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Chapter 1. Introduction to Reverse Logistics Configuration

This book concentrates on the rules and setup configurations that make up the IBM® Sterling Reverse Logistics configuration. This book is intended for both Hub and Enterprise administrators using the Applications Manager to set up the IBM Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation environment. Business analysts should also use this book to plan appropriate business practices as they pertain to Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation. Programmers should refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Customization Basics* for information about extending Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation. System Integrators should refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Integration Guide* for information about extending or integrating external applications with Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation.

This book assumes that you have read and are familiar with the concepts and business functionality detailed in *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Product Concepts Guide*.

The Applications Manager is a collection of all the rules and setup configurations necessary to implement Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation, organized in such a way that configuration can be done for each business application separately. The following business applications can be configured within the Applications Manager:

- IBM Sterling Distributed Order Management
- IBM Sterling Global Inventory Visibility
- Catalog Management
- IBM Sterling Logistics Management
- IBM Sterling Supply Collaboration
- Sterling Reverse Logistics
- IBM Sterling Application Platform

Business Models

There is no single business model that encompasses the environment in which all the Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation applications can be used. Therefore, there is no single way to configure your Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation environment.

For example, your company might be considered a multidivisional corporation, a third-party logistics company, or a marketplace business. Each of these business models require a different conceptual approach to the Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation configuration.

Multidivisional Corporation

The multidivisional corporation model is a business corporation whose primary focus is managing purchase and sales activities. A typical multidivisional corporation can be a buyer, a seller, or both. It could also be a retailer, a manufacturer, or both. Whatever form the multidivisional corporation takes, it normally has multiple channels with different types of customers, such as, consumers, retailers, dealers, and original equipment manufacturers.

In the multidivisional corporation model, each division might be set up as an Enterprise in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation. This setup allows both segregation of transactions by division and global visibility at the corporate level. Each Enterprise configures their own business rules, workflow, and transaction processing.

Third-Party Logistics

Traditional third-party logistics companies provide a range of outsourced services such as warehousing, transportation, and contract manufacturing.

Large companies can gain the competitive advantage through the real-time management of their supply chains. These advantages include lower costs and improved customer service. Additionally, new sales channels such as web stores, hand-held devices, and in-store kiosks provide companies new methods of reaching their customers. All of these issues have increased the complexity of the fulfillment process.

In the third-party logistics model, each client might be set up as an Enterprise. This setup allows the third-party logistics Hub to have visibility of all transactions in the Hub environment, while the clients that are set up as Enterprises only have visibility to their own transactions. This allows the third-party logistics business to provide unique transaction processing to its clients.

Marketplace

A marketplace is an online intermediary that connects Buyers and Sellers. Marketplaces eliminate inefficiencies by aggregating offerings from many Sellers or by matching Buyers and Sellers in an exchange or auction. For Buyers, they lower purchasing costs and help them reach new Sellers. For Sellers, they lower sales costs and give them access to new customers. It is a central location, or Hub, where a trusted intermediary integrates both procedures and technology to lower the costs and enhance the effectiveness of Buyer and Seller transactions.

In the marketplace model, each market might be set up as an Enterprise. This setup allows each market to be unique with their own product or service handling.

Reverse Logistics Configuration

Reverse Logistics is used to improve customer responsiveness, reduce inventory levels, and minimize operational costs through real-time control of the repair and return cycle. You can configure processes that enable organizations to handle different types of returns, and provide integrated control to all orders related to the return. Reverse Logistics can be configured to track returns from the moment a replacement order is submitted, throughout the entire reverse logistics and repair cycle until the item is returned to stock or discarded.

In the Applications Manager you can use the Reverse Logistics configuration grouping to establish both cross-application and order document-specific rules and attributes. Cross-application rules and attributes can impact other applications, such as Distributed Order Management and Supply Collaboration. Order document-specific rules and attributes pertain only to the order document type you are configuring, such as Return Order. You can define different configurations for individual order document types without impacting other applications or order document types.

Logistics

You can configure the components used by different logistics related functionality throughout the Distributed Order Management business application module.

For more information about Logistics, see Chapter 5, Configuring Cross-Application Logistics Components.

Financials

You can configure the components used by the Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation financial engine throughout the Distributed Order Management business application module.

For more information about Financials, see "Configuring Cross-Application Pricing Components" and "Configuring a Document's Financial Components".

Customer

You can define the customers that buy from an organization in the Distributed Order Management module.

For more information about Customer, see Chapter 6, "Configuring Cross-Application Customer Components," on page 55.

Order Attributes

You can define common codes as they pertain to order documents viewed in the Application Consoles.

For more information about Order Attributes, see Chapter 9, Configuring a Document's Attributes.

Order Validation

You can define configuration for validating certain aspects of an order during order document creation.

For more information about Order Validation, see Chapter 10, Configuring a Document's Order Validation.

Return Reasons

You can define common codes for return reasons used when creating a return order.

Instruction Types

You can define the common codes used when adding special instructions to an order document.

For more information about instruction types, see Chapter 11, Configuring a Document's Instruction Types.

Modification Reasons

You can define common codes for **modification reasons**. These codes define why a modification was made by a user.

For more information about Modification Reasons, see Chapter 12, Configuring a Document's Modification Reasons.

Backorder Reasons

You can define common codes for **backorder reasons**. These codes describe why an order document was backordered.

For more information about Backorder Reasons, see Chapter 13, Configuring a Document's Backorder Reasons.

Process Type Configuration

To complete an order document's lifecycle, each document has a set of different processes that it can go through. These processes are called process types. Every order document has a defined set of process types in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation.

The following process types are defined in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation for the order document types:

- Fulfillment
- Negotiation
- Shipment
- Receipt

You can configure the rules and components that define an order document's process types.

For more about Process Type Configuration, see "Configuring an Order Document's Fulfillment-Specific Components" and "Configuring an Order Document's Shipment-Specific Components" .

Purge Criteria

You can define the parameters used when purging order document related records from the system.

For more information about Purge Criteria, see Chapter 24, Configuring a Document's Purge Criteria.

Icons Used in This Guide

The following table describes the icons used in this guide.

Table 1. Icons Used in This Guide
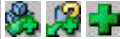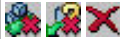
Icon	Name	Description
	Create New	Click this icon to create new information for components used to configure processes that enable organizations to handle different types of returns, and provide integrated control to all orders related to the return. As shown, you may see this icon with different backgrounds, depending on the context within which you are working.
	Details	Click this icon to view or change details for components used to configure processes that enable organizations to handle different types of returns, and provide integrated control to all orders related to the return. As shown, you may see this icon with different backgrounds, depending on the context within which you are working.
	Delete	Click this icon to delete components used to configure processes that enable organizations to handle different types of returns, and provide integrated control to all orders related to the return. As shown, you may see this icon with different backgrounds, depending on the context within which you are working.
	Save	Click this icon to save entries you have made. The Save icon may be displayed in blue or gold.
	Save As...	Click this icon to create a copy of an existing configuration.
	Search	Click this icon to search for configuration information about handling different types of returns.

Table 1. Icons Used in This Guide (continued)

Icon	Name	Description
	Move Right Arrow	Click to move the item to the list on the right.
	Move Left Arrow	Click to move the item to the list on the left.
	Transactions	Click to display the Transactions list.
	Statuses	Click to display the Statuses list.
	Conditions	Click to display the Conditions list.
	Actions	Click to display the Actions list.

Chapter 2. Navigating the Applications Manager

Starting the Applications Manager

About this task

To access the Applications Manager:

Procedure

1. Point your browser to `http://<hostname>:<portname>/smcfs/console/start.jsp`

   where,
   - `hostname` is the computer name or IP address of the computer where Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation is installed.
   - `portnumber` is the listening port of the computer where Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation is installed.

   The browser displays the Sign In window.
2. Enter your login ID and password and choose the Sign In button. The Console Home Page is displayed.
3. From the menu bar, choose Configuration > Launch Applications Manager. The Applications Manager opens in a new window.
   Additionally, enterprise users who maintain an enterprise can access the Applications Manager by means of `http://<Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation installation server>/smcfs/console/login.jsp`.
   If both the Applications Manager and the monitor in the System Management Console are opened at the same time, and if a dialogue window is opened in either application, the other stops responding to user input until that dialogue window is closed. This is due to a bug in the Java platform.

The Applications Manager Layout

The Applications Manager is a graphical user interface that can be used to configure different aspects of Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation. The different configurations are defined by logical groupings called applications that can be accessed from the Applications Manager menu bar.
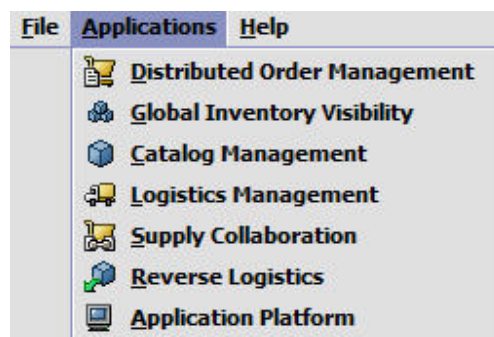
Figure 1. Applications Menu

Each application focuses on a particular aspect of Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation and contains all of the rules, common codes, and settings necessary for Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation to work in a real-world business setting.

The following applications can be configured in this version of Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation:

- Distributed Order Management
- Global Inventory Visibility
- Catalog Management
- Logistics Management
- Supply Collaboration
- Reverse Logistics
- Application Platform

When you select the application that you want to configure, the Applications Manager displays a side panel containing all of the available configuration rules for the selected application and a work area in which these rules can be configured.
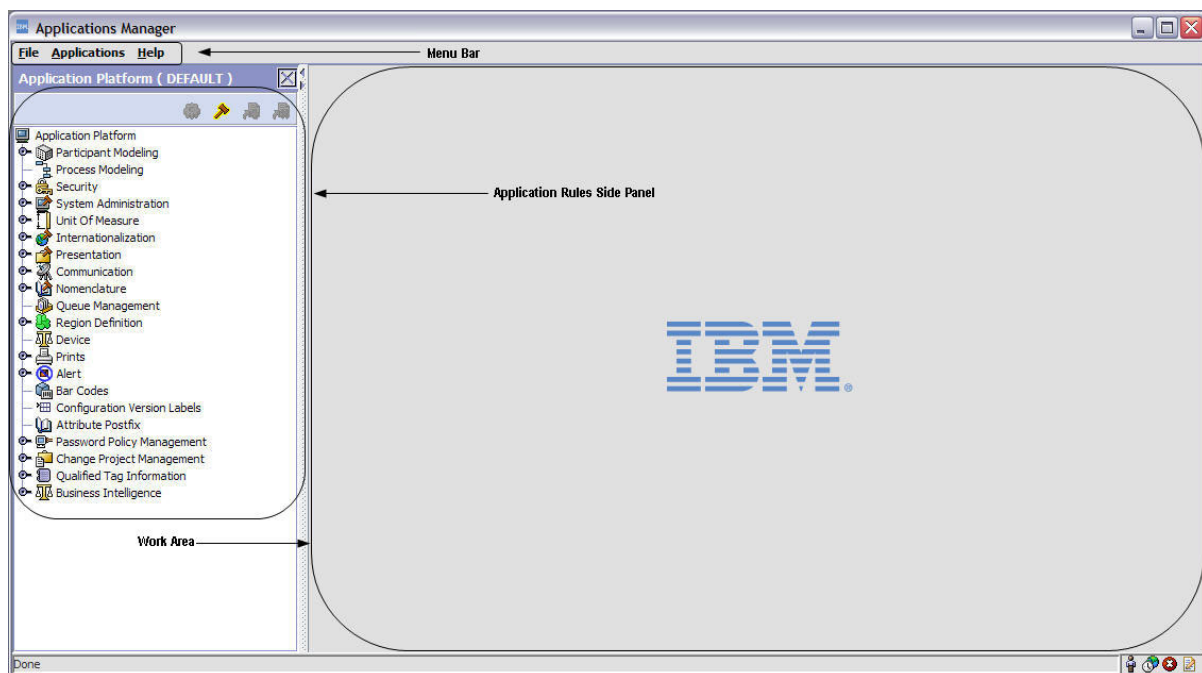
Figure 2. The Standard Applications Manager Interface

Application Rules Side Panel

The application rules side panel displays a hierarchical tree of elements specific to processes used within the application.

Figure 3. Example of Application Rules Side Panel

The application rules side panel also identifies the organization you are configuring rules for and what, if any, rules are inherited from another organization.

You can use the application rules side panel for accessing configuration screens, determining inheritance, and loading another organization's rules.

Accessing Configuration Screens
The main purpose of the application rules side panel is to provide an interface to access the application's individual configuration screens. To access a configuration screen, browse through the application tree and double-click on the applicable configuration element, the element's configuration screen displays in the work area.

Determining Inheritance
In Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation, when an Enterprise is created it can inherit all or part of an existing Enterprise's configuration rules. This inheritance is done at the configuration group level. A configuration group is a classification of similar configuration elements. For example, all of the rules and configurations dealing with items are grouped together into one configuration group and all of the rules and configurations dealing with organizations are grouped into another.

An administrator organization is set for every organization defined within the system. Only the administrator organization can modify the rules defined for a particular organization. If a particular organization administers multiple organizations, then they can load the rules of organization that it administers within the application tree. For more information about loading another organization's rules, see "Loading Another Organization's Rules" on page 14.

Configuration groups are associated with organization levels. Organization levels determine how configuration groups are inherited and which organizations can maintain them. The organization levels defined in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation are:
- Hub Level - Configuration groups that are associated with the Hub organization

- Enterprise Level - Configuration groups that are associated with the individual Enterprise organizations within the Hub environment
- Catalog Organization - Configuration groups that are associated with the organization(s) that maintains the catalog(s) within the Hub environment
- Inventory Organization - Configuration groups that are associated with the organization(s) that maintains the inventory within the Hub environment
- Pricing Organization - Configuration groups that are associated with the organization(s) that maintains the pricing within the Hub environment
- Organization - Configuration groups that are associated with any organization within the Hub environment

The Applications Manager does not load configuration data and permissions based on Data Access Policies that are described in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Enhanced Inheritance for Process Models

An Enterprise can inherit the configurations of the following entities from other Enterprises:
- Pipelines
- User Exits
- Services
- Actions
- Conditions
- Statuses
- Transactions
- Events

When an Enterprise inherits these entities from some other Enterprise, the current Enterprise can view the configurations that are inherited from all other Enterprises (including the Hub) in the inheritance hierarchy. In addition, the current Enterprise can view the configurations that are defined for the Hub.

For example, consider the following inheritance hierarchy:
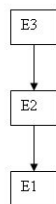
In this hierarchy, Enterprise E1 is inheriting from Enterprise E2, which in turn is inheriting from Enterprise E3. Enterprise E1 can view the configurations that are defined for Enterprise E2 and Enterprise E3. In addition, Enterprise E1 can view the configurations that are defined for the Hub.

Organization Level Rules

The following table details the rules used to determine which organizations can maintain a configuration group as defined by the organization level. The table also describes the rules that determine how configuration groups are inherited when an organization is created.

Table 2. Organization Level Rules

Organization Level	Organizations That Can Modify at this Level...	Inheritance Details
Hub Level	Only the Hub organization can modify configuration groups at the Hub level. All other organizations have read-only access.	All organizations share this information.
Enterprise Level	Only Enterprise organizations can modify configuration groups at the Enterprise level. Any business transaction requiring Enterprise configuration is picked up from the Enterprise established by the transactional context. For example, order documents have a specific Enterprise.	An Enterprise can inherit this configuration from another Enterprise. Additionally, this configuration can be overridden at a configuration group level.
Catalog Organization	Organizations that are designated as catalog organizations can modify configuration groups at the catalog organization level.	None.
Inventory Organization	Organizations that are designated as inventory organizations can modify configuration groups at the inventory organization level.	None.
Pricing Organizations	Organizations that are designated as pricing organizations can modify configuration groups at the pricing organization level.	None.
Organization	Any organization assigned a role (Seller, Buyer, etc.) can modify configuration groups at the organization level.	None.

You cannot inherit from an Enterprise that does not have the same inventory, capacity, and catalog organizations as the organization you are configuring.

