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DHL MTS

Flag Required to Route Export Files

FUNCTIONAL SPECIFICATION - 10.6

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1.1 Client Requirement

A flag currently exists in CTMS that enables a user to flag a trip to send to Microlise or Isotrak. There is now a requirement to extend this functionality to enable the end user to flag a trip so that the export is sent to Amazon which is the Smart Phone Database host.

The Smart phone application will be piloted within DHL though is aimed at Third Party Hauliers this means that the export will need to be sent to both Microlise and Amazon for the pilot this functionality must be considered in the quote as the future requirement will be to only export to Microlise or Amazon.

NOTE - the timescale of this development will determine if this functionality is developed and used for the pilot, a second RIO has been submitted to ESI as a backup.

To recap on the export rules the flag must manage:

Do not export

Export to Isotrak

Export to Microlise

Export to Amazon

Export to Amazon and Microlise (this is only applicable for the pilot)

1.2 Solution

This estimate formulates ideas based on the information acquired and details gleaned from a meeting at DHL Bedford dated 23rd February 2011, the slides produced as a result of the meeting and post meeting discussions with Alistair Jacques and Nick Ebbs.

It was agreed that a phased approach would be taken in delivering an overall solution for the Smartphone functionality. Initially, a pilot of the Smartphone ?Driver Application? would be achieved with no CTMS development, utilising the existing Microlise functionality (both inbound and outbound) in Consumer production COLV (CONPRD) and capturing messages under provision of some DHL Link (ESI) rules in order to redirect messages accordingly.

Further to the pilot, to make permanent the Smartphone solution, development changes would be required to CTMS as detailed below. This solution is understood to be specific to the ?Driver Application? at this stage.

It was stated that future enhancements may be to consider a Web Service HTTPS transaction method for data/messages from CTMS and ESI; however, this is out of scope for this particular RIO.

This RIO has also been utilised to provide some basic implementation and functional advice in order to assist in understanding the solution requirements to date.

Further to the above requirements, it is understood that there is no longer a need for the ability to send to both Smartphone (Amazon) and Microlise for the same trip.

Development

The existing Trip message functionality for Microlise will be utilised to create new inbound and outbound EDI flows, to be transacted in XML format, using the current latest version of TripOrder XSD. This will primarily be triggered using similar



rules as the current Microlise functionality for the outbound messages. Updates for the actual times and order quantities in the inbound messages will be accepted, again mirroring the Microlise functionality.

The configuration to generate outbound files will be based on the Carrier ID and/or Driver, as oppose to the Tractor ID and/or Trailer ID as is currently the case for Microlise.

Smartphone - Outbound File

Two new configurable items will be created to control the activation of the outbound messages. A ?Smartphone Enabled? checkbox will be added to the Carrier Maintenance tab on the Resources screen. A ?Smartphone Enabled? checkbox will also be added to the Driver Maintenance tab on the Resources screen. This will allow the activation of outbound Smartphone messages wherever a CTMS trip is assigned that particular carrier ID and/or that particular driver.

In order to prevent both Smartphone and Microlise messages being triggered, logic will be added to check configuration and where activation parameters are met for both outbound flows only a Smartphone message will be sent and not a Microlise message - this requires careful operational consideration.

The existing Microlise outbound control system parameters will be duplicated, renamed and will function in an identical fashion:

SMA_OWNING_DEPOT Indicates if the Smartphone file is sent with Database or owning depot in the name
SMA_SEND_ACCEPTED Send ACCEPTED message to Smartphone

The actual message will be added to a queue table to be generated where the following triggers are activated:

- **Trip Level :-**

- ◆ *Status changed to EN-ROUTE, DELETED or ACCEPTED (and SMA_SEND_ACCEPTED system registry is Y) : TRP sent to Smartphone for all orders on a trip using a carrier ID or driver (from trip header) that is Smartphone enabled (ignoring any activity at the carriers Hub Location to avoid sending cross-dock data too many times).*
- ◆ *CARRIER_ID, DRIVER_ID or TRACTOR_ID is changed for a trip at status EN-ROUTE or ACCEPTED (and SMA_SEND_ACCEPTED system registry is Y) and with old/new carrier ID or current driver from its trip header enabled for Smartphone then send TRP message.*

