

Oracle® Retail Merchandising System

Release Notes

Release 11.0.16

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This document highlights the major changes for Oracle Retail Merchandising System (RMS) Release 11.0.16. RMS 11.0.16 includes technical enhancements and defect fixes.

Oracle Customer Support investigates submitted issues assuming that all released updates have been applied. It is the customer's decision when to apply a new release; however, delays in applying updates can complicate the support process.

Release Number

The previous release of Oracle Retail Merchandising System was 11.0.14. To align the release numbers of Oracle Retail products, this release of RMS is named 11.0.16. There was no RMS 11.0.15 release.

Hardware and Software Requirements

See the *Oracle Retail Merchandising System Installation Guide* for information about the following:

- Hardware and software requirements
- Oracle Retail application software compatibility

Applying Source Code

Before applying the RMS 11.0.16 patch release, be sure that RMS 11.0 and all patches through RMS 11.0.14 have been applied.

Before applying the patch source files over your code:

- Note whether any modules have been customized. If so, the customizations must be reapplied to the new version of the module, or the fix may need to be applied to the custom version of the code.
- Copy the original files to a different directory before you copy over them, in case you need to refer to them at a later date.

Running Scripts

Back up data before running any script, because the scripts provided *do not* preserve data. See defect reports for details.

Check with your database administrator to determine whether your database should be analyzed after a script is run. In many cases, analysis of the database is necessary to take advantage of new or modified indexes intended to improve performance of the application.

Technical Enhancements

For Release 11.0.16, RMS adds the following technical enhancements:

- HP-UX 11.31 (Itanium) operating system compatibility
- Oracle Database 10g release 2 (10.2.0.4) compatibility
Database support has been upgraded from Oracle9i Database (9.2.0.5).
- Oracle Application Server 10g (10.1.2.2) compatibility
- Oracle Developer Suite (Oracle Forms) 10g (10.1.2.0.2) compatibility
Oracle Forms support has been upgraded from Oracle 9iAS Forms and Reports Services.

Defect Fixes and Documentation

A defect fix is a modification to the base Oracle Retail code (for example, a bug fix, a performance enhancement, or a functional enhancement). Each defect fix that is included in this patch has a corresponding defect report titled *<defect-number> <module>.PDF* (for example, 1234567 rplattrb.PDF).

In the same folder, the file named DEFECT MODULE XREF RMS 11.0.16.XLS lists every defect number and the modules and scripts that are included in the patch. Review each defect report carefully before this patch is implemented. Please note that scripts do not preserve data. Make sure that all data is backed up before you run any script.

Noteworthy Defect Fixes

The following defect fixes and enhancements are included in RMS 11.0.16. This is not a complete list; see the cross-reference spreadsheet and defect reports for a complete list and full details.

Defect Number	Functional Area	Summary
8329770	Patch release	Modification for HP-UX 11.31 (Itanium) and Oracle10g compatibility. Some prompts are truncated when viewed through the application.
6753542	Stock ledger	When interfacing with Oracle Financials, RMS does not include transaction codes 71, 72, and 73.

Known Issues

The following are known issues for RMS 11.0.16.

Defect Number	Summary
8467445	When RCA is performed for an item received on multiple purchase orders on the same day and the inventory has been transferred below the receipt quantities, the transactions are not posted correctly in tran_data.
8520787	The posupld batch does not create an RTV for a consignment item return.
8525989	RMS allows a decrease in a transfer quantity that has been allocated.

Related Documentation

For more information, see the following documents in the Oracle Retail Merchandising System Release 11.0.16 documentation set:

- *Oracle Retail Merchandising System Data Model*
- *Oracle Retail Merchandising System Installation Guide*
- *Oracle Retail Merchandising System Operations Guide Addendum*

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