Applications Rule Side Panel

The application rules side panel displays rules that have been inherited as grayed out.
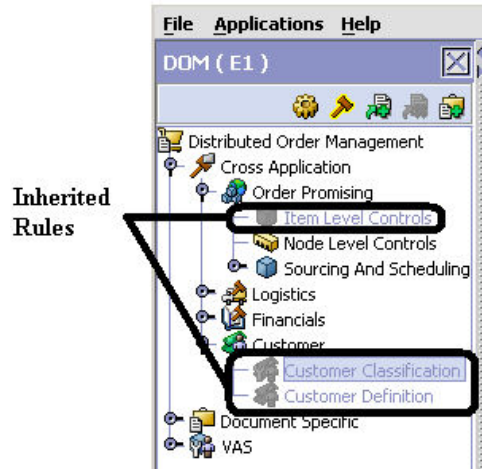
Figure 4. Inherited Rules in the Application Rules Side Panel

As stated in the table above, depending on the organization you are logged in as, you may be able to override some inherited rules. If a rule can be overridden, the Override Configuration icon becomes available in the application rule side panel when you highlight the rule.
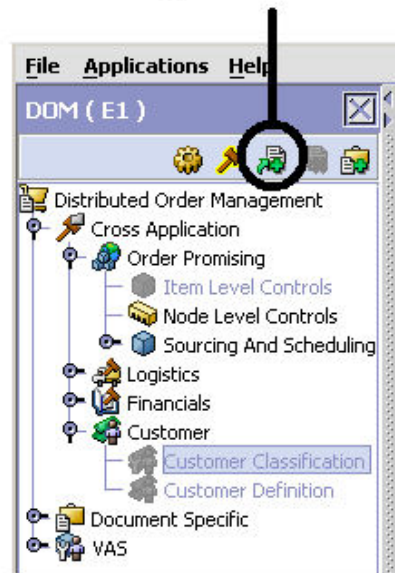
Figure 5. Override Configuration Icon

When you choose to override a rule you also override any other rules in the configuration group the rule you are overriding is associated with. When you choose the Override Configuration icon the Configuration Override Details pop-up window displays. This window provides the list of rules that are overridden.
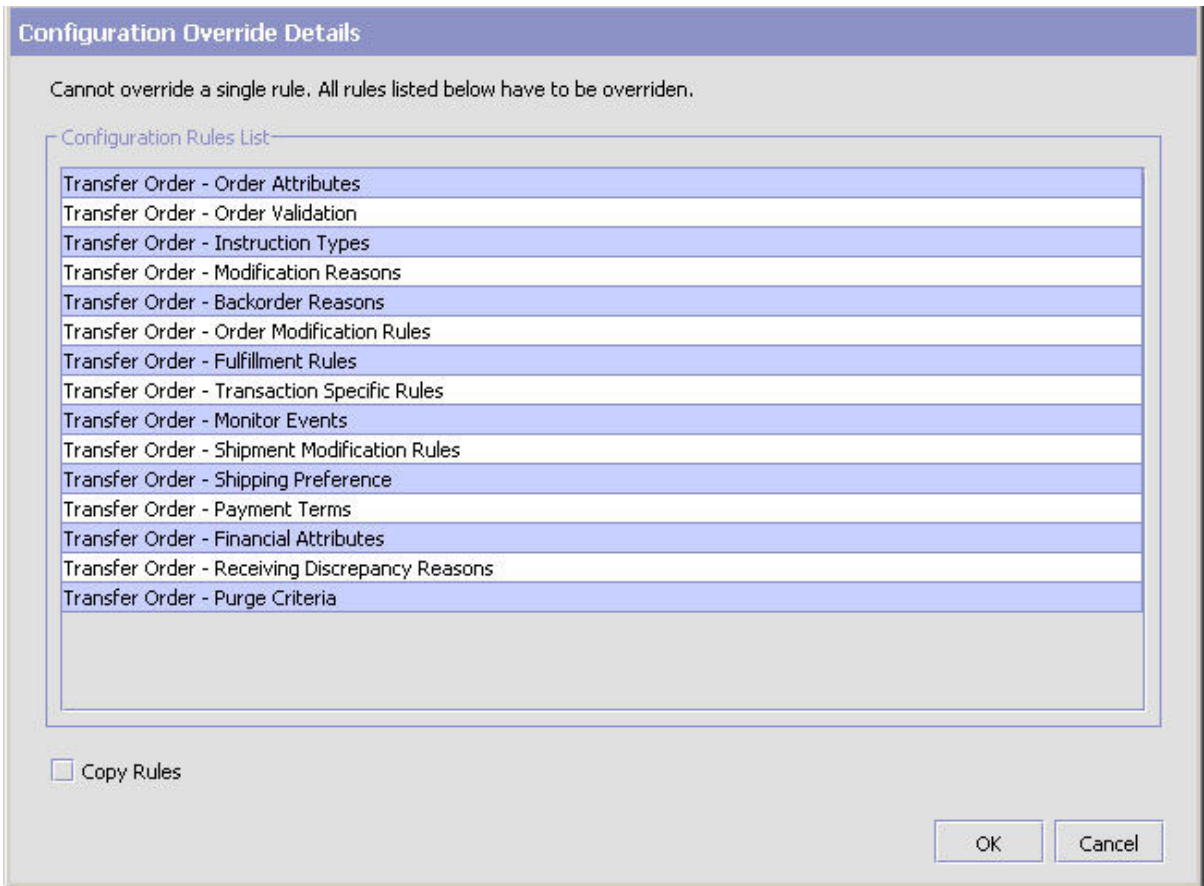
Figure 6. Example of Configuration Override Details Pop-Up Window

Overriding a Configuration Group

If you override a configuration group and then decide to "re-inherit" the original rules, you can choose the Give Back Configuration Ownership icon. This icon becomes available in the application rules side panel for rules that have been overridden.
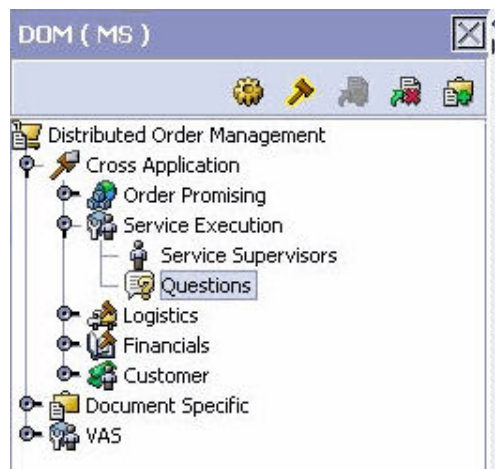
Figure 7. Give Back Configuration Ownership Icon

When you select the Give Back Configuration Ownership Icon, the Configuration Override Details pop-up window displays. This window provides the list of rules that are re-inherited.

Note: If you select the Delete Rules field on the Configuration Override Details pop-up window, you give back rule ownership to the organization you originally inherited from, but you do not retain any of the rules that you inherited from them. If you do not select this field, you give back rule ownership to the organization you originally inherited from, but you retain the rules that you inherited from them.

Loading Another Organization's Rules
About this task

An administrator organization is set for every organization defined within the system. Only the administrator organization can modify the rules defined for a particular organization. If a particular organization administers multiple organizations, then they can load the rules of organization that it administers within the application tree. See Table 2 on page 11 for the rules that determine which organizations you can administer.

The rules that are available from the tree in the application rules side panel may vary depending on the type of organization you select and the roles it has been assigned.

To load another organization's rules:

Procedure
1. From the applicable application rules side panel, choose the **Load Rules for Organization** icon. The Load Organizations for Configuration pop-up window displays.
2. From Organization, select the organization that you want to work with.
3. Choose OK. The organization's rules display in the application rules side panel.

Results

The application rules side panel displays the organization you are working with in parentheses.

Work Area

The work area is the main area in which different configuration screens appear. The main types of screens that you can see in the work area are the Search, List, Details, and Drag and Drop windows.

Search Window

A search window provides you with a means to perform a filtered search. The upper panel of a search window offers criteria applicable to the entity you are searching through which you can narrow your search. The lower panel lists the results of a search once it has been performed.
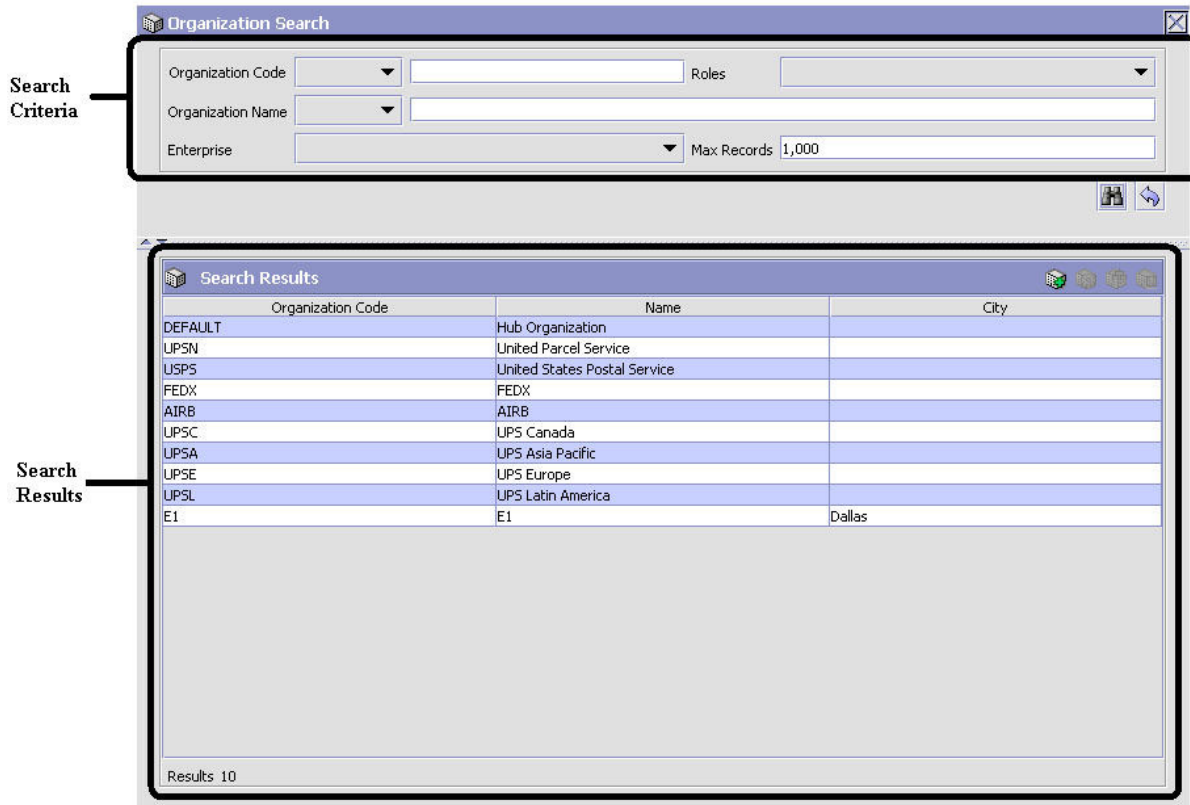
Figure 8. Search Window Example

List Window

When you choose to configure a specific rule or code that does not require a search, the Applications Manager may display a basic list window of the rules and codes that have previously been configured.

UOM Code	UOM Description
CM	Centimeter
FEET	Feet
IN	Inch
KM	Kilometer
METER	Meter
MILE	Mile

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Figure 9. List Window Example

Details Window

A details window is the main interface through which a bulk of the configuration is done. A details window can contain editable fields and tables, tabs to configure different aspects of an entity, and additional actions that can be performed on an entity.
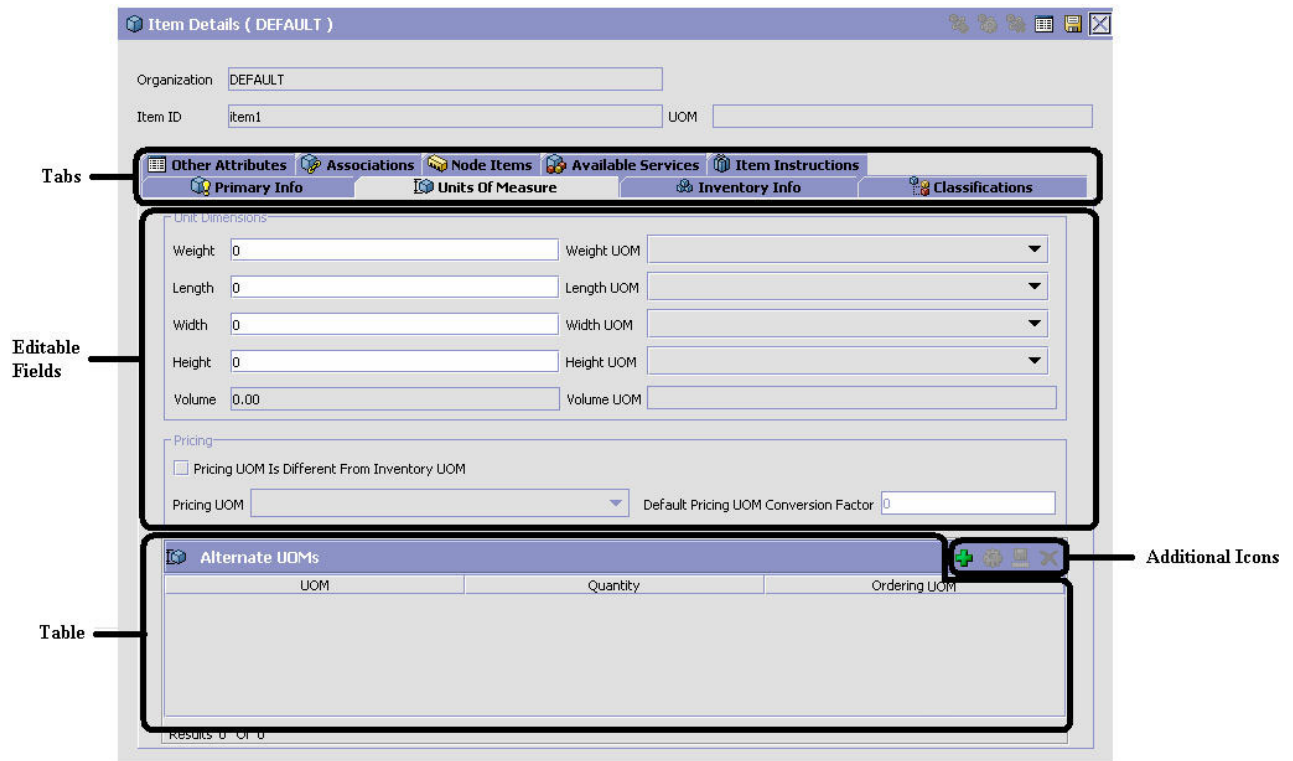
Figure 10. Details Window Example

Drag and Drop Window

You can use a graphical drag and drop window to ease the construction of pipelines, pipeline determination, event handlers, status monitoring rules, and services. A drag and drop window consists of a pallet and a graphical work area.
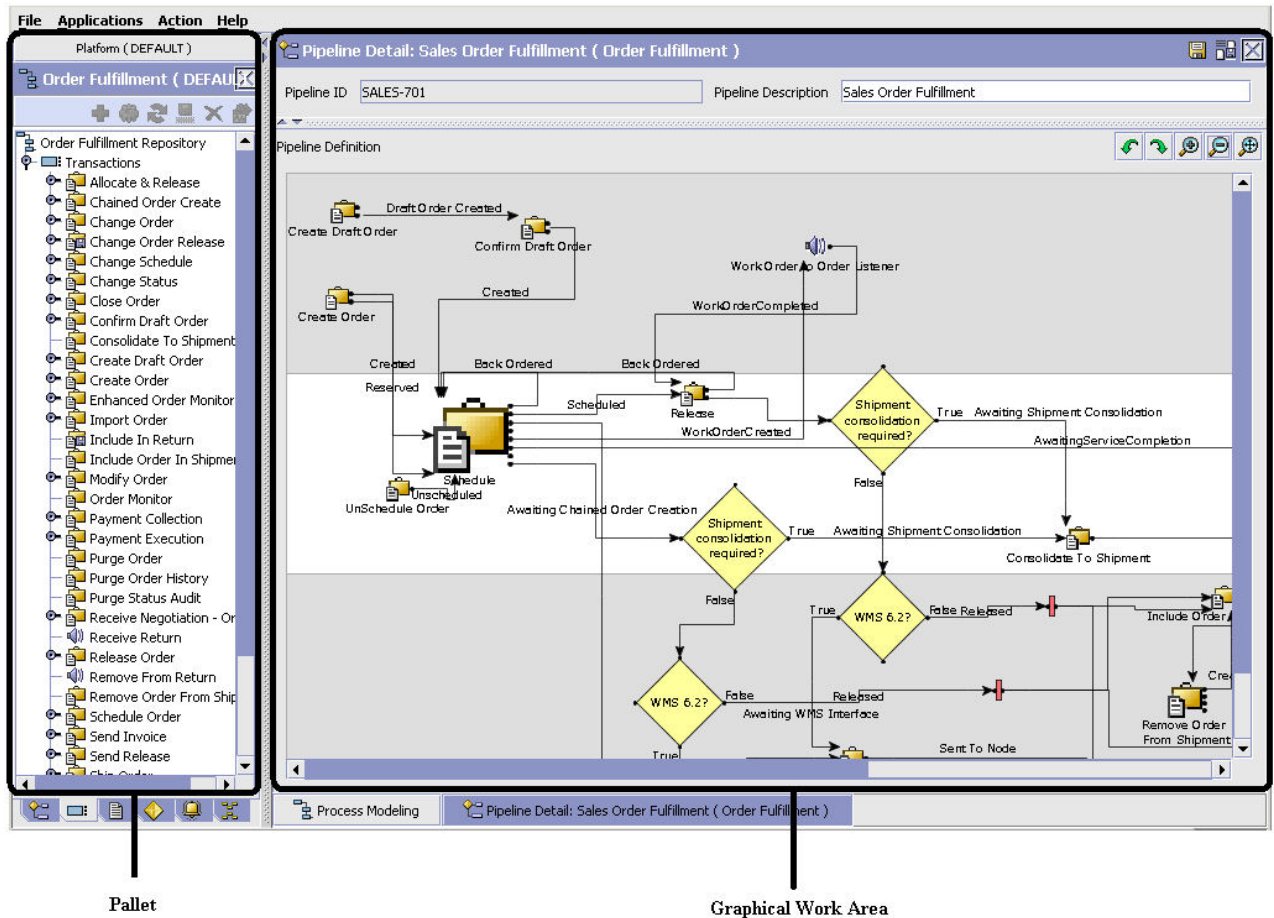
Figure 11. Drag and Drop Window Example

To begin building any of these entities, choose a component, such as a transaction, from the pallet. Drag the component into the graphical work area. The transaction is now displays as a graphical representation of itself.