- **Trip Stops :-**

- ◆ *If STOP_NO = 1 is changed for a trip at status EN-ROUTE or ACCEPTED (and SMA_SEND_ACCEPTED system registry is Y) and that has a Carrier ID or driver that is Smartphone enabled then send TRP.*

If ARRIVE or DEPART times are changed for a trip at status EN-ROUTE or ACCEPTED (and SMA_SEND_ACCEPTED system registry is Y) and that has a Carrier ID or driver that is Smartphone enabled then send TRP.

- **Trip/Order Level :-**

- ◆ *On inserting or deleting orders on trips at status EN-ROUTE or ACCEPTED (and SMA_SEND_ACCEPTED system registry is Y) if the trip header has a Carrier ID or driver that is Smartphone enabled then send TRP.*

- **Order Line Level :-**

- ◆ *If ACTUAL_DESPATCHED_QUANTITY changed for an order on a trip at status ACCEPTED then send TRP to Smartphone.*

This will include one trip per file.

Based on the above triggers, replacement TripOrder files will be generated to cover updates of the changed data.



There is currently the ability to manually send an 'Enabling message' from a right-click option in the Trip Manipulation and Trip Planning screens, this would be modified to send a Smartphone message if appropriate based on the Trip carrier ID and/or driver ID assigned.

Suggested outbound polling cycle:

Check for messages to generate every 1 minute.

Suggested Filename:

YYYYMMDDHHMISSII.XML

Suggested configurable folder structure using the following system parameters:

SMA_OUTBOUND_PATH Path for outbound Smartphone XML interfaces
 SMA_OUTBOUND_FAIL Path for failing outbound Smartphone XML interfaces
 SMA_OUTBOUND_ARCH Path for archiving outbound Smartphone XML interfaces

/webint/COLV/interface/SMA/OUT

/webint/COLV/interface/SMA/OUT/archive

/webint/COLV/interface/SMA/OUT/failures

Suggested FTP control System Parameters

SMA_FTP_DESTINATION_USERNAME Username for FTP of Smartphone Files
 SMA_FTP_DESTINATION_IP_ADDRESS IP for FTP of Smartphone Files
 SMA_FTP_DESTINATION_DIRECTORY Directory for FTP of Smartphone Files
 SMA_FTP_DESTINATION_PORT Port for FTP of Smartphone Files
 SMA_FTP_DESTINATION_PASSWORD Password for FTP of Smartphone Files

This again will mirror the Microlise functionality and actual dates and times, along with order quantity updates will be received by CTMS. Inbound message will be expected in the same format as current Microlise messages covering the same functions:

STA - Departure date/time from first stop

DEP - Departure date/time from a stop

ARR - Arrival date/time at a stop

END - Arrival date/time at the last stop

SUM - Summary of all trip resource and stop information

DEL - Order quantity debrief at delivery stop

This will include one trip per file. It is also required that the stop sequence is sent as matches that of the outbound file, to ensure the correct trip stop is updated.

Receipt of the actual dates and times on the first stop will automatically set the trip to EN-ROUTE status.

The existing Microlise outbound control system parameters will be duplicated, renamed and will function in an identical fashion:



SMA_SET_TO_COMP_CONF Update Trip Status once Smartphone has provided all quantities and times
Once trip/order information is received it will not be updated by subsequent messages for the same trip/order.

Suggested inbound polling cycle:

Check for messages to process every 1 minute.

