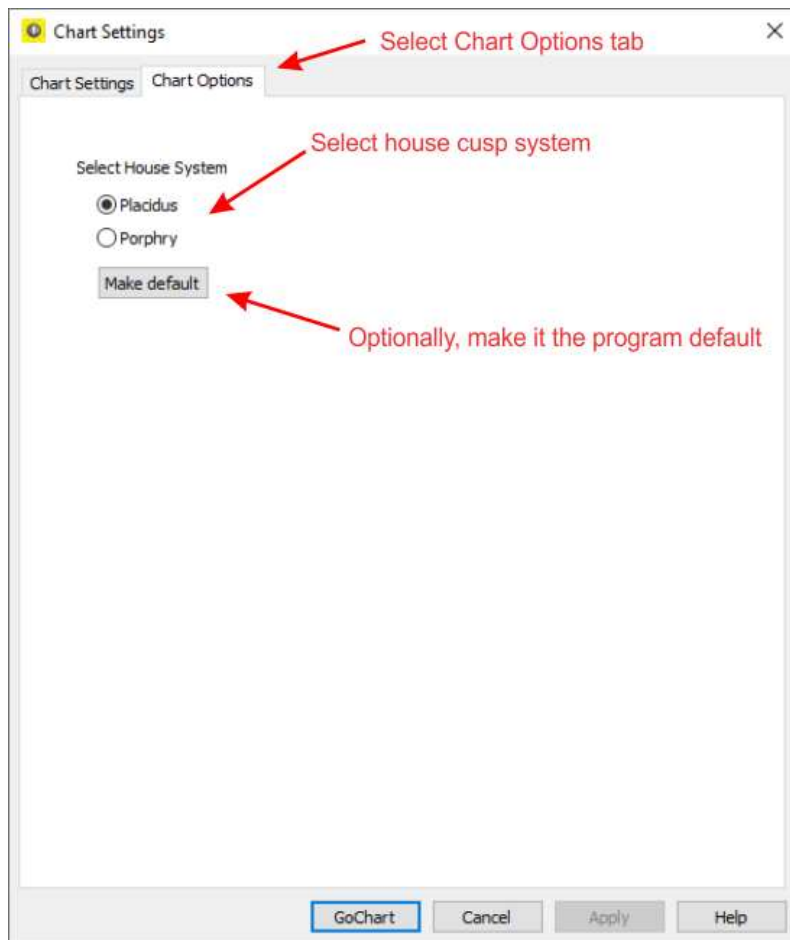
The **Chart Settings dialog** (accessible from the Edit menu), which allows you to enter or change the time, date and place for a chart, **also has a slider bar**. This works just like the one on the Progress Chart dialog and is very handy for doing electional charts where you are trying to find the best time to do something. See image below.



There is also a new feature in the View menu “**Tile ChartSettings-Adynes-Chartwheel-Aspects**” that will **arrange the Chart Settings dialog, astrodyne grid, chartwheel and aspect grid windows on the screen so that as you move the slider bar you see the chart changes for astrodynes and aspects in real time**. If your screen is not big enough, it will leave out the aspect grid, which you can still view by clicking the associated toolbar button or from the View menu.

Porphyry House Cusp System

There is a **new "Chart Options" property page tab in the Chart Settings dialog** (the one you use to specify time, date etc. for a chart) where you can specify **Placidus or Porphyry house system** for a chart. You can also specify what you want for a default.