To connect one component to another, you must drag the mouse from the outgoing port of a component until it forms a connecting line with the incoming port of another component. The links between components can be set up either horizontally or vertically.

To delete components or links, right-click on the component and choose Delete. Once components and links have been established you can move them around by dragging them, the links redraw themselves according to the new position. If you press and hold the CTRL key while dragging a component, the component is copied within the graphical work area.

Actions Available in the Applications Manager

Through the Applications Manager, you can use the lookup functionality, view logged in users, use lists and list filtering, troubleshoot errors, and use special characters.

Using the Applications Manager's Lookup Functionality

Throughout the Applications Manager there are many fields that have a lookup functionality to find or create additional records as they pertain to that field. For example, on the Primary Info tab of the Organization Details screen, the Locale field has a lookup functionality to create a new locale from that screen. When you choose the Create New lookup button the Locale Details information displays in a pop-up screen for you to modify.

Figure 12. Lookup Icon Example

The information that displays in a lookup field varies depending on how many records you have pertaining to that particular field. When there are 20 or less records, the lookup displays as a drop-down list with a Create New button. When there are between 21 and 75 records, the lookup displays as a drop-down list with a Search button.

When there are more than 75 records, the lookup displays as a text box with a Search button. You can type the value in the text box or search for the value using the Search button. If you enter a value, it is validated when it is saved. You should always type the value as it would appear if it was displayed as a drop-down list. For example, for a currency lookup, you should type the currency description in the text box even though the currency code is saved in the table. An error displays on save if the user has entered an invalid value.

When you use a lookup for a particular field in the Applications Manager, you should refer to the corresponding section in this guide to set up the particular information.

Viewing the Document Types Associated with an Application

In the Distributed Order Management, Supply Collaboration, Reverse Logistics, and Logistic Management configuration applications, you can view all of the document types associated with the application. Sales Order, Transfer Order, Master Order, Quote, and Purchase Order are all examples of document types.

To view an application's associated document types, open the applicable application from the menu and choose the **Create New** icon from the application rules side panel. The Associated Document Types window displays displaying a list of all of the document types associated with the application you are working in.

Document Type	Description
0004	Template Order
0006	Transfer Order
0001	Sales Order
0007	Master Order
0015	Quote

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Figure 13. Associated Document Types Window

Adding a Document Type to an Application
About this task

You can add a document type that is associated with another application to the application you are currently working in.

An added document type's associated screens may be irrelevant to the application you are associating it with.

To add a document type to an application:

Procedure
1. From the Associated Document Types window, choose the **Create New** icon. The Associated Document Type pop-up window displays.
2. From Document Type, select the document type that you want to associate with the application.
3. Select Enable Access To This Document Through This Application's Console.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Viewing the User Logged into the Applications Manager
About this task

You can view the user logged into the Applications Manager and their locale at any time. To view this information, move your mouse over the User icon and Locale icons in the bottom right-hand corner of the application to display the tool tips.

Using Lists and List Filtering
About this task

When viewing any list in the Applications Manager, it is possible to filter the contents of the list based in criteria that you define. Filtering is accomplished by right-clicking anywhere on the list's column headings and using the Table Filter Editor associated with the list.
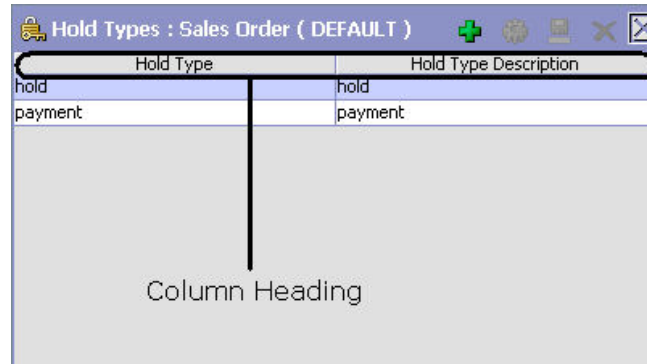
Figure 14. Column Headings in a List

Table 3. Table Filter Editor Window

Field	Description
Apply To Existing Records	Checking this box applies a new filter set of results that have been previously filtered instead of the whole set.
Max Records	Specify the maximum number of records that are to be returned from a filter. The default number is 100
Dynamic Fields	Fields such as "Hold Type" and "Hold Type Description" are dynamically populated based on the list you are currently viewing. These fields can be searched using text strings combined with criteria such as **Is**, **Starts With**, or **Contains**.

Search strings are case sensitive. For example, "Item" does not return the same values as "item".

Date and Time Entry

Date fields through the Applications Manager have a calendar icon that can be used to find dates as it pertains to that field. When you click on this icon, a small calendar displays. You can navigate through this calendar to determine the appropriate date. For example, on the Create Calendar window, the Default Effective To field has a calendar icon that you can use to verify the appropriate ship by date to populate the field.

Figure 15. Calendar Icon example

You can also enter time of day information throughout the Applications Manager. To do this, double click on the time field, and enter the time of day.

Shift Name	Start Time	End Time

Figure 16. Time Field example

Time should be entered in a 24 hour time format everywhere throughout the Applications Manager .

Troubleshooting Errors
About this task

You can view the description and cause of any error raised in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation, as well as the actions to troubleshoot it.

To view the Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation system error descriptions:

Procedure
1. From the menu bar, choose Help > Troubleshooting. The Error Search window displays.
2. Enter the applicable search criteria and choose the **Search** icon. A list of error codes and their descriptions display.
3. Choose the **Details** icon to view the cause of the error and action to troubleshoot it.

Using Special Characters

Throughout the Applications Manager there may be instances where you need to use special characters in data entry. For information about the use of special characters in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Customization Basics*.

Chapter 3. Configuring Cross-Application Logistics Components

Configuring Cross-Application Logistics Components

You can configure the components used by different logistics related functionality throughout the business application module.

You can use the Logistics branch for defining logistical attributes, delivery codes, shipment modes, and outbound constraints.

Defining Logistics Attributes

You can define rules and common codes associated logistics of shipping an order.

You can use the Logistics Attributes branch for defining freight terms, shipment modes, carrier modification reasons, and additional logistic rules.

Defining Freight Terms

You can define common codes used when associating a freight term to a Carrier. A **freight term** identifies how transportation costs are calculated.

The default freight terms of Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation are:

- Cost Insurance and Freight (CIF) - The freight cost is completely paid by either the Seller, the Enterprise, or the Hub.
- Cost and Freight (CFR) - The freight cost is paid by the Buyer and either the Seller, the Enterprise, or the Hub.
- Free On Board (FOB) - The freight cost is paid by the Buyer.

You can use the Freight Terms tab for creating, modifying, and deleting freight terms.

Creating a Freight Term
About this task

To create a freight term:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Logistics > Logistics Attributes. The Logistics window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Freight Terms tab.
3. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Freight Terms Details pop-up window displays.
4. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 4 on page 24 for field value descriptions.
5. Enter Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 4. Freight Terms Details

Field	Description
Freight Terms	Enter the name of the freight term.
Short Description	Enter a brief description of the freight term.
Long Description	Enter a more detailed description of the freight term.
Consider Buyer's Routing Guide	Both the Buyer and the Enterprise can establish routing guides (rules for shipping), and Economic Shipping parameters (ESP), which control how items are shipped. In some cases only the Buyer organization has established values for these rules. In other cases, only the enterprise has established values for these rules. If neither is set, then Hub rules are used. In cases where both the Buyer and the Enterprise have set values for these rules, this setting determines whether to apply the Buyer's routing rules before applying the routing rules of the Enterprise. See the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Product Concepts Guide* for more information about these shipping concepts.
First Buyer then Enterprise	Select to use any shipping rules established by the buyer first. Enterprise rules are applied if no applicable Buyer rule exists.
First Enterprise then Buyer	Select to use any shipping rules established by the enterprise first. Buyer rules are applied if no applicable Enterprise rule exists.
Charges paid by	
Buyer	Select this option if the Buyer pays shipping charges.
Shipper	Select this option if the Shipper pays shipping charges.

Modifying a Freight Term
About this task

To modify a freight term:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Logistics > Logistics Attributes. The Logistics window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Freight Terms tab.
3. Select the applicable freight term and choose the **Details** icon. The Freight Terms Details pop-up window displays.
4. Enter the new information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 4 for field value descriptions.
5. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Freight Term
About this task

To delete a freight term:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Logistics > Logistics Attributes. The Logistics window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Freight Terms tab.
3. Select the applicable freight term and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining Carrier Modification Reasons

You can define common codes that appear in the Reason Code drop-down list when you modify a Carrier. This code should provide a standard reason for modifying a Carrier, such as 'Requested Change' which would be used when the customer requests a change of Carrier.

The default carrier modification reason of Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation is "Requested Change."

You can use the Modify Carrier Reason tab for creating, modifying, and deleting a carrier modification reason.

Creating a Carrier Modification Reason
About this task

To create a carrier modification reason:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Logistics > Logistics Attributes. The Logistics window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Modify Carrier Reason tab.
3. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Modify Carrier Reason Details pop-up window displays.
4. In Modify Carrier Reason, enter the name of the carrier modification reason.
5. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the carrier modification reason.
6. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the carrier modification reason.
7. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying a Carrier Modification Reason
About this task

To modify a carrier modification reason:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Logistics > Logistics Attributes. The Logistics window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Modify Carrier Reason tab.
3. Select the applicable carrier modification reason and choose the **Details** icon. The Modify Carrier Reason Details pop-up window displays.
4. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the carrier modification reason.
5. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the carrier modification reason.

6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Carrier Modification Reason
About this task

To delete a carrier modification reason:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Logistics > Logistics Attributes. The Logistics window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Modify Carrier Reason tab.
3. Select the applicable carrier modification reason and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining Additional Logistic Rules
About this task

You can define additional rules that pertain to an order document type.

To define additional logistic rules:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Logistics > Logistics Attributes. The Logistics window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Other Rules tab.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 5 for field value descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 5. Other Rules Tab

Field	Description
Advance Transit Time Calculation	
Use Advanced Transit Time Calculation	Select this field if advance transit time calculation is required when considering ship dates and delivery dates. Transit time is calculated as Lead Time + Distance Per Day (either from the Distance Per Day for a selected Carrier service).
Based on SCAC and Carrier Service	Select Based on Carrier if you want transit time calculations to be based on the carrier and carrier service being used for an order.
Based on Carrier Service	Select Based on Carrier Service if you want transit time calculations to be based on the specific carrier service being used for an order.

Table 5. Other Rules Tab (continued)

Field	Description
Delivery Lead Time (Days)	Enter the default delivery lead time. Delivery lead time is used to determine when an order line must be shipped based on the requested delivery date. The delivery lead time indicates the amount of time it takes to transport a load from a ship node to a customer. When calculating the delivery date: • If neither the ship date or delivery date are provided, the ship date is defaulted to the current days date and the delivery date is defaulted to that date + delivery lead time. • If the ship date is provided but the delivery date is not, the delivery date is defaulted to ship date + delivery lead time. • If the delivery date is provided but the ship date is not, the ship date is defaulted to delivery date - delivery lead time. • If both the ship date and delivery date are provided, this rule is not applied.
Round Up Transit Time To Nearest Day	If selected, transit time calculations are not specific down to the actual hour. Instead, the system performs the calculations and rounds up to the next available day.
Distance Per Day	Enter the default distance for calculating transit time if a Carrier service is not selected or the service selected does not have a distance per day associated with it.
UOM	Select the distance unit of measure.
Default Carrier Service for Transfer	Select the carrier service you want to use to compute the transfer time between two nodes if they do not have a transfer schedule configured for them. For more information about configuring transfer schedules between nodes, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Distributed Order Management Configuration Guide.*

Defining Delivery Codes

You can define common codes used for indicating the delivery code when creating or modifying a Carrier. The **delivery code** identifies the entity that pays for the transportation costs.

The default delivery codes of Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation are:
• ENTERPRISE
• MARKETPLACE
• SUPPLIER

You can use the Delivery Codes branch for creating, modifying, and deleting a delivery code.

Creating a Delivery Code
About this task

To create a delivery code:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Logistics > Delivery Codes. The Delivery Codes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Delivery Code Details pop-up window displays.
3. In Delivery Code, enter the name of the delivery code.
4. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the delivery code.
5. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the delivery code.
6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying a Delivery Code
About this task

To modify a delivery code:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Logistics > Delivery Codes. The Delivery Codes window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable delivery code and choose the **Details** icon. The Delivery Code Details pop-up window displays.
3. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the delivery code.
4. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the delivery code.
5. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Delivery Code
About this task

To delete a delivery code:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Logistics > Delivery Codes. The Delivery Codes window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable delivery code and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining Shipment Modes

You can define common codes used when indicating the ship mode. The **shipment mode** describes how an order is being shipped.

The default shipment modes of Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation are:
- TL - Truckload
- LTL - Less-Than Truckload
- PARCEL

You can use the Shipment Modes tab for creating, modifying, and deleting a shipment mode.

Creating a Shipment Mode

About this task

To create a shipment mode:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Logistics > Shipment Modes. The Shipment Modes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Shipment Mode Details pop-up window displays.
3. In Shipment Mode, enter the name of the shipment mode.
4. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the shipment mode.
5. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the shipment mode.
6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying a Shipment Mode

About this task

To modify a shipment mode:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Logistics > Shipment Modes. The Shipment Modes window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable shipment mode and choose the **Create New** icon. The Shipment Mode Details pop-up window displays.
3. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the shipment mode.
4. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the shipment mode.
5. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Shipment Mode

About this task

To delete a shipment mode:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Logistics > Shipment Modes. The Shipment Modes window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable shipment mode and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining Outbound Constraints

Outbound constraints are used to describe conditions that control how shipping is done. These include whether certain items can be shipped together, such as regular and rush orders, whether to use Economic Shipping Parameters, and how routing is performed. You can also use Outbound Constraints for creating, modifying, and deleting a routing guide.

The Outbound Constraints node does not apply to Reverse Logistics or Supply Collaboration.

To define outbound constraints:

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Logistics > Outbound Constraints. The Outbound Constraints window displays in the work area.

2. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 6 for field value descriptions.

3. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 6. Outbound Constraint Window

Field	Description
Do not mix in a shipment	If any of the following are selected, separate shipments must be create for items that have different values for these attributes. For example, if Department Code is selected, items that are for different departments can not be included in the same shipment.
Buyer Mark For Node Id	The buyer mark for node id.
Customer PO #	Customer's Purchase Order number.
Department Code	The department for which the item is intended.
Gift Flag	The gift flag.
Level of Service	The level of service on the order.
Mark For	Person for whom this shipment is marked for
Order #	The order number.
Order Type	The order type.
Transportation optimization	
Economic shipping parameters maintained	Economic Shipping Parameters (ESP) are used in shipping consolidation. Select this field to enable the following Economic Shipping Parameters fields. ESP support consolidation of shipments until a weight or volume threshold is met, or until an certain time elapses. By consolidating shipments, shipping costs can be reduced For example, you can set that shipments should be consolidated until the shipment weight is 300 pounds, or 50 cubic feet in volume. To ensure that eventually the shipment is set, you can establish a maximum number of days to wait until the conditions are met. When either the weight, volume or delay shipment threshold is met, the shipment is moved to the next stage in shipping.
Delay shipment by not more than __ Days	Enter the number of days this shipment can be delayed before it should be shipped. For example, if a value is set for weight threshold of 300 pounds, and this field has been set to 3 days, the shipment is shipped after 3 days, regardless of whether the weight threshold has been met.