Suggested Filenames:

SMA_TMS_TMC_STA_YYYYMMDDHHMI_###.XML

SMA_TMS_TMC_DEP_YYYYMMDDHHMI_###.XML

SMA_TMS_TMC_ARR_YYYYMMDDHHMI_###.XML

SMA_TMS_TMC_END_YYYYMMDDHHMI_###.XML

SMA_TMS_TMC_SUM_YYYYMMDDHHMI_###.XML

SMA_TMS_TMC_DEL_YYYYMMDDHHMI_###.XML

Suggested configurable folder structure using the following system parameters:

SMA_INBOUND_ARCH Path for Smartphone XML archiving

SMA_INBOUND_FAIL Path for Smartphone XML failures

SMA_INBOUND_PATH Path for yet to be processed XML files from Smartphone

/webint/COLV/interface/SMA/IN

/webint/COLV/interface/SMA/IN/archive

/webint/COLV/interface/SMA/IN/failures

Suggested upload control System Parameters

SMA_LISTING_SCRIPT_NAME Script name for SMA XML Trip Inbound

SMA_INBOUND_LISTING_NAME Filename for list of files in directory for SMA XML Trip Inbound

SMA_INBOUND_IDENTIFIER Pattern for SMA Trip Inbound XML

Considerations

- ESI developments are likely to be required transfer/mapping of the new flows, both inbound and outbound.
- This estimate allows for an amount consultancy on implementation advice during UAT of the Smartphone application and message mapping advice.
- Message transaction timings are at liberty of the polling cycles across the interfaces under traditional EDI functionality and FTP transmission protocol.
- It is assumed for this estimate that both inbound and outbound message formats, layout and data (tag) contents to be used by the Smartphone functionality must be identical to current Microlise formats. The modification of the CTMS system and/or the XML document handling framework and/or the XML files themselves is out of scope of this estimate.
- No report or export changes are included in this estimate.



- No changes to the interface errors screen are included in this estimate. You may wish to consider what error tracking methods will be required if any.

Reference

For reference the original Microlise and Isotrak developments were completed against the following development RIO references:

- Microlise XML Outbound GN-7M8VK3 (259080)
- Line Level Integration JB-7NHG8Z (260498)
- Isotrak ATMS Interface (Two Way) NW-7RGU7M (264375)

1.3 Scope

This change will be applied to system version 10.6.0 on CONTST and once approved CONPRD.



2 Set-up

2.1 Pre-requisites

Latest version of the XSD, TripOrderv2.15

2.2 Menu Structure

?Unchanged?

2.3 Data

There will be 17 new system parameters added to the ADM_SYSTEM_PARAM table, covering the Inbound and Outbound functionality.

Insert into ADM_SYSTEM_PARAM (param_name, value, data_type, max_length, displayed, user_modifiable, description, config_by, config_by_value)

Name:	Value:
Description:	

SMA_OWNING_DEPOT	Y	
Indicates if the Smartphone file is sent with Database or owning depot in the name		
SMA_SEND_ACCEPTED	Y	
Send ACCEPTED message to SMARTPHONE		
SMA_SET_TO_COMP_CONF	Y	
Update Trip Status once Smartphone has provided all quantities and times		
SMA_INBOUND_ARCH	/webint/COLV/interface/SMA/IN	
Path for Smartphone XML archiving		
SMA_INBOUND_FAIL	/webint/COLV/interface/SMA/IN/archive	
Path for Smartphone XML failures		
SMA_INBOUND_PATH	/webint/COLV/interface/SMA/IN/failures	
Path for yet to be processed XML files from Smartphone		
SMA_LISTING_SCRIPT_NAME		□
Script name for SMA XML Trip Inbound		
SMA_INBOUND_LISTING_NAME		
Filename for list of files in directory for SMA XML Trip Inbound		
SMA_INBOUND_IDENTIFIER		
Pattern for SMA Trip Inbound XML		
SMA_OUTBOUND_PATH	/webint/COLV/interface/SMA/OUT	
Path for outbound Smartphone XML interfaces		
SMA_OUTBOUND_FAIL	/webint/COLV/interface/SMA/OUT/archive	
Path for failing outbound Smartphone XML interfaces		



SMA_OUTBOUND_ARCH [/webint/COLV/interface/SMA/OUT/failures](#)
Path for archiving outbound Smartphone XML interfaces