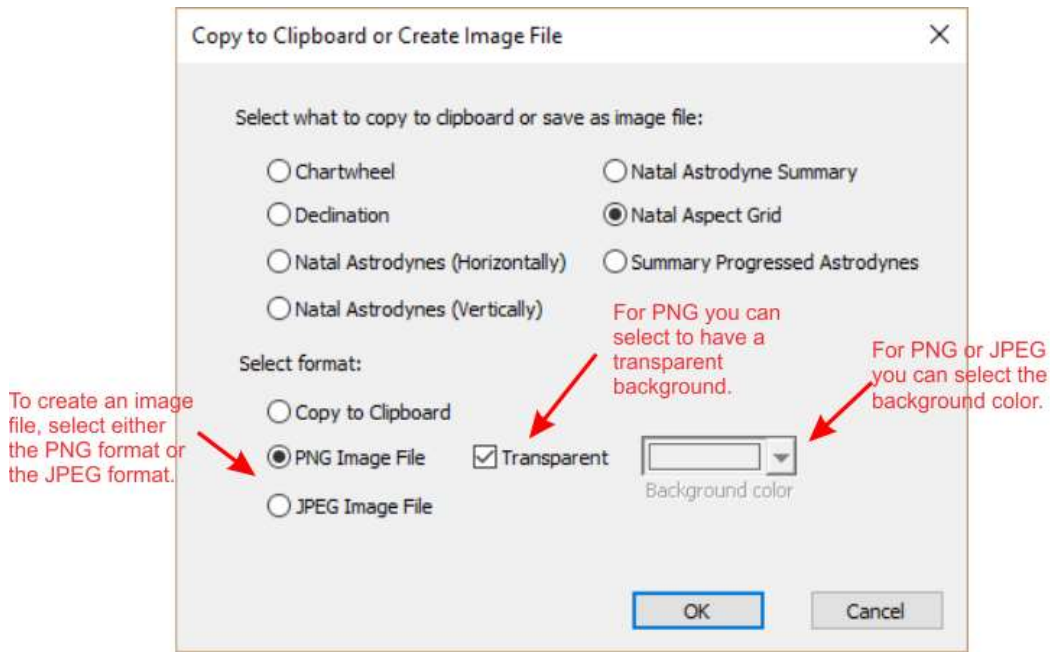
The rules for specifying which house system to use are:

- If you don't specify a default, using the "Make Default" button on the Chart Options tab, then the default is Placidus, although you can change and save any chart as Porphyry.
- If you, for example, specify Porphyry as the default, new charts will use that default and old saved charts made with prior versions of Horoscope will use Placidus. You can change them to Porphyry and save them in the new format.

Charts saved with the new version always use the house system specified at the time they are saved, though they also can be changed.

Capability to Generate JPG and PNG Image Files

In addition to the capability to copy chart elements to the Windows Clipboard for pasting into other applications like Word or PowerPoint, there is now the capability to generate JPG and PNG image files for all chart elements (chartwheel, aspect grid, astrodyne tables, declinations table, progressed astrodynes table). This new function has been added to the Edit->Copy menu using the new dialog shown below.



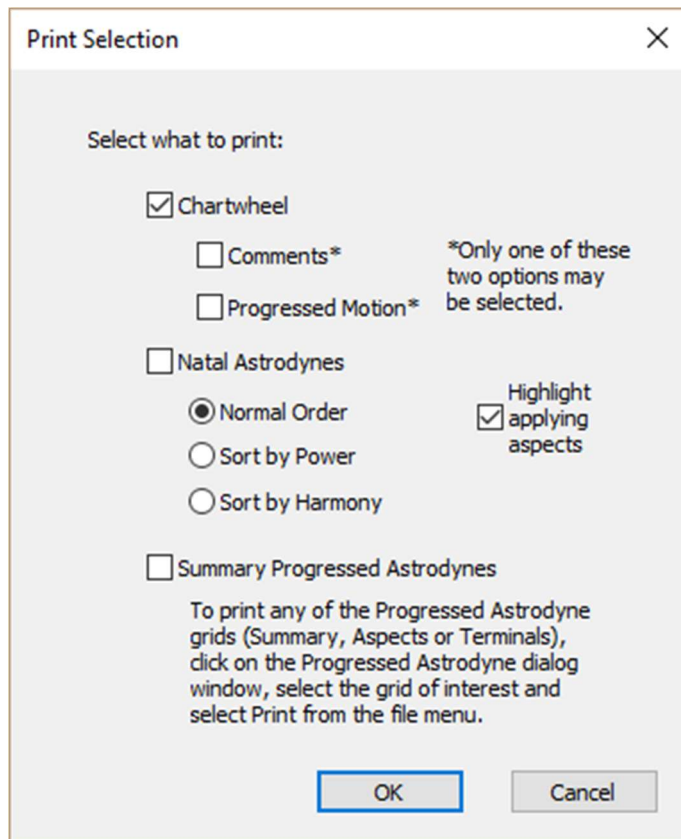
Improved Atlas-Override Functions

The process for **overriding the built-in ACS atlas** has been simplified and the user interface improved. Now, when overriding the atlas to create special places, you can edit the City and State/Country edit boxes to give the place a unique name. This has also improved using the Personal Atlas to save special places that are used often.

