

# Oracle® Retail Price Management

Release Notes

Release 13.1.9

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Oracle Retail Price Management (RPM) Release 13.1.9 is a patch release for RPM 13.1. RPM 13.1.9 includes selected defect fixes and enhancements for RPM 13.1 code.

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.

## About Patch Releases

Oracle Retail patch releases are periodic releases that can include the following:

- New defect fixes
- Product enhancements
- Technology upgrades
- Performance fixes

Documentation for patch releases includes new and updated guides (for example, operations guides, user guides, and so on) that apply to the patch release level. These documents include applicable updates made since the last patch release. Documents revised for this patch release supersede and replace all previous document versions. See "[Related Documentation](#)" for a list of the documents published for 13.1.8.

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**Note:** Customers must apply the entire patch release to update their installation to the currently supported level.

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See the *Oracle Retail Price Management Installation Guide* for Release 13.1.9 for instructions about how to apply the defect fixes and enhancements that you have not already applied.

## Hardware and Software Requirements

See the *Oracle Retail Price Management Installation Guide* for information about the following:

- Hardware and software requirements
- Oracle Retail application software compatibility

## Applying the Patch Release

Before applying the RPM 13.1.9 patch release, be sure that:

- RPM 13.1 has been installed.
- The RPM 13.1.1 patch release has been applied.
- The RPM 13.1.2 patch release has been applied.
- The RPM 13.1.3 patch release has been applied.
- The RPM 13.1.4 patch release has been applied.
- The RPM 13.1.5 patch release has been applied.
- The RPM 13.1.6 patch release has been applied.
- The RPM 13.1.7 patch release has been applied.
- The RPM 13.1.8 patch release has been applied.

Before applying the patch release over your files:

- 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.

## Functional Enhancement

The RPM 13.1.9 release includes the functional enhancement described below.

The Zone Group and Zone level editors in the RPM Price Change Creation window are enabled so that a vendor-funded price change can be created at the zone level.

## Technical Enhancements

The RPM 13.1.9 release includes the technical enhancements described below.

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**Note:** The list below announces the addition of Oracle Retail support for the technology described. See the Installation Guide requirements section for critical information, such as whether the enhancement below *replaces* previous versions or is supported *in addition* to already existing versions.

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- Oracle Database 11.2.0.4

- Oracle Java 6 update 75
- Oracle Internet Directory (OID) 10.1.4.3

## Integration Enhancement

The RPM 13.1.9 release includes the integration enhancement described below.

The clearance logic is modified such that a new item location or store creation through like store functionality inherits the zone level executed clearances. This is an integration enhancement between RPM and Oracle Retail Merchandising System (RMS).

## 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 release has a corresponding defect report titled *<defect-number>.PDF* (for example, 12345678.PDF).

The file **DEFECT MODULE XREF RPM 13.1.9.XLS** lists the new defect fixes for Release 13.1.9.

Review each defect report carefully before implementing the defect fixes. Note that scripts do not preserve data. Make sure that all data is backed up before you run any script.

## Noteworthy Defect Fixes

See the cross-reference spreadsheets and defect reports included with this release for complete lists and full details.

Defect Number	Summary
15976472	The functions of the NIL batch are modified to inherit the executed clearances such that when there are many successive executed clearances, only the latest executed clearances are inherited.
17625179	The Like Store functionality now copies Active Promotions accurately.
17727717	The Zone Group and Zone level editors in the RPM Price Change Creation window are enabled so that a vendor funded price change can be created at zone level. This fix also includes consolidated performance updates.
17923625	RPM supports the Java 1.6 Update 51 upgrade.
18236764	RPM generates an error message if you try to create a VFP where the deal reporting period is greater than the invoice period

## Related Documentation

For more information, see the following document in the Oracle Retail Price Management Release 13.1.9 documentation set:

- *Oracle Retail Price Management Installation Guide*

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