SMA_FTP_DESTINATION_USERNAME
Username for FTP of Smartphone Files

SMA_FTP_DESTINATION_IP_ADDRESS
IP for FTP of Smartphone Files

SMA_FTP_DESTINATION_DIRECTORY
Directory for FTP of Smartphone Files

SMA_FTP_DESTINATION_PORT
Port for FTP of Smartphone Files

SMA_FTP_DESTINATION_PASSWORD
Password for FTP of Smartphone Files



3 Functional Description

3.1 Resources Table and Screen Changes

Two new fields will be added to the database to support the development. ?SMARTPHONE_ENABLED? fields will be added to the Carrier and Driver maintenance tables, RES_CARRIER and RES_PERSON.

The field will be a VARCHAR2 field and will be populated from a drop down list. Currently, the only value available to select will be ?SMARTPHONE?. The field will be displayed in the following screens:

The edit carrier screen above is accessed from the Carrier tab in the Resources Maintenance screen. The new field will be displayed in the carrier header of the form and will require some re alignment of the existing fields and a possible increase in the width of the screen.

The new field will only be available in the EDIT CARRIER screen as there is no space available in the Summary tab(displayed previous). To view or edit the value of the field, users must select the relevant carrier record and then select EDIT.

For drivers, the new field will be available to view in the Driver Summary tab and the Edit Driver screen. As with current maintenance screen functionality, to change the value of the ?SMARTPHONE_ENABLED? field the user must select EDIT. In the Edit Driver screen, the new field will be added to the header part of the screen, under Surname.



Edit Driver

ID: Job Title:

Forename: Surname:

Contact No: Inactive: ☐

Agency: ☒

Carriers

Carrier Id	Inactive
MRSBATHO	N
CERTMAGNA	N
MOVMAY	N
ASHURST	N

In the main driver tab, the ID and Job Title fields will be shortened to allow space for the ?SMARTPHONE_ENABLED? field. The field will be displayed next to the contact number.

Resource Maintenance

Carriers | Carrier Groups | Carrier Types | Fixed Charges | Service Types | Trailer Types | Trailers | Drivers | Lot Ptd Com | Dispatch Unit T... | RPE's | Load Rates

Drivers

ID	Surname	Forename	Job Title	Contact No	Inactive	Agency
301321	O'Keefe	Mick	DRIVER			
301323	Maskill	Charles	DRIVER			
301324	Butler	Martin	DRIVER			
301325	Ferguson	John	DRIVER			
301327	Butler	Bernie	DRIVER			
301329	Purcell	Karl	DRIVER			
301330	Makin	Mick	DRIVER			
100000	Dawkins	Phil	DRIVER			
1000005	Hewson	A	DRIVER			
1000006	Dunn	C	DRIVER			
1000007	Sheppard	D	DRIVER			
1000008	Maycock	J	DRIVER			
1000009	Graham	M	DRIVER			
1000010	Jones	D	DRIVER			
123456	Stirling	Mark	DRIVER			
1000028	Roberts	J	DRIVER			
1000029	Wright	C	DRIVER			
1000030	Hudson	Les	DRIVER			
1000031	Ewart	Bob	DRIVER			
90100	ARMSTRONG	BRIAN	DRIVER			

Allocation to Resources

Carrier Id	Inactive
ONE ST HELEN	

3.1.1 Validation

A SMARTPHONE resource will ALWAYS overrule a MICROLISE resource. From a system perspective, if a trip has been assigned a SMARTPHONE enabled carrier or driver and a MICROLISE enabled Tractor or Trailer a control record will only be created for SMARTPHONE and not for MICROLISE.

If a MICROLISE enabled resource has been assigned without a SMARTPHONE resource and a trigger point is set, then a control record will be created for MICROLISE. The user may then assign a SMARTPHONE enabled driver. Once the status on the trip is changed to trigger a control record, the control record will be created for SMARTPHONE and not MICROLISE.