New Chart Printout Features

- You can now print the chart notes you make in the Comments field (edit box) of the Chart Settings dialog. This option has been added to the Print Dialog.
- The Print Chart dialog now has options for sorting the natal astrology page printout by normal order, power or harmony.
- A mini-aspect grid (aspectarian) has been added to the chartwheel page printout for easy user access to chart aspects.
- The mini-aspect grid on the chartwheel printout page and the aspect grid with astrology on the Natal Astrodyne printout now show applying aspects in pastel green (unless you change the color), unless you turn this option off.
- When printing the natal astrology page, there is now a legend identifying keywords for interpreting aspects.

The diagram below shows the various print options.



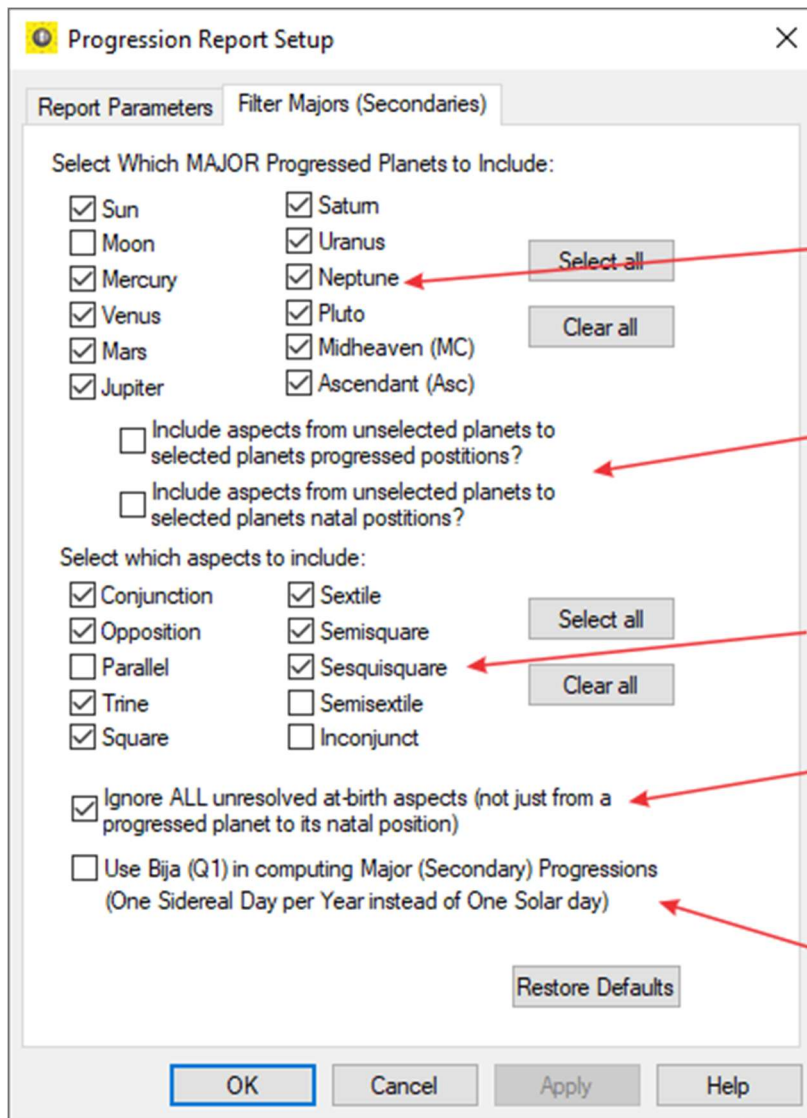
Progression Report New Features

As in previous versions, the Progression Report setup dialog has Major/Secondary, Minor and Transit "filter" tabs where you select the planets and aspects you want to see in the report. The default settings for which planets and aspects are initially selected are now maintained in the "Default Folder and Other Options" property page found by going to the Tools->Options->General Options & Preferences on the Main Menu.

When generating a progression report, you can, of course, change the defaults as desired. The new defaults for which aspects to do in progression or transit reports has the weaker aspects semisextile and inconjunct and the parallel aspect TURNED OFF by default (as is the Moon in the "planets to do" section of the Filter tabs) because they clutter the progression/transit reports making it difficult for non-experts to use. If you want them all on by default, set it up in General Options and Preferences dialog accessed from the Tools->Options menu.

