



Sterling Store Inventory Management: Release Notes

Release 9.1



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Preface

This document introduces the features of the IBM® Sterling Store Inventory Management, Release 9.1. It also discusses known issues in this release and how to resolve them, if applicable.

Intended Audience

This document is intended for use by system administrators and managers who need to configure the Sterling Store Inventory Management, Release 9.1 to fit with their business practices.

Structure

This document contains the following sections:

Chapter 1, "New Features"

This chapter introduces features of the Sterling Store Inventory Management, Release 9.1.

Chapter 2, "Known Issues"

This chapter provides a list of the known issues in this release.

Documentation

For more information about the Sterling Store Inventory Management components, see the following manuals:

- *Sterling Store Inventory Management: Release Notes*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Suite: Applications Installation Guide*

- *Sterling Store Inventory Management: Deployment Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Suite: Applications Reference Implementation Guide*
- *Sterling Store Inventory Management: Concepts*
- *Sterling Store Inventory Management: Implementation Guide*
- *Sterling Store Inventory Management: User Guide*
- *Sterling Store Inventory Management: Localization Guide*
- *Sterling Store Inventory Management: Javadocs*

For more information about the IBM® Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation components, see the following manuals:

- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Release Notes*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Installation Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Upgrade Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Deployment Tool Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Performance Management Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: High Availability Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: System Management Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Localization Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Customization Basics Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Customizing APIs Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Customizing Console JSP Interface for End User Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Customizing the RCP Interface Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Customizing User Interfaces for Mobile Devices Guide*

- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Customizing Web UI Framework Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Customizing Swing Interface Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Database Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending Transactions Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Using Sterling RCP Extensibility Tool Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Integration Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Product Concepts Guide*
- *Sterling Warehouse Management System: Concepts Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Application Platform Configuration Guide*
- *Sterling Distributed Order Management: Configuration Guide*
- *Sterling Supply Collaboration: Configuration Guide*
- *Sterling Global Inventory Visibility: Configuration Guide*
- *Catalog Management: Configuration Guide*
- *Sterling Logistics Management: Configuration Guide*
- *Sterling Reverse Logistics: Configuration Guide*
- *Sterling Warehouse Management System: Configuration Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Application Platform User Guide*
- *Sterling Distributed Order Management: User Guide*
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- *Sterling Reverse Logistics: User Guide*
- *Sterling Warehouse Management System: User Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Mobile Application User Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Business Intelligence Operational Reports Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Suite: Glossary*
- *Parcel Carrier: Adapter Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Multitenant Enterprise Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Password Policy Management Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Properties Guide*
- *Catalog Management: Concepts Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Pricing Concepts Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Setting Up Quotes in Distributed Order Management*
- *Sterling Sensitive Data Capture Server, Release 1.0: Configuration Guide*
- *Sterling Sensitive Data Capture Server, Release 1.0: PA-DSS Implementation Guide*
- *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Secure Deployment Guide*
- *Sterling Business Center: Item Administration Guide*
- *Sterling Business Center: Pricing Administration Guide*
- *Sterling Business Center: Customization Guide*
- *Sterling Business Center: Localization Guide*
- *Sterling Field Sales: Deployment Guide*
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- *Visual Modeler: Administration Guide*
- *Visual Modeler: Best Practices Guide*
- *Visual Modeler: Implementation Guide*
- *Visual Modeler: Installation Guide*
- *Visual Modeler: Tutorial Guide*

For a description of the various documents in the Sterling Store Inventory Management documentation set, see the Sterling Store Inventory Management documentation home page at:

`<YFS_HOME>/documentation/SOP_doc_home.html`

where `<YFS_HOME>` is the `/Runtime` directory under the folder where this application and Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation are installed.

Conventions

The following conventions may be used in this manual:

Convention	Meaning
<code>. . .</code>	An ellipsis represents information that has been omitted.
<code>< ></code>	Angle brackets indicate user-supplied input.
<code>mono-spaced text</code>	Mono-spaced text indicates a file name, directory path, attribute name, or an inline code example or command.
<code>/ or \</code>	Slashes and backslashes are file separators for Windows, UNIX and LINUX operating systems. The file separator for the Windows operating system is "\" and the file separator for Unix and Linux systems is "/". The Unix convention is used unless otherwise mentioned.
<code><INSTALL_DIR></code>	User-supplied location of the Sterling Multi-Channel Fulfillment Solution installation directory and Sterling Store Inventory Management installation directory. This is only applicable for Release 9.1

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New Features

Sterling Store Inventory Management is certified on Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation, Release 9.1.

The Sterling Store Inventory Management application, Release 9.1, has been added to the Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Suite Applications Installer enabling the implementer to install the application from a single interface.

For more information about the concepts and functionality of the Sterling Store Inventory Management, see the *Sterling Store Inventory Management: Concepts Guide*.