When determining if a record should be created in the control table, the code currently assess if a trip has MICROLISE enabled resources. The code will be amended to assess if the trip has SMARTPHONE resources assigned, if there are no SMARTPHONE resources, the code will then check for MICROLISE. A control record will only be created for MICROLISE in the event that a SMARTPHONE record is not required.

3.2 Outbound File

The existing triggers for generating MICROLISE records at TRIP, STOP, ORDER_LINE, TRIP-ORDER and ORDER ITEMS level will be amended to generate SMARTPHONE records. If the criteria of the trigger is met, a record will be added to the control table INT_XML_CONTROL, populating the following data:



Field name	Data
INT_XML_SEQ	SEQ_INT_XML.nextval
EXTERNAL_	?SMA?
SYSTEM	
TRIP_SCHED	Trip schedule from SCH_TRIP.SCHED_NAME
TRIP_ID	Trip id from SCH_TRIP.TRIP_ID
TRIP_STATUS	Trip status from SCH_TRIP.STATUS
OMS_SCHED	NULL
OMS_REF	NULL
OMS_STATUS	NULL
CUSTOMER	NULL
PROCESSED	?N?
EVENT_TYPE	?TRP?
FILENAME	TMS_SMA_<database/owning depot>_TRP-_YYYYMMDDHHMISSII

The trigger points for inserting a TRP record into the control table are:

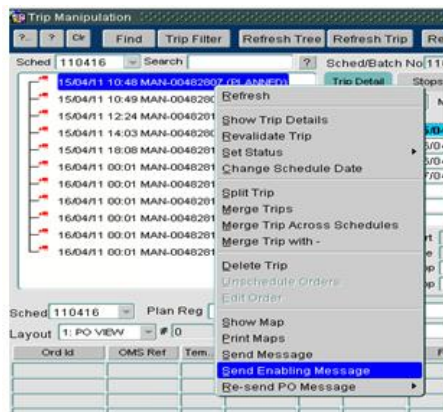
(All based on trips where SMARTPHONE-_ENABLED resources have been assigned)

LEVEL	DATA REQUIREMENTS
TRIP	STATUS = EN-ROUTE OR DELETED STATUS = ACCEPTED and SMA_SEND_ACCEPTED =Y STATUS = EN-ROUTE and the driver or carrier is changed STATUS = ACCEPTED and SMA_SEND_ACCEPTED =Y and the driver or carrier is changed
STOP	STATUS =EN ROUTE and data for the first stop (where stop no =1) is changed STATUS =ACCEPTED and SMA_SEND_ACCEPTED = Y and the data for the first stop (where stop no =1) is changed STATUS =EN-ROUTE and the arrive or depart times are changed STATUS =ACCEPTED and SMA_SEND_ACCEPTED=Y and the arrive or depart times are changed
TRIP/ ORDER	STATUS = EN-ROUTE and orders are added or removed from the trip STATUS = ACCEPTED and SMA_SEND_ACCEPTED =Y and orders are added or removed from the trip
ORDER LINE ORDER	STATUS = ACCEPTED and ACTUAL_DESPATCHED_QUANTITY on the order line has changed
ITEMS	STATUS = ACCEPTED or EN-ROUTE and quantity delivered or quantity to deliver has changed.

3.2.1 Enabling Message

In the trip Planning and Manipulation screens, the user is able to select a trip in the tree and right click to display a pop up menu.





One of the menu options is ?Send Enabling Message?. Currently if this is selected, the trip is checked for Microlise enabled tractor or trailer. If this is true, and there are no TRP records in the control table waiting to be processed for the selected trip, a new record is added to the control table.

The code behind the menu item will be amended to process SMARTPHONE messages. The new code will be added above the existing MICROLISE checks, to ensure that SMARTPHONE is processed first. The SMARTPHONE message will follow the same rules as the MICROLISE, only allowing a new TRP record for the trip to be created if there are no TRP records for the trip waiting in the control table to be processed.

3.2.2 TMS TRP Message to SMARTPHONE

A new database job will run every minute to identify any TRP messages that need sending to SMA and produce a file in the XML format using the system registries for the folder name. SMA records will be identified by the value of the external system being set to ?SMA?.