Table 6. Outbound Constraint Window (continued)

Field	Description
Consolidate up to weight threshold of	Enter a weight.
Consolidate up to volume threshold of	Enter a volume
Routing Guide	
Not Maintained	Select this to use manual routing. Shipments are managed in the shipment console, and any routing guides are not consulted.
Maintained in Sterling	Select this to use the Routing Guides maintained in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation to determine how shipments should be routed. See "Creating a Routing Guide." In addition to the routing guide maintained here by the enterprise, there may be a routing guide for the buyer organization. For more information about using both buyer and enterprise routing guides, see "Creating a Freight Term" on page 23.
Maintained Externally	Select this to indicate that an external routing system is used. The routing guides maintained in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation is not consulted. Examples of external routing systems include using an integrated Transportation Management System (TMS), or implementing a User Exit which consults with the buyer organization.

Creating a Routing Guide
About this task

Routing Guides are a list of conditions which determine how a shipment should be routed. A routing guide has a time period for which is effective, and conditions for when it should be applied. These conditions are based on Freight Terms and Department.

Each routing guide contains a list of *routing guide lines*, each of which describe detailed conditions for selecting a carrier. The routing guide information is based on data used by VICS (Voluntary InterIndustry Commerce Standards) routing.

To create a routing guide:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Logistics > Outbound Constraints. The Outbound Constraints window displays in the work area.
2. Select the **Create New** icon on the Routing Guides list window. The Routing Guide Details window displays in the work area.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 7 on page 32 for field value descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 7. Routing Guide Details Window

Field	Description
Name	Enter a name for the routing guide.
Routing Guide #	A number for the routing guide.
Publish Date	When this routing guide is available within the system.
Supersedes Routing Guide #	Tracking information. For example, if a minor revision is made to routing guide "1234", you might create a routing guide "1234-A", and enter that it supersedes routing guide "1234". This field is for informational purposes and is not used to determine the effective routing guide.
Effective Date	The start date for applying the routing information in this routing guide. You can use the effective date and expiration date to apply routing guidelines for particular periods of time.
Expiration Date	The end date for applying the routing information in this routing guide.
Apply this Routing Guide when	
Freight Terms	Apply this routing guide when this condition is met. Select *is*, *is in*, or *is not*. Use: • *is* to specify a single Freight Term. • *is in* to specify a group of Freight Terms, one of which must be matched. • *is not in* to specify a group of Freight Terms. The routing guide is used if the Freight Term does not match one of these values.
Item Classification	Items can be classified. This field displays when valid item classifications have been set up for Routing Guide.

Modifying a Routing Guide
About this task

To modify a routing guide:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Logistics > Outbound Constraints. The Outbound Constraints window displays in the work area.
2. Select a routing guide in the Routing Guide list window, and select the **Details** icon.
3. The Routing Guide Details window displays in the work area.
4. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 7 for field value descriptions.
5. Choose the **Save** icon.

Creating a Routing Guide Line
About this task

Routing guide lines contain the specific conditions to use when routing a shipment. A routing guide can contain multiple routing guide lines.

When routing occurs, the shipment is matched against the routing guide lines. Based on the criteria specified, a carrier and carrier service is selected.

When routing results in a change to the shipment destination, the system reroutes, with the revised destination as the factor for routing. This type of configuration is used for consolidator nodes. While routing the second time, system looks for the routing guide entry that contains destination node, but without any other destination parameters filled out (such as address, etc.).

To create a routing guide line:

Procedure

1. From the Routing Guide Details window, select the Routing Guidelines Tab. To have access to the Routing Guidelines Tab, save the information you have entered on the Primary Info Tab.
2. A Routing Guide Line search window displays.
3. Select the **Create New** icon. A Routing Guide Line Details screen displays in the work area.
4. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 8 for field value descriptions.
5. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 8. Routing Guide Line Details

Setting conditions:	
In many of the following fields, you can select is, is in, or is not in and then specify a value. Use: • *is* to specify that a single value must be matched • *is in* to specify a group of values, one of which must be matched. • *is not in* to specify a group of values. The routing guide line is used if none of these values match. For example to match any one of a group of states, specify State *is in* California, Washington, Oregon, Nevada. When assessing the condition, California would match, Florida would not.	
Field	**Description**
Ship From	
Node	Select the node.
When ship from is not node, select the following attribute(s)	Enter this option if not shipping from the node and then enter one or more of the following conditions.
Country/Region	Select the country or region name(s).
State	Enter the state name(s).
City	Enter the city name(s).
Zip Code	Enter the zip code or zip code range.
Ship To	
Node	Select the node.
Region	Enter the region.
When ship to is not node and region, select the following attribute(s)	Select this option if not shipping to a node within a specific region and then select one or more of the following conditions.

Table 8. Routing Guide Line Details (continued)

Country/Region	Select the country or region name(s).
State	Enter the state name(s).
City	Enter the city name(s).
Zip Code	Enter the zip code or zip code range.
Consolidator	Select the consolidator name(s).
Store#	Select the store number(s).
And weight is in the range:	You can match weight. For example, if you want packages that weigh between 100 and 500 pounds to be shipped using a specific carrier, you would specify From as '100' and To as '500'.
From	Enter the minimum value.
To	Enter the maximum value.
And volume is in the range:	You can match volume. For example, if you want packages that are between 3 and 10 cubic feet to be shipped using a specific carrier, you would specify From as '3' and To as '10'.
From	Enter the minimum value.
To	Enter the maximum value.
And handling units are in the range:	Number of containers.
From	Enter the minimum value.
To	Enter the maximum value.
And if requested carrier service code is	
Carrier Service Code	Select a carrier service code.
For more information about defining carrier services, see "Defining Carrier Services" on page 35.	
Then ship via:	
Priority	Indicates the number to give this rule a relative importance. When a shipment is compared to the routing guide lines, there may be two carrier services that could be used. This priority serves as a tie breaker. The carrier service with the lowest number is used.
Carrier / Service	Indicates the carrier and service code that is desired.
Break Bulk Node	The break bulk node that is close to the buyer.
Contact Specified	Indicates whether the contact details for the shipment is specified.
With overrides:	
Override Freight Terms	Select to override the shipment's Freight Term.
Override Ship To	To override the Ship To value, select this field, and then select one of the following. This is only used when performing routing again due to a revised ship to address.
Node	Select the node name.
Consolidator	Select the consolidator name.
Store#	Select the store number.

Results

When the conditions set are assessed, the routing guide line which matches the most conditions is used. For example, imagine there are three routing guide lines:

Routing guide line A - What to do when shipping from Massachusetts

Routing guide line B - What to do when shipping from Massachusetts, and when shipping from the zip code 01810.

Routing guide line C - What to do when shipping from Massachusetts or NY.

If the shipment originates from the zip code 01810, it matches all of these routing guide lines. The actions specified in *Routing guide line B* is used, as more conditions are met (both the state and the zip code).

If the shipment originates from Massachusetts, but not from zip code 01810, then both *Routing guideline A* and *Routing guide line C* match. The priority on the guidelines are used to determine which is used, with the lowest numbered priority being selected. If *Routing guideline A* had a priority number of 3, and *Routing guideline C* had a priority number of 5, *Routing guideline A* is used.

Defining Carrier Services: When routing occurs, the shipment is matched against the routing guidelines. Based on the criteria specified, you select a carrier service to use.

You can use the Carrier Services panel for creating, modifying, or deleting a carrier service.

Creating a Carrier Service:
About this task

To create a carrier service:

Procedure
1. From the Routing Guidelines Details window, in the Carrier Services panel, select the **Create New** icon. The Carrier Services window displays.
2. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 9 for field value descriptions.
3. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 9. Carrier Services

Field	Description
Priority	Enter a number to give this rule a relative importance. When a shipment is compared to the routing guide lines, there may be two carrier services that could be used. This priority serves as a tie breaker. The carrier service with the lowest number is used.
Carrier/Service	Select the carrier or service code that is desired.
Break Bulk Node	Select the break bulk node that is close to the buyer.
Contact Address	This is used to specify the address information for the carrier service's contact person. Click the **Details** icon to change the contact Address.

Modifying a Carrier Service:
About this task

To modify a carrier service:

Procedure
1. From the Routing Guidelines Details window, in the Carrier Services panel, select a carrier service from the list in the Carrier Services list window, and select the **Details** icon. The Carrier Services window displays.
2. Enter the new information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 9 on page 35 for field value descriptions.
3. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Carrier Service:
About this task

To delete a carrier service:

Procedure
1. From the Routing Guidelines Details window, in the Carrier Services panel, select a carrier service in the Carrier Services list window and select the **Delete** icon.
2. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying a Routing Guide Line
About this task

To modify a routing guide line:

Procedure
1. From the Routing Guidelines Details window, select the Routing Details Tab. A Routing Guide Line search window displays.
2. Select a routing guide line in the Routing Guide Line list window, and select the **Modify** icon. The Routing Guide Line Details window displays.
3. Enter the new information in the applicable fields. Refer to the "Routing Guide Line Details" table for field value descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Routing Guide Line
About this task

To delete a Routing Guide Line:

Procedure
1. From the Routing Guide Lines Details window, select the Routing Details Tab. A Routing Guide Line search window displays.
2. Select a routing guide line in the Routing Guide Line list window, and choose the **Delete** icon.

Deleting a Routing Guide
About this task

To delete a routing guide:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application >
   Logistics > Outbound Constraints. The Outbound Constraints window displays
   in the work area.
2. Select the applicable Routing Guide and choose the **Delete** icon.

Chapter 4. Configuring Cross Application Pricing Components

- The functionality described in this chapter has been deprecated in the Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation, Release 9.1. For information about the new pricing functionality in the Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation, Release 9.1, see the *IBM Sterling Business Center Pricing Administration Guide* and information about the Pricing Service in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Distributed Order Management Configuration Guide*.

- To use the deprecated functionality described in this chapter, you must first select the Use Deprecated Pricing Functionality check box in the Installation Rules window. To access this window, from the tree in the Application Platform application rules side panel, choose System Administration > Installation Rules. The Installation Rules window displays in the work area.

You can configure the components used for pricing by the Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation financial engine throughout the Reverse Logistics business application module.

Defining Price Programs and Price Lists

Note: This configuration is not required if you are using an external pricing engine.

A price program is a way to offer different pricing to different customers at different times. A price program may have one or more price lists. Each price list defines pricing for a specific currency. A price program definition defines which price list to use for specific time period.

For example, you may want to set up a special price program for your best customers offering items at a discounted price if they order before Christmas. You can create two price lists; "Before" and "After". "Before" lists each item's discounted price before Christmas. "After" lists the item's regular price after Christmas. You can then create a price program to specify that between now and December 25, orders in that price program are calculated using "Before" and after December 25, using "After".

If a customer orders an item that is part of the price program, but falls outside of the specified date range, quantity range, or currency, the price is calculated as zero. In this case, the CSR must manually enter the price.

Note: An organization that is defined as an enterprise cannot inherit price programs from its 'Inherit Configuration from' organization.

Note: You must select Allow Price Calculation For Draft Orders to apply pricing during draft order creation for the order document. You must select Allow Price Calculation For Confirmed Orders, if you want to apply pricing during both draft order confirmation and order creation. For more information about this parameter, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Creating a Price List

About this task

To create a price list:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Financials > Price Lists. The Price Lists window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Price List Details window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 10 for field values.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 10. Price List Details Window

Field	Description
Price List Name	Enter the name of the price list.
Currency	Select the currency that applies to the items in the price list.
Description	Enter a brief description of the price list.
Valid Until	Enter the date the price list is valid until.
Active	Select Active if you want the price list to be active in the system.
Product Price List	Select Product Price List if you want to create a price list for product items.
Delivery Service Price List	Select Delivery Service Price List if you want to create a price list for delivery services.
Provided Service Price List	Select Provided Service Price List if you want to create a price list for provided services.

Adding Items to a Price List

About this task

To add items to a price list:

Procedure

1. In the Price List Details window, choose the **Create New** icon from the Item Level Pricing list. The Price List: Item Details window displays.
2. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Price List: Item Details Window for field value descriptions.
3. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying an Item Price List

About this task

To modify an item price list:

Procedure

1. In the Price List Details window select the applicable item and choose the **Details** icon from the Item Level Pricing list. The Item Price Set Details window displays.
2. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 11 on page 41 for field value descriptions.

3. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 11. Price List: Item Details Window

Field	Description
Item ID	Enter the item ID for the item you are adding to the price list.
UOM	Select a unit of measure for the item.
Product Class	Select the product class the item falls under.
List Price	Enter the price the item is listed for.
Retail Price	Enter the price the item is sold for.
Unit Price By Quantity Range	Once the item is created choose the **Create New** icon to add item price set details. Choose the **Details** icon to modify a detail. Choose the **Delete** icon to delete a detail.
Region	Enter the region that the item pricing is applicable to. For example, if you adding a delivery service item that delivers to both a metro region and a suburb region, but charges for delivery to the metro regions, you would create two records: one specifying the metro region and its pricing and one for the suburb region. **Note:** This field is optional. If left blank, the quantity pricing range works for any region. **Note:** The region specified here must be part of the region schema associated with the item you are creating. For more information about associating a region schema for pricing, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Distributed Order Management Configuration Guide*.
From Quantity	Enter the beginning amount for quantity pricing.
To Quantity	Enter the end amount for a price range based on purchase of a particular number of items.
Unit Price	Enter the cost per item for that start and end quantity.

Deleting an Item Price List
About this task

To delete an item price list, in the Price List Details window, select the applicable item and choose the **Delete** icon.

Modifying a Price List
About this task

To modify a price list:

Procedure
1. From the menu bar, choose Applications > Distributed Order Management. The Distributed Order Management tree displays in the side panel.
2. From the Distributed Order Management tree, choose Cross Application > Financials > Price Lists. The Price Lists window displays in the work area.
3. Select the applicable price list and choose the **Details** icon. The Price Set Details window displays.

4. In Description, enter a brief description of the price list.

5. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Price List
About this task

To delete a price list:

Procedure

1. From the menu bar, choose Applications > Distributed Order Management. The Distributed Order Management tree displays in the side panel.

2. From the Distributed Order Management tree, choose Cross Application > Financials > Price Lists. The Price Lists window displays in the work area.

3. Select the applicable price list and choose the **Delete** icon.

Creating a Price Program
About this task

To create a price program:

Procedure

1. From the menu bar, choose Applications > Distributed Order Management. The Distributed Order Management tree displays in the side panel.

2. From the Distributed Order Management tree, choose Cross Application > Financials > Price Programs. The Price Programs window displays in the work area.

3. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Price Program Details window displays.

4. In Price Program Name, enter the name of the price program.

5. In Description, enter a brief description of the price program.

6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Adding a New Price List to a Price Program
About this task

To add a new price list to a price program:

Procedure

1. In the Price Program Details window, choose the **Create New** icon from the Price Program Definitions list. The Price Program Definition pop-up window displays.

2. From Price List, select the price list you want to add to the price program.

3. From Currency, select the currency the price list is in.

4. In Start Date, enter the date that the pricing for the items in the price program begins.

5. In End Date, enter the date that the pricing for the items in the price program ends.

6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Price List in a Price Program
About this task

To delete a price list in a price program, from the Price Program Details window, select the applicable price list and choose the **Delete** icon.

Modifying a Price Program
About this task

To modify a price program:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Financials > Price Programs. The Price Programs window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable Price Program and choose the **Details** icon. The Price Program Details window displays.
3. In Description, enter a brief description of the price program.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Price Program
About this task

To delete a price program:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Financials > Price Programs. The Price Programs window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable Price Program and choose the **Delete** icon.

Chapter 5. Configuring Cross-Application Payment Components

Configuring Cross-Application Payment Components

You can configure the components used in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation to define the types of payment the system accepts and the rules surrounding payment collection.

You can use the Financials branch for defining payment types and payment rules.

System Payment Processing Rules

About this task

Payment Processing Rules, such as the type of payment, or the order in which multiple payment types are applied, can be determined at either the seller organization or enterprise level. You can also specify whether payment processing is performed for draft orders.

To configure payment processing rules:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, select Cross Application > Financials > System Payment Processing Rules. The System Payment Processing Rules window is displayed in the work area.
2. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 12 for field value descriptions.

Table 12. System Payment Processing Rules Window

Field	Description
Payment Rule	
Use Enterprise of an Order (Instead of the Seller Organization) to Determine Payment Processing Rules	Check this box to enable Payment Processing Rules to be configured at the enterprise level. This rule is only supported when using a compatible PCA and not by the Console alone.
Draft Order	
Enable Draft Order Payment Processing	Check this box to enable payment processing for draft orders. This option is on by default.
Ignore Charge Request on Draft Order	Check this box to ignore charge requests when calculating the request amount to authorize on draft orders. Normal charge request processing begins when the draft order is confirmed. This option is off by default and can be configured only when Enable Draft Order Payment Processing is on.

