

Oracle® Retail Central Office

Release Notes

Release 12.0.3IN

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This document highlights the enhancements made to the Oracle Retail Central Office (CO) Release 12.0.3IN for country-specific release.

Note: This document is an addendum to the Oracle Retail Central Office 12.0.3 Release Notes. Please read the release notes of Oracle Retail Central Office 12.0.3 before reading this document.

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Overview

Oracle Retail Central Office is a web-based application used at the corporate office to manage data movement and access real-time information across the enterprise. Data management capabilities provide the ability to control the distribution of information updates between the corporate office and stores to help ensure timely updates and consistent store policies. The use of a centralized corporate database provides enterprise-wide accumulation of transaction, electronic journal, and signature data with the ability to query based on business needs and to monitor for potential fraud.

Functional Enhancements

The following functional enhancements are included in this release:

- Maximum Retail Price (MRP)
- Address Change
- Taxation

Maximum Retail Price (MRP)

Maximum Retail Price (MRP) is maximum price that a retailer can charge to the consumer for a product. The manufacturer fixes the MRP and it is legally binding that the final selling price cannot be greater than the MRP. The retailer has the freedom to sell the product below the MRP. The MRP is inclusive of all taxes. MRP is displayed in the Transaction Tracker screen.

Address Format Change

User-entered address format for business and customer is captured as per the Indian Address format.

Taxation

Oracle Retail Central Office supports selling price inclusive of all taxes. If VAT is enabled for India Locale, the Transaction Tracker has been enhanced to display a Tax Summary section for transactions that have associated tax information. The Tax Summary section is added to the Transaction Detail screen that shows information on various taxes applied on the transaction. An item may have multiple taxes associated with it including the tax on tax. In the Tax Summary section, all taxes applied on the item are grouped and displayed by the tax code.

Functionality Restricted or Removed

IBM WebSphere Environment

Deployment on the IBM WebSphere environment has not been tested.

Technical Enhancements

The following technical enhancements have been included in this release:

POSLog Import Enhancement

POSLog has been enhanced to include the Tax breakup information at the item level and the MRP information. POSLog Import in Central Office has been enhanced to import the POSLog changes into the Central Database.

Installer Enhancements

A new locale *en_IN* locale is added to the locale selection screen in the Installer. When *en_IN* locale is selected, Date, Time format, and Currency are displayed for India Locale.

Integration Enhancements

As part of this release, the Tax data is imported from Oracle Retail Merchandising System (RMS). The Tax data setup is done in RMS and is imported into Stores through a batch process.

Data Import (DIMP) for Tax data from RMS will be developed in future release. DIMP is a standard mechanism for importing the data from the Merchandising system into Stores.

Upgrades to Requirements

For information related to upgrades to the Oracle Retail Central Office requirements (Database Server, Application Server), see the *Oracle Retail Central Office Installation Guide*.

Known Issues

The following issue exists in this release:

- No Hierarchy is found in the Transaction Tracker Screen

Issue: In the Transaction Tracker screen, when logged in with the default user ID, the hierarchy is not displayed after the Data Import.

Workaround: Update the Employee and Employee Hierarchy Association table with one of the Store ID in the Store table.

Documentation Update for Release 12.0.3IN

The following documents have been updated in the Oracle Retail Central Office or Strategic Store Solutions documentation sets:

- The *Oracle Retail Central Office Installation Guide*: has been updated with the names of the zip files used for installation.
- The *Oracle Retail Point-of-Service User Guide Addendum* has been created explaining the changes made to Central office.
- The *Oracle Retail Strategic Store Solutions Data Model* has been updated with L10N specific relational integrity diagrams.
- The *Oracle Retail Strategic Store Solutions Configuration Guide* has been updated with new parameters.
- The *Oracle Retail Strategic Store Solutions Implementation Guide* has been updated with data import process, tax import configurations, and data requirements for L10N stores.

Related Documentation

For more information, see the following documents in the Oracle Retail Central Office documentation set or Oracle Retail Strategic Store Solutions documentation set:

- *Oracle Retail Central Office Installation Guide*
- *Oracle Retail Strategic Store Solutions Configuration Guide*
- *Oracle Retail Strategic Store Solutions Implementation Guide*

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