Known Issues

This chapter describes the known issues that you may encounter in the following components of the Sterling Store Inventory Management, Release 9.1:

- [Prints and Reports](#)
- [Receiving](#)
- [IBM Sterling Store Inventory Management Configurator](#)
- [IBM Sterling Store Inventory Management Client](#)
- [Using the IBM Sterling Store Inventory Management with IBM Sterling Store](#)
- [Shipping](#)
- [Documentation](#)

2.1 Prints and Reports

You may encounter the following issues when printing Reports or Prints.

- **130128** - You may encounter the following issues across the Reports and Prints provided with the Sterling Store Inventory Management:
 - The column heading is not aligned with the column.
 - In some reports or prints, both date and time is printed. In such situations, the time stamp wraps to the next line and is cut off in the hardcopy. Ignore the time stamp as it is irrelevant.
 - If data is not available, the 'null' value is displayed in some reports or prints.

Solution/Workaround: None.

2.2 Receiving

You may encounter the following issues when executing receiving tasks:

- **130550** - When you print the Receiving Discrepancy report for a Transfer Order shipment that has only one transfer order, the Transfer Order Number is not printed.

Solution/Workaround: Search for shipments. The Shipment List displays. From the list, select the applicable shipment and click the View Details button. The Transfer Order number associated with the shipment displays.

2.3 IBM Sterling Store Inventory Management Configurator

- **175710** - In Sterling Store Inventory Management Configurator, the version information in the Help > About pop-up window is truncated.

Solution/Workaround: None.

2.4 IBM Sterling Store Inventory Management Client

You may encounter the following issues with the behavior of the client application:

- **126392** - In all list screens, after you select a record from the list and press the Enter key, you cannot view the details of the selected record.

Solution/Workaround: Click the Proceed button or use the hot key specified for the Proceed button.

2.5 Using the IBM Sterling Store Inventory Management with IBM Sterling Store

You may encounter the following issues in the client application when using Sterling Store Inventory Management with Sterling Store. Perform the actions mentioned in the Solution/Workaround to fix the issues:

- **175133** - The File menu and the Help menu are displayed in the Navigator.

Solution/Workaround:

- In a single schema setup, connect to your database and run the `<INSTALL_DIR>/database/FactorySetup/sop/som_sim_scripts/sop_delete_menus.sql` SQL script.
- In a multischema setup, connect to your database where the configuration schema is present and run the `<INSTALL_DIR>/database/FactorySetup/sop/som_sim_scripts/sop_delete_menus.sql` SQL script.
- **175156** - In the Navigator, only the "Shipping" menu group has a mnemonic for the letter "S". This is inconsistent with the other menu groups in the Navigator.

Solution/Workaround: None.

- **175661** - Sterling Store Inventory Management-specific screens display the Show Criteria/Hide Criteria button to show or hide the criteria panel. However, Sterling Store-specific screens display +/- button for the same function. This inconsistency must be rectified.

Solution/Workaround: None.

- **180122** - When you create a shipment for a store, the status of the shipment is set to "Shipment Created" instead of "ReadyForBackroomPick".

Solution/Workaround: Perform the following steps to fix this issue:

1. Open the Applications Manager.
2. Navigate to Outbound Shipment Repository > Create Shipment Transaction.
3. Open the event handler for the ON_SUCCESS event.

4. Delete the existing "Is Store" condition.
 5. Add the "Is Store" condition from the repository.
 6. Click the Save button.
- **182213** - When you create a shipment for a store, the "Status is not a valid pipeline pickup status for the transaction" error message is displayed.

Solution/Workaround: Perform the following steps to fix this issue:

1. Open the Applications Manager.
 2. Navigate to Outbound Shipment Repository > Pipeline Determination > My Rule.
 3. Delete the existing "Is Store" condition.
 4. Add the "Is Store" condition from the repository.
 5. Click the Save button.
- **243094** - When a user launches the Sterling Store tasks, an error message, "Rule not found" is displayed.

Solution/Workaround: Run the following script from

<INSTALL_DIR>/bin:

- **For Windows:**

```
sci_ant.cmd -f ycd_install_with_SIM.xml -logfile  
<logfile>
```

- **For Linux/Unix:**

```
./sci_ant.sh -f ycd_install_with_SIM.xml -logfile  
<logfile>
```

2.6 Shipping

You may encounter the following issues when executing the shipping tasks:

- **129523**- When you reprint a Pick Ticket, the Sterling Store Inventory Management application does not display a success message.

Solution/Workaround: None.

2.7 Documentation

The following issues are present in the Sterling Store Inventory Management documentation:

- **130411** - In the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*, the description of the syncStoreRule API is incorrectly defined as "synchronize the count strategies".

Solution/Workaround: None.

201857 - The *Sterling Store Inventory Management: User Guide* must be updated with the information that the application permits a user to blank out a row or an entire sheet in the Record Physical Count screen and the Rectify Count Sheet.

Solution/Workaround: None.

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