"Select All" and "Clear All" buttons have been added to Progression Report Majors (Secondaries), Minors and Transits property pages so that when doing special progression reports one can easily set or clear the selected planets and aspects in the Progression Report dialogs.

The Progression Report menu is now integrated with the main menu. This has caused confusion in the past since many of the main menu features did not show up when the progression report window was active. Report options to (1) Show Exact Time for Minors and (2) Transits, (3) Sort Only Majors when display reinforcing Minors & Transits and (4) Font selection now show on the Main menu.



Select the planets of interest.

See the "How to use ..." section in this help topic for instructions on using these options.

Select the aspects of interest

Check this box to remove all unresolved at-birth aspects from the report, not just those made by planets to their own natal positions. See section "Eliminating Unresolved At-Birth Progressed Aspects".

Bija - sometimes referred to as Q1, uses a sidereal day vs a mean solar day (Q2), the latter being the default. See

Other New Features

- When viewing **Progressed Astrodynes** (Tools->Progressed Astrodynes in Force), the Progressed Astrodynes dialog function to display progressed **House Power** now has an option to display as a Bar Chart rather than just a spider/radar chart. Also, the show **Charts Button** is now highlighted in green so that it's easy to see.
- There is a new **main toolbar button** for the producing a **Chart Analysis Report**.
- There is a **new View menu command** that allows **turning off the on-screen chart annotation** (name, date, time and place) in the upper-left corner of the screen. The on-screen chart data annotation is now automatically turned off if the chartwheel is resized so that it won't overlay the chartwheel and restored if the chartwheel window is again maximized, unless you have manually turned it off. If, however, you re-size the main program window frame to make it smaller, the on-screen annotation may overlay the chartwheel. This is a good time to use the new View menu command to turn off the annotation.
- The **Mutual Reception symbol** for regular charts (not Synastry charts) now shows up in the top half of the aspect grid (where the zodiacal aspects are displayed) as well as in the bottom half where parallel aspects are shown.

- The "**Data Only**" function on the View menu now shows raw longitude and declination positions to a tenth of a second (nearest 0.1").
- The Progression Report and the Progressed Astrodynes dialogs now have **Show/Hide buttons** to declutter the screen if you have too many popup tables active (e.g. declination table, astrodyne table and/or aspect grid) to better see what's going on. You can hide or show them as needed.
- The **Chart Settings dialog has a new checkbox** in the lower-right corner that allows you to specify that the dialog not be shown for saved charts. See the Chart Settings dialog image above in the "New Features for Creating Electional Charts" section.
- You can now have **any number of custom time reference lines** in the Progressed Astrodynes **Progressed-Aspect Power-Time plots**.
- The File Manager now asks if you want to save the chart as progressed. If you want to reset a chart that has been saved as progressed, use the File Save As dialog and, when file save dialog asks if you want to save the chart as progressed, respond "No".
- The Aspect Grid now has a toolbar button and defaults to showing power and harmony for each aspect. This can be turned on and off with a new toolbar button or via the View menu.

Latest Delta T Predictions from the U.S. Naval Observatory

This version of Horoscope has revised Delta T tables that allow more accurate computation of chart planetary positions. Delta T is the difference between Coordinated Universal Time (UTC), used worldwide for clock time, and Terrestrial Dynamical Time (TDT) or ephemeris time, which is the value needed to compute astronomical positions.

Latest ACS Atlas Time Changes for the following countries:

- Brazil
- Namibia
- Turks and Caicos
- Sao Tome and Principe
- Uruguay
- Paraguay
- Guinea-Bissau
- Portugal
- The Azores
- Angola
- North Korea
- South Korea
- Fiji
- China
- Morocco
- Chile
- UK
- Italy
- Turkey

New Features from Horoscope 2016:

New Video Tutorials on Using Horoscope and Interpreting Charts

There are now 19 video tutorials covering how to use Horoscope to analyze and interpret astrological charts:

Introductory Topics

- Program Installation and Getting Started
- Introduction to Creating and Interpreting Astrological Charts
- Managing, Printing and Sharing Your Charts