In the MICROLISE outbound code, it is possible to consolidate stops and orders, the SMARTPHONE development will be based on the non consolidation code ensuring users receive information on every order and stop to the SMARTPHONE.

The system parameter SMA_OWNING_DEPOT will determine if the owning depot or database is sent in the filename to SMARTPHONE. The file will be sent with the naming convention :

3.2.3 SMARTPHONE Messages into MTS

A new job will run every minute to check if XML documents have been placed in the SMA inbound directory as stated in section 2.3 Data.

The job will call a new flow, created within INT_XML_OUT2 for processing inbound messages received from SMA and updating the information in C-TMS. The new flow will be based on the existing procedure INT_XML_OUT.PROCESS_MIC_TRIP_XML_IN as currently compiled in Consumer Production.

The following information will be established from the system parameters:

1. name of the inbound file,
2. list of the files to be processed,
3. name of the script that will move the files from inbound, to archive, or failure directories,
4. the location of the inbound directory,
5. the location of the archive directory where successfully processed files are saved and
6. the location of the failure directory where files that have failed processing are saved.

Inbound messages will be expected in the same format as MICROLISE and will cover the following event types

STA - Departure date/time from first stop

DEP - Departure date/time from a stop

ARR - Arrival date/time at a stop

END - Arrival date/time at the last stop



SUM - Summary of all trip resource and stop information

DEL - Order quantity debrief at delivery stop

The file name will be checked to see if it has already been processed, if so, an error message will be given in the table INT_XML_TRIP_STOP.

Once these parameters are passed to DP_FILE_HANDLING, and the files have been listed for processing (passed validation as above), the content of the files can be uploaded into the generic area xml_extract, and validation performed.

The file content extraction is performed by a procedure called XML_EXTRACT part of the database package ?XML?. This is a generic component, part of the OBS XML document handling infrastructure, and does not need to be modified.

Once the inbound file data is fully validated, as part of the PROCESS_ORDER procedure, the data will be applied to the required tables in MTS.

MTS will expect the stop sequence field sent out to SMARTPHONE to be returned in the actuals update preserved. The value in the stop sequence will be used to select the appropriate stop on the trip.

The actual departure date and time update from the first stop will update the MTS trip status to EN-ROUTE.

If actual date and time are captured in MTS for all stops then trip status will be set to COMPLETED.

Once trip/order information is received in MTS any subsequent updates for the same trip/order will be ignored by the interface. The upload will work on a first come first serve basis.

As part of the inbound process, control records will be inserted in the following tables;

INT_XML_TRIP_STOP

INT_XML_ORD_HEADER

INT_XML_ORD_DETAILS

INT_XML_ORD_REASON

Any errors will be recorded in the relevant table, in the VALIDATION_ERROR field and the record status will be set to FAILURE.

If the inbound file is successfully processed, the following tables in C-TMS will be updated, depending on the message type

SCH_TRIP

SCH_TRIP_STOP

SCH_ORDER_LINE

SCH_ORD_NON-CONFORM

SCH_ORD_ITEMS

SCH_ORD_ITEMS_REASONS

3.2.4 Sample XML Inbound file

SMA_TMS_TMC_DEL_20110426144722_###.xml

The source type for MICROLISE is set to TRAK, this will be changed to SMA for SMARTPHONE. When receiving DEL type messages to update the delivered order quantity, the detail type indicates if the order line or order item quantities are updated. Currently for MICROLISE, the detail type is D and the order lines are updated, but this field can be set to S to update the item quantities.



If the detail type is set to D, the delivered quantity at line level is updated and any non-conformance is inserted into SCH_ORD_NON_CONFORM. If the detail type is set to S, the delivered qty at item level is updated and any non-conformance is inserted into the SCH_ORD_ITEMS_REASONS table.

Table Updates Required

Alter table RES_CARRIER

ADD SMARTPHONE_ENABLED VARCHAR2(100);

Alter table RES_PERSON

ADD SMARTPHONE_ENABLED VARCHAR2(100);

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