

Oracle® Retail Mobile Point-of-Service

Release Notes

Release 13.0.1

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This document highlights the major changes for Release 13.0.1 of Oracle Retail Mobile Point-of-Service.

Overview

Oracle Retail Mobile Point-of-Service is a wireless, scaled-down version of the Oracle Retail Point-of-Service product. In an effort to improve customer service and shorten wait time at the register, Oracle Retail Mobile Point-of-Service provides a way for customers to check out from anywhere inside or outside the store. Store associates are able to scan merchandise using a hand-held device. The transaction can be tendered at the device with a credit card or suspended and then retrieved at a register for final payment.

Upgrades to Requirements

For information related to upgrades to the Oracle Retail Mobile Point-of-Service requirements (for example, Database Server, Application Server, and so on), see the *Oracle Retail Mobile Point-of-Service Installation Guide*.

Defect Documentation

A defect fix is a modification to the base Oracle Retail Mobile Point-of-Service code (for example, a bug fix, a performance enhancement, or a functional enhancement). All the bug fixes in each release should be fully reviewed before the release is installed.

For information on the defects fixed in Release 13.0.1, see the Mobile Point-of-Service section in the defect module spreadsheet, *DEFECT MODULE XREF SSS 13.0.1.xls*. The defect spreadsheet is available on Metalink in the Release 13.0.1 source release zip file.

Documentation Enhancements in Release 13.0

The following enhancements are made to the Oracle Retail Mobile Point-of-Service documentation set for Release 13.0:

- An index is added to the *Oracle Retail Mobile Point-of-Service User Guide* and *Oracle Retail Mobile Point-of-Service Operations Guide*.

Documentation Update for Release 13.0.1

The following changes have been made to the *Oracle Retail Mobile Point-of-Service Installation Guide* for Release 13.0.1:

- The names of the zip files used for installation are updated.
- An appendix is added that lists the order in which all Oracle Retail products should be installed.

The *Oracle Retail Mobile Point-of-Service Operations Guide* and *Oracle Retail Mobile Point-of-Service User Guide* are not changed for this release. For those guides, consult the Release 13.0 version.

The following changes are made to the Strategic Store Solutions documentation set for Release 13.0.1:

- *Oracle Retail Strategic Store Solutions Licensing Information:*
 - The Oracle Retail Merchandising products are added to the list of prerequisite software.
- *Oracle Retail Strategic Store Solutions Implementation Guide:*
 - References to the Oracle Retail Merchandising products are restored.
 - New issues are added.
- *Oracle Retail Strategic Store Solutions Configuration Guide*
 - The default for the Layaway Delete Receipt Print Control parameter in the Point-of-Service Printing group is changed.

The Release 13.0.1 versions are the guides that are updated for this release.

Known Issues

The following issues occur in this release.

Installer

Issue: The KeyStore and JBoss jar files cannot be stored at the system root directory. The installer does not correctly handle jar files stored at the system root directory.

Workaround: Place the jar files into a folder.

Fix: A fix is in development for Oracle Retail Mobile Point-of-Service.

Incorrect Alignment of Text on Receipt

Issue: On an Oracle Retail Mobile Point-of-Service receipt, the text formatting and alignment may not match the text formatting and alignment of an Oracle Retail Point-of-Service receipt.

Fix: A fix is in development for Oracle Retail Mobile Point-of-Service. The fix can be tracked through the internal bug number 28567.

Price Change Applied Before Start Date

Oracle Retail Point-of-Service only supports a physical deployment model where the Point-of-Service clients and in-store server are set to the same system time as the store database. If the in-store server and database are set to different system times, that is, the clock is not set correctly or they exist in different time zones, it is possible that items will ring with incorrect prices as prices change and discount rules are applied. This occurs because the Point-of-Service client relies on the system time of the store database.

Foreign E-check Used for Non-base Currency Tender

Issue: While the E-Check functionality will work for an E-Check tendered in the base currency, if an E-Check is accepted in an alternate currency, it cannot be reconciled during the Register Close process.

Fix: A fix is in development for Oracle Retail Point-of-Service.

Related Documentation

For more information, see the following documents in the Oracle Retail Mobile Point-of-Service documentation set or Oracle Retail Strategic Store Solutions documentation set:

- *Oracle Retail Mobile Point-of-Service Installation Guide*
- *Oracle Retail Mobile Point-of-Service Operations Guide*
- *Oracle Retail Mobile Point-of-Service User Guide*
- *Oracle Retail Strategic Store Solutions Configuration Guide*
- *Oracle Retail Strategic Store Solutions Licensing Information*

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