Intermediate Topics

- Using Natal Astrodynes in Chart Analysis
- Interpreting Charts Using Hermetic Astrology - Part I
- Interpreting Charts Using Hermetic Astrology - Part II
- Introduction to Progressions and Transits
- Progressions and Transits - Part I
- Progressions and Transits - Part II

Advanced Topics

- Progression Report Advanced Topics
- User-Selectable Options
- Window Management
- Overriding the Atlas & Using the Personal Atlas
- Progressed Astrodynes - Part 1
- Progressed Astrodynes - Part 2
- Mundane Cycle Charts
- Creating Solar and Lunar Return Charts
- Embedding Horoscope Charts and Tables in Other Applications

New Chart Delineation and Analysis Help

Horoscope now provides extensive Help topics to assist the user in interpreting charts and preparing chart analysis reports. These Help topics include substantial excerpts from various sections on astrology in the 21 Brotherhood of Light (BoFL) books by C. C. Zain. Now users have all the key astrology information contained in the BoFL books at their fingertips. Topics include:

- Introduction to astrological chart reading.
- Detailed descriptions and interpretations for the houses, planets, signs and aspects.
- How the planets express through the houses natively and by progression.
- Interpreting aspects between the planets extracted from *Beginner's Horoscope Reader* by Elbert Benjamine.
- Physical description by planet and sign.
- Detailed descriptions for interpreting the Decanates for Vol. 10-1 *Delineating the Horoscope* by C. C. Zain.
- Instructions for doing the First Six Steps in Judging.
- Guidance for performing detailed chart and astrodyne analysis.

- Example outline for a complete chart analysis report.
- Analyzing progressions and handling favorable and unfavorable progressed aspects.
- How to interpret Horary charts.
- How to interpret Mundane Cycle charts.
- Help menu links to detailed "How To" video tutorials.

Progression Report Printout

The Progression Report printout now has a header (shown below) that displays all the user-selected options that were used when creating the report. This is helpful when referring to an old report to remind you what options you selected when creating the report. The report also indicates how the report was sorted (by event Start, Peak or End date) using capitalization and an asterisk (*).

Progressions for Chart 1
January 26, 2016 through January 27, 2016

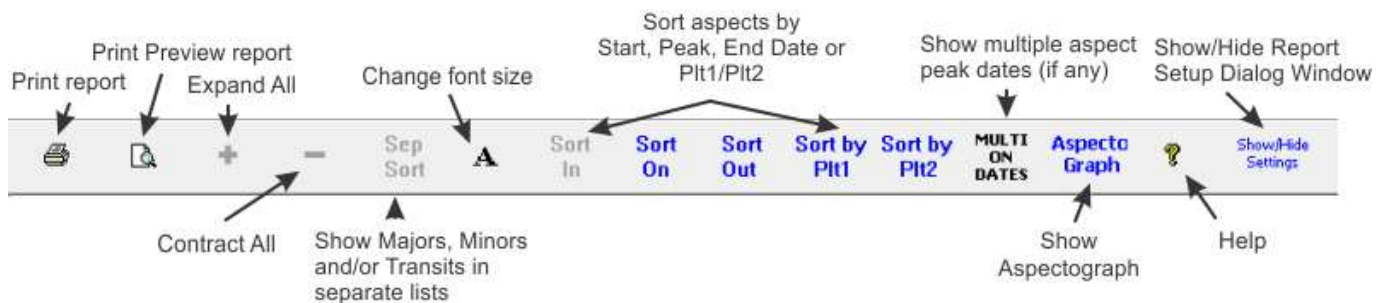
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 - progressed positions of selected planets
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 Major-progressed aspects excluded: ⋈

Major progressed event list:

	Start	MAJOR	Peak	End
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2	12/24/2011	☽ ∟ ♃♁	03/11/2014	08/20/2016
3	07/27/2014	☽ ∟ ♀♁	05/09/2015	02/23/2016
4	09/06/2014	☽ ∟ ♀♁	06/20/2015	04/05/2016
5	12/08/2014	☽ ☐ ♂♁	09/21/2015	07/10/2016
6	04/01/2015	☽ ∟ ♃♁	01/16/2016	11/05/2016

New Progression Report Toolbar Buttons

Three new buttons have been added to the Progression Report toolbar. (See diagram below.) The new buttons allow you sort the progression report by the aspecting planet (Plt1) or the aspected planet (Plt2). There is also an Aspectograph button that will display an aspectograph using the sort settings you have opted to use. See discussion below on the new Aspectograph feature.