3. Choose the **Save** icon.

Defining Payment Types

You can define common codes for payment types. **Payment types** are the different methods of payment that can be used in financial transactions between organizations, for example, credit card or check.

The default payment types of Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation are:
- CHECK
- CREDIT_CARD
- CUSTOMER_ACCOUNT
- OTHER

You can use the Payment Types branch for creating, modifying, or deleting a payment type.

Creating a Payment Type
About this task

To create a payment type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Financials > Payment Types. The Payment Types window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Payment Type Details pop-up window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 13 for field value descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 13. Payment Type Details Pop-Up Window

Field	Description
Payment Type	
Payment Type	Enter a name for the payment type.
Payment Type Group	Select a payment type group
Description	Enter a brief description of the payment type.
Charge	
Charge Sequence	Enter the preferred charge sequence for the payment type, 0 being highest.
	When defining payment types you can set the default order in which payment types are charged. For example, if the Seller organization uses gift certificates and prefers to collect against the gift certificate and then collect any remaining amount against a credit card, you may configure a payment type of Gift Certificate to have a charge sequence of 1 and a payment type of Credit Card to have a charge sequence of 2. For more information about charge sequencing, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Product Concepts Guide*.

Table 13. Payment Type Details Pop-Up Window (continued)

Field	Description
Charge Instead of Authorize	Select this field if you want to create a charge request for this payment type instead of an authorization request. This flag is used to trigger the GetFundsAvailable user exit that determines the amount of funds available in the account when a payment type is charged during order processing. For more information about the GetFundsAvailable user exit, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.
Authorization Reversal Strategy	
Do Not Reverse	Select this option if you do not want to implement an authorization reversal strategy. This is the default.
Reverse When Expired	If you enable this option, a reverse authorization request is generated when an authorization expires. This request is for the same authorization ID, only in a negative amount. If you have enabled automatic reversal of authorization without enabling Payment Card Types and the specific payment method does not support reverse authorization, Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation generates a request for reversal, and in YFSCollectionCreditCardUE you may return success to avoid incurring transaction fees from the payment system. Settlement and Authorization are required to use this feature. This option supports any payment method that requires authorizations, with the exception of customer accounts. **Note:** This option is mutually exclusive with the "Use Same Authorization Multiple Times" payment rule. For further information on setting up this strategy as well as handling differing authorization and settlement amounts through collectionCreditCardUE implementations, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Product Concepts Guide*.
Reverse Excess	Select this option to reverse the excess authorization when an authorization exceeds the order total or settlement request. This option reverses expired authorizations and any charge request transaction that is not usable.
Partial Reversal Supported	If Reverse Excess is selected, select Partial Reversal Supported to reverse authorizations in excess of the order total by reversing the excess authorization amount only. If Reverse Excess is selected but Partial Reversal Supported is not selected, the entire authorization amount is reversed and a new authorization for the order total is submitted.
Charge Up To Available	Select this field to allowing charging up to the available amount.

Table 13. Payment Type Details Pop-Up Window (continued)

Field	Description
Charge Consolidation Allowed	Select Charge Consolidation Allowed if you want to consolidate charge requests. If this option is selected, when a charge transaction record is created the collection date for the record is set to the execution date of the authorization + the time you enter in the Consolidation Window (hrs) field. The collection date is the date (and time) after which the executeCollection time-triggered transaction picks up the record(s) for processing. If further charging is required for a given order for the same payment type, the existing charge transaction record is updated instead of a new record being inserted. This flag is only applicable to document types. If the charge is not created from an authorization, it is not taken into consideration for consolidation.
Support Zero Amount Authorization	Select this option if you want to support zero amount authorization for this payment type. This flag is used by the capturePayment API.
Processing Not Required	Select this option if you want to create a preprocessed Charge Transaction record of type CHARGE for this payment type. For example, cheque or cash. This flag indicates that the payment type added is already processed. This flag is used by the capturePayment API.
Consolidation Window (Hrs)	If you selected Charge Consolidation Allowed, enter the timeframe (in hours) for charges to be consolidated within.
Allow Authorizations To Exceed Settlement Request	Select this option to allow an authorization amount to exceed a settlement amount. If disabled, an authorization is not valid if it exceeds the charge amount. This option is enabled by default.
Hours Before Authorization Expiration	Use this field to record the number of hours before authorization for a particular credit card expires.
Hours Authorization Can Still Be Reversed	Use this field to record the number of hours that authorization for a particular credit card can still be reversed.
Refund	
Valid for Return	Select Valid for Return if this payment type can be credited according to the Seller's business practices.
Refund Sequence	Enter the preferred refund sequence for the payment type, 0 being highest. When defining payment types you can set the default order in which the Seller credits a Buyer's payment types. For example, if the Seller organization prefers to credit a customer's account and then a customer's credit card, you may configure a payment type of Customer Account to have a refund sequence of 1 and a payment type of Credit Card to have a charge sequence of 2. For more information about refund sequencing, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Product Concepts Guide*.

Table 13. Payment Type Details Pop-Up Window (continued)

Field	Description
Default for Return	Select Default for Return to designate this payment type as the default type to be credited in the Return Console. If an order does not have any payments valid for a return, the payment type for which this is selected is used to create a new payment record.
Refund To Same Payment Method	Select this field to allow refunds to the same payment method.
Refund To New Payment Method	Select this field to allow refunds to a new payment method.
Refund To New Payment Method of Payment Type	If you selected 'Refund To New Payment Method' above, use this field to select a new payment type to use. Only payment types in the STORED_VALUE_CARD or OTHER payment type group are available. If you select STORED_VALUE_CARD or OTHER, you can select the same payment type and then a new payment method of the same type. For example, if the original payment method was a STORED_VALUE_CARD and an item has been returned, you can issue a new gift card by entering STORED_VALUE_CARD into this field. If you want this new STORED_VALUE_CARD to be a tracked inventory item, enter the Item ID in the 'Create Refund Fulfillment Order Using Item ID' field described below. If you specify that you want to refund to a different payment method, configure the refund options for the payment method that will be used. For example, if the original payment method was a CREDIT_CARD and you specify that the new payment method should be a STORED_VALUE_CARD, Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation will use the STORED_VALUE_CARD configuration settings, not the CREDIT_CARD settings, for the refund process.
When Refunding to a New Payment Method	
Use the Following Constraints	Select this option to denote that this payment type has a refund constraint. This allows you to issue a refund using a different payment type if the refund amount is greater than or less than a certain value.
If The Refund Amount is	Choose 'Greater Than' or 'Less Than' from the drop-down menu, and enter a refund amount to use as a constraint.
Refund Using Payment Type	Choose a refund payment type to use if the constraint is valid.
Create Refund Fulfillment Order Using	Select this option to create a refund fulfillment order instead of creating a new payment method.
ItemID	From the drop down menu select the Item ID of the item to fulfill the refund.
UOM	When you select the Item ID, the corresponding UOM is populated.
Create Refund Payment and Charge Request	Select this option to create a refund payment and charge request when refunding to a new payment method.

Table 13. Payment Type Details Pop-Up Window (continued)

Field	Description
Create Refund Payment and Wait for Payment Information	Select this option to not create a refund charge request. This also raises the Incomplete Payment Information event, if it is enabled.

Modifying a Payment Type
About this task

To modify a payment type:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Financials > Payment Types. The Payment Types window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable payment type and choose the **Details** icon. The Payment Type Details pop-up window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 13 on page 46 for field value descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Payment Type
About this task

To delete a payment type:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Financials > Payment Types. The Payment Types window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable payment type and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining Payment Rules

You can set up the rules that the organization uses at the time of payment collection.

You can use the Payment Rules branch for creating, modifying, or deleting a payment rule.

Creating a Payment Rule
About this task

To create a payment rule:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Financials > Payment Rules. The Payment Rules window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Payment Rule Details pop-up window displays.

3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 14 for field value descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 14. Payment Rule Pop-Up Window

Field	Description
Payment Rule ID	Enter the payment rule ID as you would like it to appear throughout the system.
Publish Invoice	Choose At Creation to publish an order's invoice when it is created. Choose At Collection to publish an order's invoice after payment is collected on the invoice. The PUBLISH_INVOICE_DETAIL event must be configured and the Send Invoice time-triggered transaction must be run for an invoice to be published.
Collect Externally Through Accounts Receivable	If checked, all the invoice details are published to an external accounts receivable system. Any collections performed outside of Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation need not be reported. If unchecked, Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation handles all financial collections, provided you have programmed the user exits to do so. If using an external system to handle your accounts, Collect Externally Through Accounts Receivable must be checked and Settlement Required and Authorization Required must be unchecked.
Merchant ID	If the organization uses a third-party agency to handle payments, enter their merchant identifier.
Deferred Credit On Return Required	Select Deferred Credit On Return Required if an event should be raised with the cancelled amount that was not refunded when part of a pre-collected order is cancelled.
Allow Immediate Refund From Hold Amount	Select Allow Immediate Refund From Hold Amount if you want to instantly refund the credit amount from the pre-collected hold amount to the customer. Allow Immediate Refund From Hold Amount is mutually exclusive of Deferred Credit On Return Required.
Settlement Required	Select Settlement Required if payments require settlement before they can be processed.
Ignore Payment Status For Purge	Select Ignore Payment Status For Purge if you want to purge orders regardless of the payment status of the orders. If Settlement Required is selected, Ignore Payment Status For Purge is disabled.
Authorization Required	Select Authorization Required if payments require any type of authorization before they can be processed. If you select this rule, an attached Reauthorization pane is enabled with reauthorization options.

Table 14. Payment Rule Pop-Up Window (continued)

Field	Description
Customer Account Maintained Internally	Select Customer Account Maintained Internally if the payment processing for an account is handled from within Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation. This rule prevents the YFSCollectionCustomerAccountUE user exit from being called for Authorization if the Customer Payment Method has a limit set for it.
Reauthorization	
Authorize Before Scheduling And Reauthorize On Expiration	Select this button if you want payment methods to be authorized before scheduling an order and then reauthorized each time the previous authorization expires. This rule is the default if Authorization Required is enabled.
Only Authorize Charge Transaction Request Total	Select Only Authorize Charge Transaction Request Total to create authorizations for charge transaction requests only. If Charge Transaction Requests exist, the system splits authorizations by the Charge Transaction Requests. If this option is selected and no Charge Transaction Request exists, the system does not authorize the order. If not selected, the system authorizes the order total.
Authorize Before Scheduling and Delay Reauthorization Until	Select this button if you want authorization to take place before the order is scheduled and then to delay reauthorization until the Expected Release Date/Expected Appointment Date. If you enter numbers in the Expected Release Date and the Expected Appointment Date fields and the numbers differ, reauthorization will occur on both dates.
Hours Before Expected Release Date For Products	Enter the number of hours before the Expected Release Date that you want an authorization for product items to take place.
Hours Before Expected Appointment Start Date For Services	Enter the number of hours before Expected Appointment Start Date that you want an authorization for provided and delivery services to take place.
Delay Authorization Until	Select this button if you want authorization to take place only before the Expected Release Date/Expected Appointment Date.
Hours Before Expected Release Date For Products	Enter the number of hours before the Expected Release Date that you want an authorization for product items to take place.
Hours Before Expected Appointment Start Date For Services	Enter the number of hours before Expected Appointment Start Date that you want an authorization for provided and delivery services to take place.

Results

To further explain the business impact of authorization options, Table 15 on page 53, shows that potentially, many authorizations could take place while awaiting inventory with the standard authorization configuration. Only 1-2 authorizations take place when delayed reauthorization is configured.

Table 15. Standard and Delayed Reauthorization

Configuration Options	Before Order is Scheduled	Before Order is Scheduled and Each Time Authorization Expires	$<n>$ Hours Before Release
Authorize Before Scheduling and Reauthorize on Expiration (standard)	AUTH	AUTH...AUTH...AUTH...	AUTH
Authorize Before Scheduling and Delay Reauthorization Until $<n>$ Hours Before Ship Date	AUTH		AUTH
Delay Authorization Until $<n>$ Hours Before Ship Date			AUTH

Modifying a Payment Rule
About this task

To modify a payment rule:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Financials > Payment Rules. The Payment Rules window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable payment rule and choose the **Details** icon. The Payment Rule Details pop-up window displays.
3. Modify information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 14 on page 51 for field value descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Payment Rule
About this task

To delete a payment rule:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Financials > Payment Rules. The Payment Rules window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable payment rule and choose the **Delete** icon.

Chapter 6. Configuring Cross-Application Customer Components

You can define the customers that buy from an organization, and attributes about them such as their classification, primary information, and service preferences.

Configuring Customer Classification Codes

You can configure the customer classification codes to associate with a customer identification master. For more information about creating a customer identification master, refer to the section entitled "Defining Customer Definitions".

You can use the Customer Classification branch for creating, modifying, and deleting customer classifications.

Creating a Customer Classification
About this task

To create a customer classification:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Customer > Customer Rules. The Customer Rules window displays in the work area.
2. Click the Customer Classification tab.
3. Click the **Create New** icon. The Customer Classification Code Details pop-up window displays.
4. In Customer Classification Code, enter the classification ID code.
5. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the classification ID code.
6. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the classification ID code.
7. Click the **Save** icon.

Modifying a Customer Classification
About this task

To modify a customer classification:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Customer > Customer Rules. The Customer Rules window displays in the work area.
2. Click the Customer Classification tab.
3. Select the applicable customer classification code and click the **Details** icon. The Customer Classification Code Details pop-up window displays.
4. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the classification ID code.
5. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the classification ID code.

6. Click the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Customer Classification
About this task

To delete a customer classification:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Customer > Customer Rules. The Customer Rules window displays in the work area.
2. Click the Customer Classification tab.
3. Select the applicable customer classification code and click the **Delete** icon.

Defining Additional Customer Rules
About this task

To define additional customer rules:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Customer > Customer Rules. The Customer Rules window displays in the work area.
2. Click the Other Rules tab.
3. In the Service Slot Group Used By Customer For Slot Preferences field, select from the drop-down list the identifier of the service slot group that is used to define customer preferences.
4. If you want specific users (or members of a team) to manage the relationship with certain customers, select the Manual User To Customer Assignment Is Required check box. This provides the assigned user with access to all of this customer's orders and related information.
5. When you select the Use Parent Customer For Default Address And Payment check box, and if the customer does not have default address or payment information set, the parent customer's default address or payment information will be used for defaulting on the order.
6. Select the Get Customer Grade Information From Sterling Business Intelligence check box to source customer grades from Sterling Business Intelligence™.

   Note: If this check box is selected, ensure that Sterling Business Intelligence is installed and integrated with Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation. If either the installation or integration is incomplete, an error message is displayed. For information about installing Sterling Business Intelligence, refer to *Sterling Business Intelligence™: Installation Guide*. For information about integrating Sterling Business Intelligence with Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation, refer to *Sterling Business Intelligence™: Implementation Guide*.

   If the Get Customer Grade Information From Sterling Business Intelligence check box is not selected, customer grades, if available, are sourced from an external Business Intelligence system and stored in the YFS_CUSTOMER_ANALYTICS table. For additional information about the YFS_CUSTOMER_ANALYTICS table, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

Note: A user exit is provided that enables customers to override this configuration and implement their own custom logic for computing and sourcing customer grades. For additional information about the user exit, YSCGetAdditionalCustomerInformationUE, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

7. In the Default User Group For Customer Users field, select from the drop-down list the user group to be associated with customer users.

8. Click the **Save** icon.

Defining Customer Definitions

You can configure customer definitions that establish a relationship between an organization and its Buyers. When creating a customer definition, you associate an existing Buyer organization with a specific customer ID and classification. The customer identification uniquely identifies the Buyer organization in instances where multiple ERP systems download Buyer information in to Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation.

Creating a Customer Definition
About this task

To create a customer definition:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Customer > Customer Definitions. The Customer Search window displays in the work area.

2. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Customer pop-up window displays.

3. Enter information into the applicable fields. Refer to the following table for field value descriptions.

Table 16. Create Customer Window

Field	Description
This Customer Is a Business	Select this if the customer with whom you trade participates as a company (as in a B2B scenario). If you choose this option, see Business Customer Details in this table for further information specific to this scenario.
This Customer Is a Consumer	Select this if the customer with whom you trade participates as an individual (as in a B2C scenario). If you choose this option, see Business Customer Details in this table for further information specific to this scenario.
Customer ID	Enter the unique Identifier.
Customer Classification	Select the classification, if applicable.
Business Customer Details	
Select Existing Organization	Choose this and select the applicable Buyer if you want to associate the customer ID with an existing Buyer organization.
Create A New Organization	Choose this if you want to create a new organization to associate with the customer.

