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Note

Before using this information and the product it supports, read the information in "Notices" on page 5.

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In This Hot Fix

This hot fix contains IBM® Sterling Business Intelligence software fixes.

Installation Information

The prerequisites for this hot fix differ, depending on whether you are a new customer or an existing customer.

Prerequisites

Before you begin installing this hot fix, complete these prerequisites:

- If you are a new customer:
 - Install Sterling Business Intelligence Release 9.0 before you install this hot fix. For information about installing Release 9.0, see the installation information on <http://www-01.ibm.com/support/docview.wss?uid=swg27023866>.
 - Follow the Installation Information below.
- If you are an existing customer, follow the Hot Fix Installation Procedure below.

Hot Fix Installation Procedure

This hot fix and the associated Release Notes New Feature document are available on the Sterling Commerce Customer Center. If you are not already logged into this site, follow these steps to obtain the software download and Release Notes New Feature document:

1. After you log in, click the **Support Center** tab at the top of the main page.
2. In the left pane, hover over **Selling & Fulfillment Suite > Multi-Channel Fulfillment (8x and Below) >** and select **Product Update & Downloads**.
3. In the Multi-Channel Fulfillment pane, click on **Multi-Channel Fulfillment - Release 8x**. A list of Release 9.0 hot fixes is displayed.
4. Click on the links for the latest software download and the associated Release Notes New Feature document.

The installation instructions file, `HotFixInstallation.txt`, is included in the hot fix package.

Defects Addressed In This Hot Fix

The following defects have been addressed in this hot fix to Sterling Business Intelligence, Release 9.0. A hot fix when released is listed cumulatively here.

Hot Fix 2

Release 9.0-HF2

Defect ID	283332, 346776
Case ID	Internal, 21207,379,000
Description	When an item does not belong to any category, data pertaining to that item is not displayed in the Sterling Business Intelligence reports.

Defect ID 287911
Case ID Internal
Description The performance of the Staging ETL process is slow.

Solution: To improve the ETL performance, staging scripts has been introduced. A user can run the script instead of running ETL from Cognos Adaptive Warehouse.

Note: For more information, please refer Section, “Load Management” of the *Sterling Business Intelligence: Implementation Guide. Supplement* .

Defect ID 348323
Case ID Internal
Description A documentation supplement, Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Suite Documentation Supplement, captures documentation changes resulting due to the following:

- Fixes or modifications in 9.0 Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Suite applications.
- Fixes or modifications to 9.0 Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Suite documentation set.

Solution: The following changes required for the 9.0 *Sterling Business Intelligence: Implementation Guide* as a result of reconcile defects in Sterling Business Intelligence are provided in the documentation supplement. Updated procedures are documented in appropriate sections.

- Procedure for configuring Staging Project is deleted.
- Procedure for setting up Sterling Staging Data Source project is replaced with Generate the Staging Project Package File section.
- Procedure for loading initial data in Sterling Business Intelligence for staging project is updated.
- Procedure for loading incremental data in Sterling Business Intelligence for staging project is updated.
- Procedure for customizing the staging project is added.

While installing Sterling Business Intelligence 9.0, refer the documentation supplement for the updated sections and procedures.

Note: Complete documentation set for Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Suite 9.0 is available in the support page.

The following Staging schema related information in the *Sterling Business Intelligence: Installation Guide* is obsolete as a result of reconcile defects in 9.0 Sterling Business Intelligence:

1. Step 4 of the Set Up Environment for IBM Cognos Analytic Applications procedure.
2. Set Up the Adaptive Warehouse Content procedure.
3. Deploy the Adaptive Warehouse Content to Content Store procedure.

Hot Fix 1

Defect ID 275207
Case ID Internal

Description When a CDC filter is applied to a Fact and load management is executed, the "to" value of the CDC filter in the user interface is set to the end time at which the load management ran previously and not the current time. Due to this, the consecutive load management does not extract any records. Load management functions correctly only if the "to" value is manually updated.

Defect ID 275185

Case ID Internal

Description The scripts generated in the AW Studio Framework cannot be reused since the "to" date in the CDC filter scripts does not get updated to the current date after the script is run. Therefore, a consecutive ETL running the same scripts will fail to pull the data created in the source after the first ETL runs. This happens only in the AW runtime, and not in load management in the AW Studio Framework.

Defect ID 275206

Case ID Internal

Description A user is unable to create an AA project on an Oracle 11g database.

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