Progressed Astrodynes

The new version of Horoscope has functions for computing, displaying, sorting and printing Progressed Astrodynes as defined by C. C. Zain (Elbert Benjamine) in Brotherhood of Light volume 16 *Stellar Healing* and the *Astrodyne Manual* by the same author.

The Horoscope program provides three views for analyzing the progressed power, harmony and relative harmony to progressed aspects in effect. They are the (1) Summary Progressed Astrodynes report and grid, (2) the Individual Progressed Aspect Astrodynes and (3) Progressed Astrodynes by

Terminal Type. An example of one of the many grids and reports is show below. Many new features have been added for Progressed Astrodynes and they are all well documented in Horoscope Help and in an included whitepaper “Understanding How Progressed Astrodynes are Computed and Validating Results.”

JohnEdwards: Progressed Adynes

Progressed Astrodyne Options

Select an option to display the data or click View Charts:

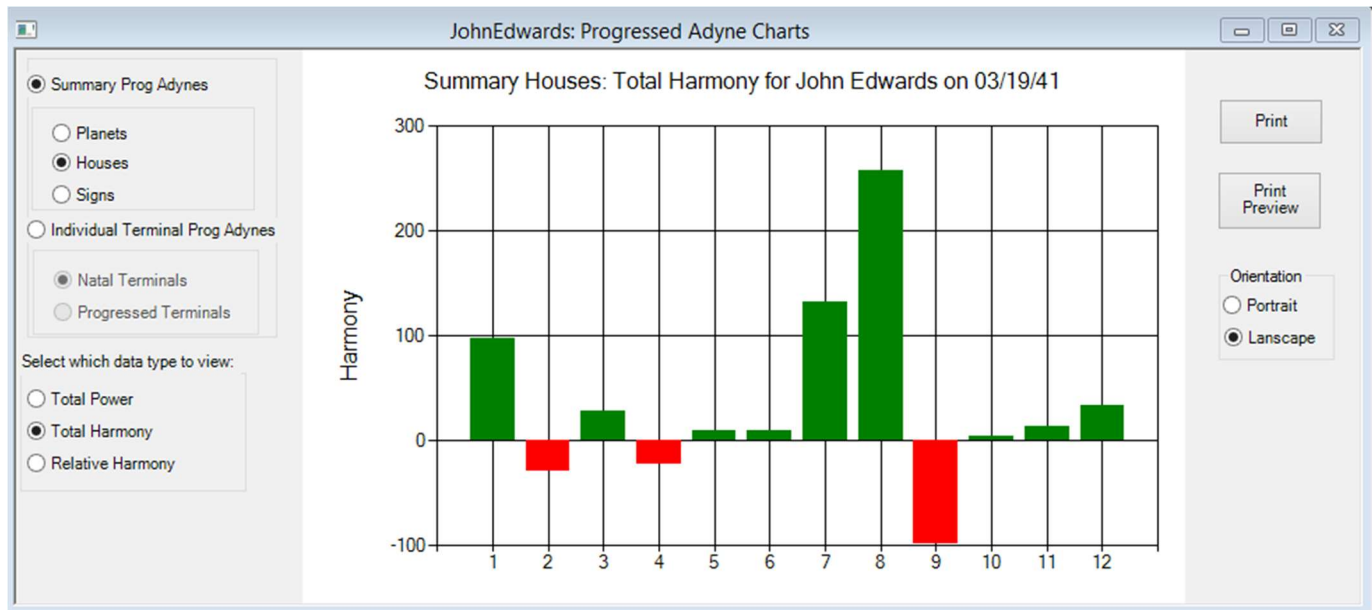
- Summary Progressed Adynes
 - Report format (use View Menu to sort)
 - Grid format (use column headers to sort)
- Individual Progressed Aspect Adynes
 - Majors (secondaries) Reinforcing Minors
 - Minors Hide Relative Harmony
 - Transits Aspect Power-Time Graph
- Progressed Adynes by Planet Terminal Type
 - All (Natal, Major, Minor, Transit)
 - Natal
 - Major (secondary)
 - Minor
 - Transit