Table 16. Create Customer Window (continued)

Field	Description
Organization Code	If you chose Create Buyer Organization, enter the Buyer's organization code.
Organization Name	When creating a new organization, enter the Buyer's organization name.
This Organization Is Also a Ship To	When creating a new organization, choose this if the organization also functions as a receiving node.
DUNS Number	If you chose Create Buyer Organization, enter the Buyer's DUNS number.
Account Number With Hub	If you chose Create Buyer Organization, enter the Buyer's account number with the Hub organization.
Locale	If you chose Create Buyer Organization, select the Buyer's locale.
Identifies This Enterprise As	Enter the customer assigned Vendor Identifier with which the customer identifies this Enterprise.
Send Functional Acknowledgement	Check this box if a functional acknowledgement must be sent to the customer.
Functional Acknowledgement Time (Hrs)	Enter the number of hour taken by the supplier to send the functional acknowledgement.
Send Commitment	Check this box if a commitment must be sent to the customer.
Commitment Time (Hrs)	Enter the number of hours taken by the supplier to send the commitment.
Send ASN	Check this box if an Advanced Shipment Notice (ASN) must be sent to the customer.
Consumer Address Details	
Address	Enter the consumer's name and shipping address.
Contact Info	Enter the consumer's telephone, cell phone, fax number, and e-mail address.

4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying a Customer Definition
About this task

To modify a customer definition:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Customer > Customer Definitions. The Customer Search window displays in the work area.
2. Enter applicable search criteria and choose the **Search** icon. A list of customers displays.

3. Locate the applicable customer and choose the **Modify** icon. The Customer window displays.

Defining the Customer's Primary Information

The information displayed on the Primary Information tab depends on whether the customer is a consumer or a business.

If the Customer Is a Consumer:
About this task

If the customer is a consumer, a consumer address panel displays. Click the **Details** icon to edit the consumer's address.

A customer that is a consumer may have as many ship to addresses as it wants to define. A child customer in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation is defined as a node organization. Therefore, you can use the Child Customers panel to add, modify, or delete organizations to which products can alternatively be shipped. Use the **Create New** icon to define a new one, the **Details** icon to modify an existing one, or the **Delete** icon to delete an existing one.

If the Customer Is a Business: If the customer is a business, an organization field displays, as well as a Ship To inner panel. You can click the **Details** icon to edit the organization details. For more information about configuring organizations, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

A business customer may have as many ship to addresses as it may wish to define. A Ship To address in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation is defined as a node organization. Therefore, you can use the Ship To panel to add, modify or delete organizations to which products can alternatively be shipped. Use the **Create New** icon to define a new one, the **Details** icon to modify an existing one, or the **Delete** icon to delete an existing one.

While creating additional ship to addresses, you may want to specify an organization that is an independent buyer. When a customer is not a buyer organization, it cannot have multiple ship to addresses. Therefore, in the create window that pops up through the Ship To inner panel, the

`This Organization Is Also a Ship To`

radio button is replaced with a `This Organization Is Also A Buyer` radio button.

Defining Customer Service Preferences

Customers defined in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation can specify slot preferences for deliveries in the Service Preferences window.

Refer to the following table for field value descriptions:

Table 17. Delivery Preferences

Field	Description
Consider Supplemental Capacity While Planning Appointment By Default	Check this if you want to consider supplemental capacity by default when planning an appointment for this customer.
When Appointments Are Planned For This Customer	

Table 17. Delivery Preferences (continued)

Field	Description
Any Slot Can Be Used	Check this if any slot can be used when planning an appointment for this customer. The Slot Preferences table is hidden then.
Specific Slots Must Be Used	Check this if only the slots specified in the Slot Preferences table can be used when planning an appointment for this customer.
Customer Prefers Specific Slots (Other Slots Can Be Used)	Check this if the slots specified in the Slot Preferences table preferred slot table.
Slot Preferences	
Slot	The name of the slot.
Start Time	The start time of the slot, in 24 hour format.
End Time	The end time of the slot, in 24 hour format.
Sun	Check this if you want this slot to be part of the customer's preferred slots.
Mon	Check this if you want this slot to be part of the customer's preferred slots.
Tue	Check this if you want this slot to be part of the customer's preferred slots.
Wed	Check this if you want this slot to be part of the customer's preferred slots.
Thu	Check this if you want this slot to be part of the customer's preferred slots.
Fri	Check this if you want this slot to be part of the customer's preferred slots.
Sat	Check this if you want this slot to be part of the customer's preferred slots.

Answering Customer Address Questions
About this task

Answering address questions for a customer populates answers for address questions the next time this customer places an order.

Procedure

From the Service Preferences tab, select the Address Questions tab. If configured, the address questions configured for the Enterprise appear.

Defining Customer Scheduling Constraints

You can define scheduling constraints for a specific customer by specifying these scheduling preferences. Constraints passed at the order level override customer scheduling preferences.

Refer to the following table for field value descriptions:

Table 18. Customer Scheduling Constraints

Field	Description
Constraints	

Table 18. Customer Scheduling Constraints (continued)

Field	Description
Ship from Single Node	Check this box to ensure that orders are shipped from a single node. this automatically checks the Line Ship from Single Node checkbox.
Line Ship from Single Node	Check this box to ensure that order lines are shipped from a single node. This is disabled if the Ship from Single Node checkbox is checked.
Ship Complete	Check this box to ensure that order are shipped complete. This automatically checks the Line Ship complete checkbox.
Line Ship Complete	Check this box to ensure that order lines are shipped complete. This is disabled fit he Ship Complete checkbox is checked.
Inventory Controls	
Cancel Order for Inventory Shortage	Check this box to cancel the backordered quantity in the event of inventory shortage.
Allow item Substitution If Inventory Is Not Available	Check this box to allow item substitution if inventory for the selected item is not available.
Sourcing Controls	
Allow Scheduling Against The Node That Requires Drop Ship Chained Order Creation	Check this box to allow scheduling against the node that requires a drop-shipped chained order to be created.

Defining Multiple Contacts for Each Customer

You can define multiple contacts for each customer. These contacts represent individuals at a customer location. Refer to the following table for more information.

Field   Definition

Customer Contact ID
>   The ID of the customer contact.

Last Name
>   The contact's last name.

First Name
>   The contact's first name.

Email Address
>   The contact's e-mail address.

User ID
>   The user ID of the contact.

Spending Limit
>   The contact's spending limit, if defined.

Defining Customer Contact Information:
About this task

To define customer contact information:

Procedure

1. From the Customer Definition screen, select the Contacts tab. The Customer Contact Info screen displays.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon to add an additional customer contact.
3. Select the Customer Contact Info tab.
4. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to the following table for field values.

Table 19. Customer Contact Information

Field	Description
Name	
First Name	Enter the contact's first name.
Middle Name	Enter the contact's middle name.
Last Name	Enter the contact's last name.
Company	Enter the company at which the contact works.
Phone	
Day time Phone	Enter the contact's day time phone number.
Evening Phone	Enter the contact's event phone number.
Cell Phone	Enter the contact's cellular phone number.
Fax	Enter the contact's fax number.
Email	Enter the contact's fax number.
User ID	Enter the contact's user ID.
Date of Birth	Enter the contact's date of birth.
Spouse Date of Birth	Enter the contact's spouse's date of birth.
Wedding Anniversary	Enter the contact's wedding anniversary.
Customer Contact ID	Enter the contact's customer contact ID.

5. Choose OK.

Defining Limits for Customer Contacts:
About this task

To define limits for customer contacts:

Procedure

1. From the Customer Definition screen, select the Contacts tab. The Customer Contact Info screen displays.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon to add an additional customer contact.
3. Select the Limits tab.
4. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to the following table for field value descriptions:

Table 20. Limits for Customer Contacts

Field	Description
Approval	

Table 20. Limits for Customer Contacts (continued)

Field	Description
Spending Limit	Enter the spending limit for the customer contact. Choose the currency in which the spending limit is configured from the drop-down list. To create a new currency, choose and enter information about the applicable fields.
Approver User ID	Enter the user ID of the primary approver.
Approver Proxy	Enter the proxy for the approver.

5. Choose OK.

Defining Additional Contact Addresses:
Procedure
1. From the Customer Definition screen, select the Contacts tab. The Customer Contact Info screen displays.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon to add an additional customer contact information. The Customer Contact Info screen displays.
3. Select the Additional Addresses tab.
4. Refer to Step 2 in the section entitled "Defining Additional Addresses" for information about defining additional addresses.

Defining Additional Addresses for a Customer:
About this task

You can define multiple additional or alternative addresses for a customer or contact. Refer to the following table for field value descriptions.

Field   Description

Additional Address ID
> The ID of the additional address.

Is Ship To
> This field appears checked if the address is configured as a ship to address.

Is Default Ship To
> This field appears checked if the address is configured as the default ship to address.

Is Bill To
> This field appears checked if the address is configured as a bill to address.

Is Default Bill To
> This field appears checked if the address is configured as the default bill to address.

To define an additional address:

Procedure
1. From the Customer Definition screen, select the Additional Address tab. The Additional address screen displays.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon to add an additional address.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to the following table for field values.

Field   Description

Additional Address ID
Enter an ID for the additional address

Is Bill To
Check this box if this is a bill to address.

Is Default Bill To
Check this box if this is the default bill to address.

Is Ship To
Check this box if this is a ship to address.

Is Default Ship To
Check this box if this is the default ship to address.

Is Sold To
Check this box if this is a sold to address.

Is Default Sold To
Check this box if this is the default sold to address.

4. Choose the **Details** icon to enter the additional address.
5. Choose OK.

Deleting a Customer Definition
About this task

To delete a customer definition:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Customer > Customer Definitions. The Customer Search window displays in the work area.
2. Enter applicable search criteria and choose the **Search** icon. A list of customers displays.
3. Locate the applicable customer and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining Contact Types

You can configure the contact types of both business and consumer customers when specifying the contact information of a customer on work order notes. For more information about creating a customer, refer to the section entitled "Defining Customer Definitions".

You can use the Contact Types branch for creating, modifying, or deleting a customer contact type.

Creating a Customer Contact Type
About this task

To create a contact type:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Customer > Contact Types. The Customer Contact Types window displays in the work area.

2. Click the **Create New** icon. The Contact Type Details pop-up window displays.

3. In Contact Type, enter the contact type.

4. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the contact type.

5. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the contact type.

6. Click the **Save** icon.

Modifying a Customer Contact Type
About this task

To modify a contact type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Customer > Contact Types. The Customer Contact Types window displays in the work area.

2. Select the applicable contact type and click the **Details** icon. The Contact Type Details pop-up window displays.

3. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the contact type.

4. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the contact type.

5. Click the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Customer Contact Type
About this task

To delete a contact type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Customer > Contact Types. The Contact Types window displays in the work area.

2. Select the contact type and click the **Delete** icon.

Chapter 7. Configuring Cross Application Service Execution Components

Configuring Service Supervisors

You can specify the supervisor associated with a node for a given seller organization. You can also assign a default supervisor to a node for all seller organizations.

The system allows you assign only one supervisor for a given node and seller organization combination. The default supervisor can only be a supervisor of a node, if no other supervisor is defined for that node and seller organization combination. If both are defined, the supervisor specified for a node and seller organization combination takes precedence over the default supervisor.

Note: The supervisor must be a user defined in the context of the node that is being configured. For more information about configuring users, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Defining a Service Supervisor for a Node
About this task

To define a service supervisor for a node:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Service Execution > Service Supervisors. The Node Supervisor Search window displays.
2. Enter the applicable search criteria and choose the **Search** icon. A list of nodes displays. Select the node to which you want to assign the supervisor and choose the **Details** icon. The Supervisor Setup pop-up window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. See Table 21 for field value descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 21. Supervisor Setup pop-up window

Field	Description
Default Supervisor	Select the default supervisor from the drop-down list. If a supervisor is not defined for a given seller organization for this node, the user specified becomes that supervisor of the node for all non-specified seller organizations.
Supervisor Setup	
Seller Organization	Select the seller organization from the drop-down list. If you define a seller organization, you must select a supervisor identifier in the Supervisor ID field.
Supervisor ID	Select the supervisor identifier from the drop-down list. If you define a supervisor, you must select a seller organization in the Seller Organization field.

Modifying a Service Supervisor for a Node
About this task

To modify a service supervisor for a node:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Service Execution > Service Supervisors. The Node Supervisor Search window displays.
2. Enter the applicable search criteria and choose the **Search** icon. The Nodes list displays. Select the node for which you want to assign a supervisor and choose the **Details** icon. The Supervisor Setup pop-up window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. See Table 21 on page 67 for field value descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Service Supervisor for a Node
About this task

To delete a service supervisor for a node:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Service Execution > Service Supervisors. The Node Supervisor Search window displays.
2. Enter the applicable search criteria and choose the **Search** icon. A list of node displays. Select the node to which you want to assign a supervisor and choose the **Details** icon. The Supervisor Setup pop-up window displays.
3. Select the row which contains the seller organization and supervisor ID that you want to delete and choose the **Delete** icon.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Configuring Address Questions

You can define a set of questions that the customer can be asked when it is determined that additional address information is required.

Defining Address Question Groups
About this task

To define address question groups:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Service Execution > Questions. The Questions window displays in the work area. The Address Questions tab displays by default.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Question Group Details pop-up window displays. Refer to the following table for field values.

Table 22. Question Group Details

Fields	
Question Group ID	Enter the unique question group ID.
Question Group Text	Enter the question group text as you want it to appear in the UI.

3. Enter information in the applicable fields.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

   Note: Identifiers are unique across Question IDs and Question Group IDs.

Modifying Address Question Groups
About this task

To modify address question groups:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Service Execution > Questions. The Questions window displays in the work area. The Address Questions tab displays by default.
2. Select the question group you want to modify and choose the **Details** icon. The Question Group Details pop-up window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to the Question Group Details table for field value descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting Address Question Groups
About this task

To delete address question groups:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Service Execution > Questions. The Questions window displays in the work area. The Address Questions tab displays by default.
2. Select the Question Group you want to delete, and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining Address Questions
About this task

To define address questions:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Service Execution > Questions. The Questions window displays in the work area. The Address Questions tab displays by default.
2. Questions can be defined from the root level, a question group, or an answer option. If a question derives from an answer option, in the console it appears on the questionnaire only when the corresponding answer option has been selected. Follow-up questions cannot be added to answer options for other follow-up questions, however several follow-up questions can be added to the

same answer option for a question. Furthermore, follow-up questions can only be defined off of the 'Yes' Answer Option from a checkbox, or Answer Options whose display control type is Dropdown or Radio Button.

Select the desired location for the question and choose the **Create New** icon. The Question Details pop-up window displays. Refer to the following table for field value descriptions.

Table 23. Question Details

Fields	
Question ID	Enter the question identifier.
Question Text	Enter the question text as you want the question to appear in the UI.
Data Type	Select the data type for the answers. The data type you select governs the possible display control type options: Text - Textbox, Text Area, Dropdown, Radio Button Integer - Textbox Decimal - Textbox Boolean - Checkbox
Display Control Type	Select how you want the answer options to appear in the UI. The Display Control Types available depend on the Data Type you have selected.
Answer Options - the following fields appear when you have chosen Dropdown or Radio Button as the desired display control type.	
Value	Enter the value for the answer option.
Display Text	Enter the answer option text as you want the answer to appear in the UI.

3. Enter information in the applicable fields.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying Address Questions
About this task

To modify address questions:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Service Execution > Questions. The Questions window displays in the work area. The Address Questions tab displays by default.
2. Select the question you want to modify, and choose the **Details** icon. The Question Details pop-up window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to the Question Details table for field value descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting Address Questions
About this task

To delete address questions:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Service Execution > Questions. The Questions window displays in the work area. The Address Questions tab displays by default.
2. Select the question you want to delete, and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining Capacity Impact

About this task

You can define capacity impact for an answer option which is added to the capacity demand on the order, based on service type. You can add different capacity impact values for different service types. There are two types of capacity impact:

Fixed Capacity Impact - A fixed capacity value can be added to a 'Yes' Answer Option from a checkbox, or Answer Options whose display control type is Dropdown or Radio Button.

Capacity Impact Multiplier - A capacity multiplier value can be added to a Answer Option whose display control type is Integer or Decimal. The value is multiplied by the numeric answer given to determine the amount of capacity to add.

To define capacity impact:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Service Execution > Questions. The Questions window displays in the work area. The Address Questions tab displays by default.
2. Select the Answer Option to which you want to add Capacity Impact and click the **Check Additional Questions** icon. The Answer Option Details pop-up window displays.

Table 24. Answer Option Details

Fields	
Question ID	The identifier for the question this answer option is for.
Question Text	The text for the question this answer option is for.
Answer Option Value	The value of the answer option.
Answer Option Text	The text for the answer option.
Answer Capacity Impact	
Service Type	Select the Service Type for which capacity is added.
Fixed Capacity Impact	If available, enter the amount of capacity you want to add if this answer option is selected.
Capacity Impact Multiplier	If available, enter the value you want to multiply the answer by, which determines the amount of capacity to add for this answer option.
UOM	The unit of measure for the selected Service Type. This field is not modifiable.

