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***Retek Merchandising System***  
***9.0.0.0***

***French Release Notes***

# ***Retek Merchandising System™***

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## Translated Items

All Forms and Error Messages have been translated in this version of RMS 9.0.0.0.

## Date Format Considerations

The required data that are inserted from sql scripts (refer to step 12 in Appendix A of your RMS Installation Guide) contain date formats that are based on English month abbreviations. In order for these sql scripts to run properly, the calling script `install_scripts_90.sql` contains statements that alter the user session language and territory to 'american' and 'america'. At the end of the script, the session is altered back to 'french' and 'france'. This is also true of the optional demo data script `mmdemo.sql`. Please be aware that while these scripts are running you will see response messages from the database in English rather than French.

## NLS\_LANG Parameter

In order to properly compile French toolset and forms (refer to setup instructions on page 17 of your RMS Installation Guide), the NLS\_LANG environment parameter must be set in UNIX. To set this parameter, at a UNIX command prompt type:

```
Export NLS_LANG=FRENCH_FRANCE.WE8ISO8859P1
```

This environment parameter should also be set appropriately when installing the Oracle Application Server (OAS).

## Help Files Directory Name Change

The installation guide refers to the location of the help files as `<BASE_INSTALL_PATH>/web_help/helpfiles/english` on the Application Server. In the translated version of the RMS 9.0.0.0 product, the "english" directory will be appropriately named to the translated language name (français) if the help files have been translated.

## Oracle Patch required for French version of RMS 9.0.0.0

Oracle patch 1125147 is required to resolve Retek SIR number 33706 (ORA-00600 error in `pcstbysk.fmx`).