Help View Charts Export to CSV

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Sun	84.74	-9.60	7.83	10.77	4.05	20.10	-13.65	53.87
Moon	118.10	-9.58	-85.17	1.79	-0.48	36.92	-9.11	79.39
Mercury	237.06	-28.56	-148.51	19.25	-4.44	98.58	-24.11	119.23
Venus	164.58	15.45	83.83	17.06	5.60	63.23	9.84	84.30
Mars	675.57	-20.18	-50.85	26.65	0.13	212.31	-20.31	436.60
Jupiter	648.39	143.08	619.42	20.61	12.04	202.14	131.04	425.65
Saturn	659.58	-46.73	-284.98	20.54	-7.33	179.37	-39.40	459.67
Uranus	389.34	-5.06	2.83	18.68	0.45	124.04	-5.51	246.63
Neptune	168.47	19.46	114.52	17.92	3.80	59.58	15.66	90.98
Pluto	880.35	89.06	368.58	30.70	8.58	211.12	80.48	638.54
MC	636.03	2.47	79.57	28.65	2.37	214.68	0.10	392.70
Asc	108.61	19.24	14.84	11.96	-1.36	49.94	20.61	46.71
1st House	604.23	97.03	283.58	58.40	7.47	202.51	89.56	343.32
2nd House	728.64	-28.91	-148.85	64.51	-1.48	203.58	-27.42	460.56
3rd House	1735.45	28.47	138.92	197.56	2.01	567.13	26.46	970.76
4th House	436.34	-22.38	-21.98	38.48	3.26	131.46	-25.65	266.40
5th House	91.23	9.04	41.91	17.22	4.12	31.86	4.92	42.15
6th House	90.82	9.03	41.91	17.06	4.10	31.61	4.92	42.15
7th House	1500.43	131.97	478.61	112.46	22.62	370.55	109.35	1017.43
8th House	1380.12	257.29	1060.28	134.69	45.57	417.32	211.72	828.10
9th House	1155.18	-98.37	-501.73	84.02	-26.17	322.03	-72.20	749.13
10th Ho...	1740.75	4.38	131.18	130.12	11.38	558.18	-7.00	1052.45
11th Ho...	1185.30	13.83	112.67	82.69	2.00	331.39	11.83	771.22

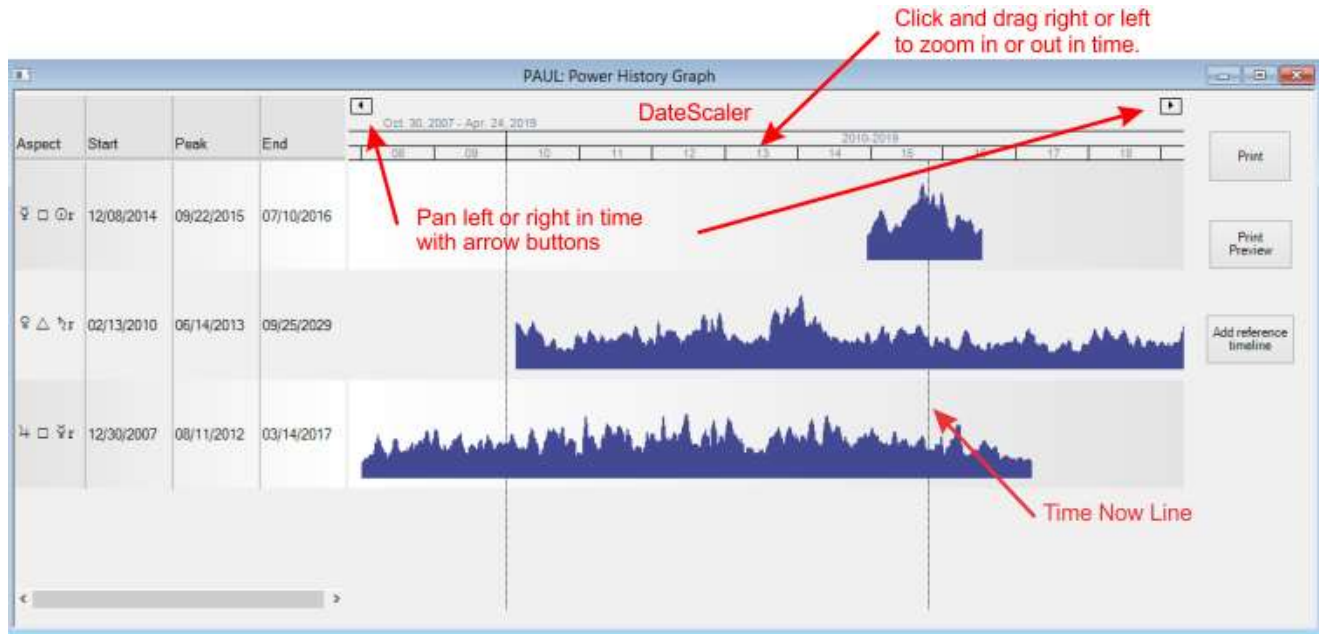
Chart Graphs of Progressed Astrodyne Data