3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 24 for field value descriptions.

4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying Capacity Impact

About this task

To modify capacity impact:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Service Execution > Questions. The Questions window displays in the work area. The Address Questions tab displays by default.
2. Select the Answer Option for which you want to modify Capacity Impact and click the **Check Additional Questions** icon. The Answer Option Details pop-up window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. See Table 24 on page 71 for field value descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting Capacity Impact

About this task

To delete capacity impact:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Cross Application > Service Execution > Questions. The Questions window displays in the work area. The Address Questions tab displays by default.
2. Select the Answer Option for which you want to remove Capacity Impact and click the **Check Additional Questions** icon. The Answer Option Details pop-up window displays.
3. Select the Capacity Impact you want to delete and choose the **Delete** icon.

Rearranging Address Question Entities

The questionnaire tree represents how the questionnaire appears in the console. By arranging question groups, questions, and answer options, and you modify how you want the questionnaire to appear in the console.

There are two methods you can use to move question groups, questions, and answer options, depending on how you want to move.

Using the **Up Arrow** icon and the **Down Arrow** icon, you can move question groups, questions and answer options up and down the questionnaire tree, within the entity it is currently contained in:

- **Questions Groups** - these can be arranged on the questionnaire tree at the root level.
- **Questions** - these can be arranged within a question group, in and out of question groups, and up and down levels.
- **Answer Options** - these can be arranged within a question.

Using the drag and drop functionality, you can:

- Move questions in and out of question groups

- Change a follow-up question into a stand-alone question by dropping onto a question group or the root of the tree
- Change a question into a follow-up question by dropping onto an answer option that allows follow-up questions.

The questionnaire tree represents how the questions appear in the Questionnaire in the console. By arranging question groups, questions, and answer options, and you modify how you want the questionnaire to appear in the console.

Chapter 8. Configuring a Document's Attributes

Configuring a Document's Attributes

You can define common codes as they pertain to order documents viewed in the Application Consoles.

You can use the Order Attributes branch to:

- Define order types
- Define order sources
- Define external references for the order level
- Define external references for the order line level
- Define order address types
- Define line types
- Define other attributes

Defining Order Types

About this task

You can define codes for order types that appear on a document type. This code has no application logic associated with it and can be set up as per your business practices. Examples of order types are Consumer Orders, Service Rep Orders, and Retail Orders.

You can use the Order Types tab for creating, modifying, and deleting an order type.

Creating an Order Type
About this task

To create an order type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Attributes. The Order Attributes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Order Types tab.
3. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Order Type Details pop-up window displays.
4. In Order Type, enter the name of the order type.
5. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the order type.
6. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the order type.
7. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying an Order Type
About this task

To modify a order type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Attributes. The Order Attributes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Order Types tab.
3. Select the applicable order type and choose the **Details** icon. The Order Type Details pop-up window displays.
4. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the order type.
5. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the order type.
6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting an Order Type
About this task

To delete a order type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Attributes. The Order Attributes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Order Types tab.
3. Select the applicable order type and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining Order Sources

You can define codes for order sources that appear on a document type. This code has no application logic associated with it and can be set up as per your business practices.

You can use the Order Sources tab for creating, modifying, or deleting an order source.

Creating an Order Source
About this task

To create an order source:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Attributes. The Order Attributes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Order Sources tab.
3. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Order Source Details pop-up window displays.
4. In Order Source, enter the name of the order source.
5. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the order source.
6. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the order source.
7. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying an Order Source

About this task

To modify a order source:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Attributes. The Order Attributes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Order Sources tab.
3. Select the applicable order source and choose the **Details** icon. The Order Source Details pop-up window displays.
4. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the order source.
5. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the order source.
6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting an Order Source

About this task

To delete a order source:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Attributes. The Order Attributes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Order Sources tab.
3. Select the applicable order source and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining External References for the Order Level

You can define codes for external references that appear on a document type at the order level. This code has no application logic associated with it and can be set up as per your business practices. You can create, modify, and delete external references.

You can use the Order References tab to create, modify, or delete an external reference for the order header level.

Creating an External Reference for the Order Header Level

About this task

To create an order reference for the order level:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Attributes. The Order Attributes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Order References tab.
3. From the Order Header External References list choose the **Create New** icon. The External Reference Details pop-up window displays.
4. In External Reference, enter the name of the external reference.

5. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the external reference.
6. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the external reference.
7. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying an External Reference for the Order Header Level
About this task

To modify an external reference for the order level:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Attributes. The Order Attributes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Order References tab.
3. In Order Header External References select the applicable external reference and choose the **Details** icon. The External Reference Details pop-up window displays.
4. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the external reference.
5. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the external reference.
6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting an External Reference for the Order Header Level
About this task

To delete an external reference for the order level:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Attributes. The Order Attributes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Order References tab.
3. In Order Header External References select the applicable external reference and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining External References for the Order Line Level

You can define codes for external references that appear on a document type at the order line level. This code has no application logic associated with it and can be set up as per your business practices. You can create, modify, and delete external references.

You can use the Order References tab to create, modify, or delete an external reference for the order line level.

Creating an External Reference for the Order Line Level
About this task

To create an order reference for the order line level:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Attributes. The Order Attributes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Order References tab.
3. From the Order Line External References list choose the **Create New** icon. The External Reference Details pop-up window displays.
4. In External Reference, enter the name of the external reference.
5. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the external reference.
6. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the external reference.
7. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying an External Reference for the Order Line Level
About this task

To modify an external reference for the order line level:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Attributes. The Order Attributes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Order References tab.
3. In Order Line External References select the applicable external reference and choose the **Details** icon. The External Reference Details pop-up window displays.
4. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the external reference.
5. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the external reference.
6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting an External Reference for the Order Line Level
About this task

To delete an external reference for the order level:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Attributes. The Order Attributes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Order References tab.
3. In the Order Line External References list select the applicable external reference and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining Order Address Types

You can define codes for order address types that appear in the Additional Addresses view in the User Interface for a document type.

You can use the Order Address Types tab to create, modify, or delete an order address type.

Creating an Order Address Type

About this task

To create an order address type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Attributes. The Order Attributes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Order Address Types tab.
3. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Order Address Type Details pop-up window displays.
4. In Order Address Type, enter the name of the order address type.
5. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the order address type.
6. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the order address type.
7. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying an Order Address Type

About this task

To modify a order address type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Attributes. The Order Attributes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Order Address Types tab.
3. Select the applicable order address type and choose the **Details** icon. The Order Address Type Details pop-up window displays.
4. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the order type.
5. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the order type.
6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting an Order Address Type

About this task

To delete a order address type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Attributes. The Order Attributes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Order Address Types tab.
3. Select the applicable order address type and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining Line Types

You can define codes and for line types that appear on a document type.

You can use the Line Types tab to create, modify, or delete a line type.

Creating a Line Type
About this task

To create a line type:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Attributes. The Order Attributes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Line Types tab.
3. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Line Type Details pop-up window displays.
4. In Line Type, enter the name of the line type.
5. In Description, enter a brief description of the line type.
6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying a Line Type
About this task

To modify a line type:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Attributes. The Order Attributes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Line Types tab.
3. Select the applicable line type and choose the **Details** icon. The Line Type Details pop-up window displays.
4. In Description, enter a brief description of the line type.
5. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Line Type
About this task

To delete a line type:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Attributes. The Order Attributes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Line Types tab.
3. Select the applicable line type and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining Other Attributes

You can define other attributes that appear on the document type.

You can use the Others tab for generating a prime line number from a pre-configured number.

Generating a Prime Line Number for a New Line from a Pre-Configured Number

About this task

Generating a prime line number for a new line from a pre-configured number prevents conflicts between prime line numbers in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation and in an external system when order synchronization occurs.

To specify a pre-configured starting number:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Attributes. The Order Attributes window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Others tab.
3. In Generate Prime Line No. For New Line Starting From, enter the starting number. The starting prime line number must be a positive integer
4. If you select the Assign Group Sequence Number To Order Lines option, order lines created during order creation or order modification are assigned sequence numbers to sort order lines based on their relationships.
5. Choose the **Save** icon.

Results

The value entered in the "Generate Prime Line Number for New Line Starting From:" field only affects orders created through the Console UI, not through direct API calls (e.g. createOrder())

Chapter 9. Configuring a Document's Order Validation

Configuring a Document's Order Validation

About this task

You can define the configuration for defaulting Seller and Buyer validation during order creation for a particular Enterprise and document type. This validation is used to determine the Sellers and Buyers available to create an order for, and narrows the search results in the Application Consoles based on the validation type you configured.

For example, you are configuring a Hub environment with 10 Enterprises, 50 Sellers, and 100 Buyers. A particular Enterprise only interacts with 10 of the 50 Sellers and 25 of the 100 Buyers as defined in the organization hierarchy. If you set both the Seller and Buyer validations to 'Defined In The Enterprise Hierarchy', when a user creates an order the system verifies that the Seller on the order is one of the 10 Sellers defined in the Enterprise's hierarchy and the Buyer on the order is one of the 25 Buyers defined in the Enterprise's hierarchy. Also, if the user chooses the lookup for either the Seller or Buyer fields, only the Sellers and Buyers defined for the Enterprise appear in the results.

To define an order document's order validation:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Order Validation. The Order Validation pop-up window displays in the work area.
2. Enter information into the applicable fields. Refer to Table 25 for field value descriptions.
3. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 25. Order Validation Pop-Up Window

Field	Description
Seller Validation	Select the type of validation you want to use to verify the Seller on the order document. You can choose from the following options:
	• None - No validation is performed for Sellers on an order. All Sellers in the system can be used during order creation. Also, all Sellers in the system display when the Seller lookup is chosen in the Application Consoles.

Table 25. Order Validation Pop-Up Window (continued)

Field	Description
	• Same As Enterprise - The system validates the Seller on the order is the Enterprise. • Defined In The Enterprise Hierarchy - The system validates that the Seller on the order is defined within the Enterprise's organizational hierarchy. Also, only the Sellers defined within the Enterprise's organizational hierarchy display when the Seller lookup is chosen in the Application Consoles. For more information about configuring the organizational hierarchy, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*. Customer Of The Enterprise - The system validates that the Seller on the order has been configured as a customer. Also, only the organizations defined as customers of the Enterprise display when the Seller lookup is chosen in the Application Consoles.
Buyer Validation	Select the type of validation you want to use to verify the Buyer on the order document. You can choose from the following options: • None - No validation is performed for Buyers on an order. All Buyers in the system can be used during order creation. Also, all Buyers in the system display when the Buyer lookup is chosen in the Application Consoles. • Save As Enterprise - The system validates the Buyer on the order is the Enterprise. • Defined In The Enterprise Hierarchy - The system validates that the Buyer on the order is defined within the Enterprise's organizational hierarchy. Also, only the Buyers defined within the Enterprise's organizational hierarchy display when the Buyer lookup is chosen in the Application Consoles. For more information about configuring the organizational hierarchy, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*. • Customer of the Enterprise - The system validates that the Buyer on the order has been configured as a customer. Also, only the organizations defined as customers of the Enterprise display when the Buyer lookup is chosen in the Application Consoles.
Validate Bill To ID As Customer ID	Select Validate Bill To ID As Customer ID if you want to validate that the customer ID on an order is defined for the Enterprise.
Validate Vendor ID	Select Validate Vendor ID if you want to validate that the vendor ID on an order is defined for the Enterprise.
Validate Item	Select Validate Item if you want to validate that the product items on the order belong to the Enterprises catalog. Service items, on the other hand, always need to exist within .

Chapter 10. Configuring a Document's Return Reasons

You can define common codes for return reasons used when creating a return order. This common code identifies why the item(s) or service(s) for the document type are being returned.

Creating a Return Reason

About this task

To create a return reason:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *The Order Document Type You Want to Work With (ex. Return Order)* > Return Reasons. The Return Reason window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Return Reason Details pop-up window displays.
3. In Return Reason, enter the name of the return reason.
4. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the return reason.
5. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the return reason.
6. If this return reason requires that the order be repriced due to a reduced quantity, check the Re-Price Sales Order With Reduced Quantity checkbox.

   This flag is applicable only where repricing needs to occur against a reduced quantity: the quantity against which the order line is repriced (repricing quantity) is adjusted to the reduced quantity. For more information on repricing quantity, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

   If this return reason is used for a modification which does not reduce quantity, this flag is not applicable.

   This field does not exist for Load Modification Reasons.
7. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying a Return Reason

About this task

To modify a return reason:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *The Order Document Type You Want to Work With (ex. Return Order)* > Return Reasons. The Return Reason window displays in the work area.
2. From the Return Reasons table, select the applicable return reason and choose the **Details** icon. The Return Reason Details pop-up window displays.
3. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the return reason.
4. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the return reason.
5. If this return reason requires that the order be repriced due to a reduced quantity, check the Re-Price Sales Order With Reduced Quantity checkbox.

This flag is applicable only where repricing needs to occur against a reduced quantity: the quantity against which the order line is repriced (repricing quantity) is adjusted to the reduced quantity. For more information on repricing quantity, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

If this return reason is used for a modification which does not reduce quantity, this flag is not applicable.

This field does not exist for Load Modification Reasons.

6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Chapter 11. Configuring a Document's Instruction Types

Configuring a Document's Instruction Types

You can define the common codes used when adding special instructions to an order document.

The default instruction types of Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation are:
- PICK
- PACK
- SHIP
- GIFT
- ORDERING
- OTHER

You can use the Instruction Types branch to create, modify, or delete an instruction type.

Creating an Instruction Type

About this task

To create an instruction type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Instruction Types. The Instruction Types window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Instruction Type Details pop-up window displays.
3. In Instruction Type, enter the instruction type.
4. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the instruction type.
5. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the instruction type.
6. Check Automatically Copy Item Instruction with Matching Type To Order Line to force the system to automatically copy item instructions with matching instruction types to order lines when the items are added onto an order.
7. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying an Instruction Type

About this task

To modify an instruction type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Instruction Types. The Instruction Types window displays in the work area.

2. Select the applicable instruction type and choose the **Details** icon. The Instruction Type Details pop-up window displays.
3. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the instruction type.
4. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the instruction type.
5. Check Automatically Copy Item Instruction with Matching Type To Order Line to force the system to automatically copy item instructions with matching instruction types to order lines when the items are added onto an order.
6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting an Instruction Type

About this task

To delete an instruction type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Instruction Types. The Instruction Types window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable instruction type and choose the **Delete** icon.

Chapter 12. Configuring a Document's Modification Reasons

Configuring a Document's Modification Reasons

You can define common codes for **modification reasons**. These codes define why a modification was made by a user in the Application Consoles.

In addition to modification reasons, the codes that you define are used as hold reasons when you put an order on hold in the Application Consoles.

You can use the Modification Reasons branch for creating, modifying, and deleting a modification reason.

Creating a Modification Reason

About this task

To create a modification reason:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Modification Reasons. The Modification Reasons window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Modification Reason Details pop-up window displays.
3. In Modification Reason, enter the modification reason.
4. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the modification reason.
5. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the modification reason.
6. If this modification reason requires that the order be repriced due to a reduced quantity, check the Re-Price Order With Reduced Quantity checkbox.

   This flag is applicable only if this modification reason is used for cancellations, where repricing needs to occur against a reduced quantity: the quantity against which the order line is repriced (repricing quantity) is adjusted to the reduced quantity. For more information about repricing quantity, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

   If this modification reason is used for a modification that does not reduce quantity, this flag is not applicable.

   This field does not exist for Load Modification Reasons.
7. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying a Modification Reason

About this task

To modify a modification reason:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Modification Reasons. The Modification Reasons window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable modification reason and choose the **Details** icon. The Modification Reason Details pop-up window displays.
3. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the modification reason.
4. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the modification reason.
5. If this modification reason requires that the order be repriced due to a reduced quantity, check the Re-Price Order With Reduced Quantity checkbox.

   This flag is applicable only if this modification reason is used for cancellations, where repricing needs to occur against a reduced quantity: the quantity against which the order line is repriced (repricing quantity) is adjusted to the reduced quantity. For more information about repricing quantity, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

   If this modification reason is used for a modification that does not reduce quantity, this flag is not applicable.

   This field does not exist for Load Modification Reasons.
6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Modification Reason

About this task

To delete a modification reason:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Modification Reasons. The Modification Reasons window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable modification reason and choose the **Delete** icon.

Chapter 13. Configuring a Document's Backorder Reasons

Configuring a Document's Backorder Reasons

You can define common codes for **backorder reasons**. These codes describe why an order was backordered.

The default backorder reason of Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation is "No Stock."