You can also display charts graphs of progressed astrodyne power, harmony and relative harmony data for planets, signs, houses and individual natal or progressed terminals, an example of which is shown in the diagram below:



Power History Plots

You can also view Power History plots for aspects of interest as shown in the diagram below:

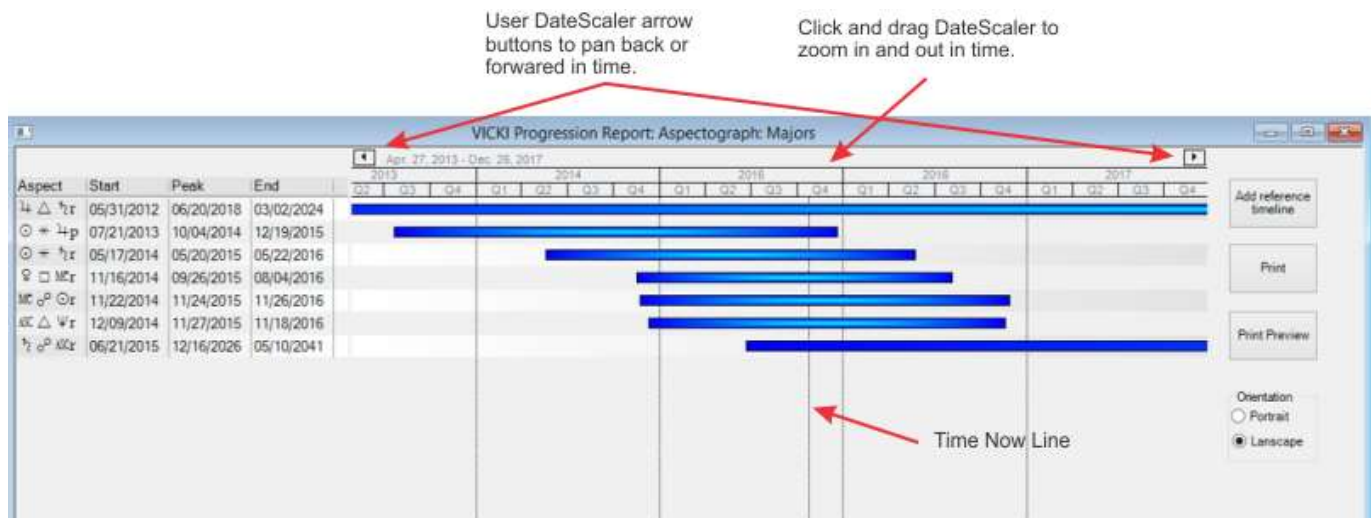


Export Progressed Astrodyne Data to Spreadsheet

You can also export all the progressed astrodyne data to comma-separated-values (.csv) files that will open in Microsoft Excel or other third-party spreadsheet applications. Detailed instructions are provided to help you take full advantage of this capability, including publishing results.

Aspectographs

You can now display Aspectographs directly from the Progression Report menu or toolbar that display the time history relationship for all the progressed aspects and transits in your progression report as shown in the diagram below.



Intercepted Signs

The Horoscope program now displays intercepted signs on the chartwheel. It's about time, huh?

Other Changes and Improvements

Latest ACS Atlas Time Changes

The new ACS Atlas time change tables are included with this new version of Horoscope. It should be noted, however, that the **time changes used by the atlas for Russia are incorrect for dates after October 26, 2014** when daylight savings ended for the Euro zone. As of that date, Russia is permanently on Standard time and no longer observes daylight savings. Astrolabe Inc., the company that maintains the atlas, will incorporate this new information in a later release.