You can use the Backorder Reasons branch for creating, modifying, and deleting a backorder reason.

Creating a Backorder Reason

About this task

To create a backorder reason:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Backorder Reasons. The Backorder Reasons window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Backorder Reason Details pop-up window displays.
3. In Backorder Reason, enter the backorder reason.
4. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the backorder reason.
5. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the backorder reason.
6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying a Backorder Reason

About this task

To modify a backorder reason:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Backorder Reasons. The Backorder Reasons window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable backorder reason and choose the **Details** icon. The Backorder Reason Details pop-up window displays.
3. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the backorder reason.
4. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the backorder reason.
5. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Backorder Reason

About this task

To delete a backorder reason:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Backorder Reasons. The Backorder Reasons window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable backorder reason and choose the **Delete** icon.

Chapter 14. Configuring a Document's Note Reasons

Configuring a Document's Note Reasons

You can define reason codes for entering a note. These codes define why a note was entered by a user in the Console.

You can use the Note Reasons branch for creating, modifying, and deleting a note reason.

Creating a Note Reason

About this task

To create a note reason:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Note Reasons. The Note Reasons window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Note Reason Details window displays.
3. In Note Reason, enter the note reason as you want it to appear throughout the system.
4. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the note reason.
5. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the note reason.
6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying a Note Reason

About this task

To modify a note reason:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Note Reasons. The Note Reasons window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable appointment failure reason and choose the **Details** icon. The Note Reason Details window displays.
3. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the note reason.
4. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the note reason.
5. Choose the **Save** icon.

Creating a New Note Reason Based on an Existing One

About this task

To create a new note reason based on an existing one:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Note Reasons. The Note Reasons window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable note reason and choose the **Save As** icon. The Note Reason Details window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Note Reason

About this task

To delete a note reason:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Note Reasons. The Note Reasons window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable appointment failure reason and choose the **Delete** icon. The Confirmation window displays.
3. Choose OK.

Chapter 15. Configuring a Document's Line Relationship Type

Configuring a Document's Line Relationship Type

You can define the relationship types used when linking two related lines together. These relationships are used to group similar products together on an order.

Defining a Line Relationship Type

About this task

To create a line relationship type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Line Relationship Type. The Line Relationship Type window appears in the work area.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Line Relationship Details window appears.
3. In Relationship Type, enter the relationship type as you want it to appear throughout the system.
4. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the relationship type.
5. In Long description, enter a more detailed description of the relationship type.
6. To enable sorting on this relationship type, check the Consider For Sorting checkbox.
7. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying a Line Relationship Type

About this task

To modify a line relationship type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Line Relationship Type. The Relationship Type window appears in the work area.
2. Select the applicable relationship and choose the **Details** icon. The Relationship Type Details window appears.
3. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the relationship type.
4. In Long description, enter a more detailed description of the relationship type.
5. To enable sorting on this relationship type, check the Consider For Sorting checkbox.
6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Creating a New Line Relationship Type Based on an Existing One

About this task

To create a new line relationship type based on an exiting one.

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Line Relationship Type. The Relationship Type window appears in the work area.
2. Select the applicable relationship type and choose the **Save As** icon. The Relationship Type Details window appears.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Line Relationship Type
About this task

To delete a line relationship type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Line Relationship Type. The Relationship Type window appears in the work area.
2. Select the applicable relationship type and choose the **Delete** icon. The Confirmation window appears.
3. Choose OK.

Chapter 16. Configuring a Document's Modification Components

Configuring a Document's Modification Components

You can configure the modification rules and types of a document when it is in a specific status. These rules determine which parts of a document can be modified as well as in which status the modifications can be performed. The set of rules and types can be classified into modification groups. Each modification group can be associated with a user-defined condition.

If you are using the Distributed Order Management module, you can configure modification components at the following process type levels:

- Fulfillment
- Outbound Logistics

If you are using the Logistics Management module, you can configure modification components at the load process type level.

If you are using the Supply Collaboration module, you can configure modification components at the following process type levels:

- Fulfillment
- Inbound Logistics
- Receipt
- Negotiation

If you are using the Reverse Logistics module, you can configure modification components at the following process type levels:

- Fulfillment
- Logistics
- Receipt

You can use the Order Modification branch to define custom modification types, modification groups, modifications impacting pricing, and modifications requiring auditing.

Defining Custom Modification Types

You can define custom modification types for a process type. Creating a modification type allows you to classify certain attributes (including extended attributes) into one group. Later, when you define status modification groups, you can configure modification rules for the custom modification type. Modification rules determine modification permissions for the attributes. You can decide whether to allow, disallow, or ignore the custom modification type for a given status.

You can use the Order Modification Types branch for creating, modifying, and deleting a custom modification type. After you define a custom modification type, use the Status Modification Group Details window to configure modification rules for the custom modification type.

Creating a Custom Modification Type
About this task

To create a custom modification type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > *(Process Type)* > *(Process Type)* Modification > *(Process Type)* Modification Types. The Custom Modification List window displays in the work area.
2. From the Custom Modification List, click the **Create New** icon. The Custom Modification window displays. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 26 for field value descriptions.
3. Click the **Save** icon. A pop-up warning you to sign out of the application for changes to take place displays.

Table 26. Custom Modification Window

Field	Description
Modification Level	Select the level of the modification type. For example, Header, Line, or Release.
Modification Type	Enter the name of the modification type.
Description	Enter a brief description of the modification type.
Min Allowed Status	Select the minimum status the modification type can be performed at.
Max Allowed Status	Select the maximum status the modification type can be performed at.
Available	A list of XML attributes that can be associated with the modification type. To add an available attribute to the modification type, select the attribute you want to add and click the **Right Arrow** icon.
Subscribed	A list of XML attributes that have been associated with the modification type. To remove a subscribed attribute, select the attribute you want to remove and click the **Left Arrow** icon.

Modifying a Custom Modification Type
About this task

To modify a custom modification type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > *(Process Type)* > *(Process Type)* Modification > *(Process Type)* Modification Types. The Custom Modification List window displays in the work area.
2. From the Custom Modification List, locate the applicable Custom Modification and click the **Details** icon. The Custom Modification window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 26 for field value descriptions.
4. Click the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Custom Modification Type

About this task

To delete a custom modification type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > *(Process Type)* > *(Process Type)* Modification > *(Process Type)* Modification Types. The Custom Modification List window displays in the work area.

2. From the Custom Modification List, locate the applicable Custom Modification and click the **Delete** icon.

Defining Status Modification Groups

Status modification groups enable you to configure status modification rules that are based on enterprise, process type, and order conditions. You define a status modification group by configuring the following functionalities:

- Modification Rules - Define modification rules for subscribed modification types.
- Condition - Specify a condition for validating the status modification group.
- Is Override - Specify the status modification group has priority over other status modification groups.
- Inherited From Status Modification Group - Specify the status modification group inherits status modification rules from another status modification group.

Defining Modification Rules

Most documents flow through a pipeline without requiring any intervention by a customer service representative. However, there are times when modifications are required, such as changing credit card information or quantity. Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation supports modification through the Console and APIs. It is critical for you to decide which modifications are allowed for each modification type, modification level, and status combination.

Note: Contemplate business and system integration implications before allowing a modification that is disallowed as part of the system defaults. For example, adding instructions to a document type is disallowed after the release has been sent to the node. If you change the modification to be allowed, the system has no way of communicating the new instruction to the node center because the release has already been sent.

The modification type indicates the type of modification carried out on a document. Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation provides the ability to perform modifications on specific attributes. An example of a modification type is adding an order line to an order.

Modification level indicates the level at which a particular modification type is carried out. These include the following levels:

- Header
- Line
- Release
- Release Line
- Negotiation

- Negotiation Line
- Shipment
- Receipt

For a complete list of the system modification types and their modification levels, see "Order Modification Types" on page 353.

Modifications are applied to a particular level and a particular processing status. For example, if modifications are requested for a document at the header level or at the line level, then the order lines, as well as the order release lines, are picked up for validating whether or not modifications are allowed for those order statuses. If modifications are requested at the release or release line level, then order release lines are picked up for validating whether or not modifications are allowed for those order statuses.

You can group modifications in the Modification Rules tab of the Status Modification Group Details window by modification type, modification level, or status, by selecting the corresponding grouping from Group By. The Modification Rules tab then displays the grouping you have chosen in a hierarchical structure.

All modification rules operate within a certain system-defined range. For instance, for Sales Orders, the Cancel modification on the order entity is always defined to be between the statuses 1000 (Draft Order Created) and 3350 (Included In Shipment). The system never allows a Cancel modification at a status of 3701 (Return Created). On the other hand, you are able to allow modifications between the statuses 1000 and 3350. If an entity is in multiple statuses, the modification is allowed, provided that at least one of the statuses is within the system-defined range.

If you make modifications such as changing a Bill To address after an order has shipped or a return has been created, the changed Bill To address will not be propagated to the shipment, the return order, and so forth.

The following table defines the different settings you can apply to modifications:

Table 27. Order Document Type Rule Modifications

Field	Description
Status	Indicates each status that is applicable to a modification level and type.
Allow	Indicates whether or not modifications may be made at this modification level and type for the specified status.
Disallow	Indicates that no modifications may be made at this modification level and type for the specified status.
Ignore	Indicates that modifications are ignored at this modification level and type for the specified status.

Table 27. Order Document Type Rule Modifications (continued)

Field	Description
	Within a status modification group, there are several scenarios to consider for the Allow, Disallow, and Ignore settings: • If one line is in status 1 and another line is in status 2 - and both statuses are set to Allow, the modification is allowed. • If one line is in status 1, another line is in status 2, and another is in status 3 - and the 1 and 2 statuses are set to Allow, but the 3 status is set to Disallow, all modifications are disallowed, because one of the currently applied statuses is disallowed. • If one line is in status 1 and one is in the extended status 2 - If the 1 status is set to Allow, but the extended status is set to Ignore (all extended statuses are defaulted to ignore, so that they pick up their base status settings unless you have explicitly overridden the setting) then all modifications are allowed only if the base status is set to allow. If the base status is set to disallow, then all modifications are disallowed. If all lines are set to Ignore, then all modifications are disallowed, regardless of the base status settings.

Application Console users can be granted permission to override the modification rules through user group permissions. When a user has been granted this permission, the user can perform a modification that has been disallowed within the Application Consoles. For more information about configuring user group permissions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Specifying a Condition for a Status Modification Group

You can define a condition for a status modification group that determines how the group is validated against status modifications. For example, when a user of an enterprise performs an operation on a supported document type or calls an order-related API, such as getOrderDetails, the status modification is validated using this process:

• Obtain the conditional XML file from the order. The conditional XML file is created when you specify a condition for the status modification group.

• Obtain all applicable status modification groups that meet the conditions specified in the conditional XML file.

• Obtain all modification types from applicable status modification groups, including inherited configurations. Then, any conflicting status modification rules are resolved.

Conditions for status modification groups are specified by order attribute. For example, the CurrentUserRole attribute lets you configure status modification rules for a primary user group, such as Field Sales. Consider a scenario in which you want to give field sales representatives the ability to create quotes. However, you do not want to allow them to change the price on existing quotes. To configure this scenario, you would create a status modification group where the CurrentUserRole attribute is set to the primary user group id for field sales representatives. As part of creating the status modification group, you would define status modification rules that allow changes to quotes but prevent changes to prices on existing quotes. Additionally, you could create a different status modification group that allows supervisors to change the price on existing quotes. In this example, assume that the enterprise and process type are the same for both status modification groups.

If you do not specify a condition for a status modification group, the status modification group validation is enforced. Use the Condition field in the Status Modification Group Details window to specify a condition for a status modification group.

Overriding Status Modification Groups

You can use the **Is Override** option to specify that a status modification group has priority over other status modification groups. For example, if three status modification groups contain the same status modification rule, where one group has the **Is Override** option selected, the modification rule is set to the value specified in the override group.

When multiple status modification groups have the **Is Override** option selected, conflicts are resolved using the logic described in Table 28.

Table 28. Multiple Status Modification Groups and the Is Override Option

	Status	Status	Status	Status	Status	Status
Is Override - checked for Group 1	Allow	Allow	Ignore	Disallow	Allow	Disallow
Is Override - checked for Group 2	Allow	Disallow	Ignore	Disallow	Ignore	Ignore
Result	Allow	Disallow	Disallow	Disallow	Allow	Disallow

Inheriting Modification Rules from a Status Modification Group

When you create a status modification group, it inherits modification rules from the default status modification group. You can then define the group by configuring its modification rules. Additionally, modification groups can inherit status modification rules from other status modification groups. For example, you can create a status modification group that allows field sales representatives to create orders. If you create a group for managers that inherits status modifications rules from the Field Sales Representative Group, the managers can also create orders. Later, if you want to prevent field sales representatives and managers from creating orders, you only need to disallow the create order status for the Field Sales Representative Group. The Manager Group inherits the updated status modification.

When one group inherits rules from another group, the modification rules defined in the child modification group override the parent's modification rules. For example, the Field Sales Representative Group can create orders but cannot change the price on a quote. If you want the Manager Group to have the ability to create orders and change the price on quotes, configure the Manager Group to inherit status modification rules from the Field Sales Representative group, and then configure the Manager Group to have the ability to change the price on a quote.

Additionally, the **Is Override** option can be enabled for child groups. For example, a manager belongs to the following status modification groups:
- Manager Group 1 - This group is not allowed to create orders.
- Manager Group 2 - This group inherits the ability to create orders from the Field Sales Group. Manager Group 2 has the **Is Override** option enabled.

Because the **Is Override** option is enabled for Manager Group 2, the manager has the ability to create orders.

Resolving Conflicts Between Status Modification Groups

In some cases, multiple status modification groups contain conflicting status modification rules. Conflicts between status modification groups are resolved in the following way:

- If two status modification groups contain the same rule, where one group has the rule set to Allow and the other group has the rule set to Disallow, the rule is set to Allow.
- If no status modification group has the rule defined, the rule is set to the value specified in the parent group. If there is no parent group, the rule is set to the value in Default Group.
- If multiple status modification groups have the **Is Override** option selected, but the groups do not have the rule defined, the rule is set to the value specified in the parent group. If there is no parent group, the rule is set to the value in Default Group.

The following example provides a scenario for resolving conflicts between status modification groups.

Example: Resolving Conflicts Between Status Modification Groups

In this example, three status modification groups contain status modification rules that affect the same order.

Table 29. Default Status Modification Group

1500 OrderLine	Cancel	Disallow
2300 Order ShipTo	Change	Disallow
2400 Order ShipNode	Change	Disallow

Use Status Modification Group 1 when condition 1 is true:

Table 30. Status Modification Group 1

Inherits from Default Group		
1500 OrderLine	Cancel	Disallow
2400 Order ShipNode	Change	Disallow

Use Status Modification Group 2 when condition 2 is true:

Table 31. Status Modification Group 2

Inherits from Default Group		
1500 OrderLine	Cancel	Disallow

Use Status Modification Group 3 when condition 3 is true:

Table 32. Status Modification Group 3

Inherits from Default Group		
Is Override is Yes		
2400 Order ShipNode	Change	Disallow

If the order satisfies all conditions, status modification groups 1, 2, and 3 are applicable. As a result, the following access is granted:

Table 33. Resulting Access for Conflicting Status Modification Groups

1500 OrderLine	Cancel	Allowed	Condition 1 applied
2300 Order ShipTo	Change	Disallow	Default applied
2400 Order ShipNode	Change	Disallow	Condition 3 applied

Creating a Status Modification Group
About this task

To create a status modification group:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > *(Process Type)* > *(Process Type)* Modification > *(Process Type)* Modification Groups. The Status Modification Group List window displays in the work area.
2. From the Status Modification Group List, click the **Create New** icon. The Status Modification Group Details window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. For field value descriptions, see Table 34.
4. Click the **Save** icon to save the modification group.

Table 34. Status Modification Group Details Window

Field	Description
Status Modification Group ID	Enter a name for the status modification group.
Description	Enter a description for the status modification group.
Inherited From Status Modification Group	(Optional) Select a parent status modification group if you want to inherit modification rules from another group.
Is Override	(Optional) Check this option if you want this status modification group to take precedence.
Condition	(Optional) Select a condition if you want to specify a condition for this status modification group. Or, you can create a condition by clicking the **Create New** icon, which opens the Condition Detail window. Refer to "Adding Conditions to a Status Modification Group" on page 105 for information about configuring conditions for status modification groups. **Note:** If you do not specify a condition, this group's validation is enforced.
Subscribed Modification Types	

Table 34. Status Modification Group Details Window (continued)

Field	Description
Available	Displays a list of available modification types. This list includes all system-supplied modification types as well as the custom modification types that you created in the Custom Modification window. To subscribe a modification type, select the modification type in the Available list and click the **Right Arrow** icon.
Subscribed	Displays a list of the modification types for which you want to define modification rules. To remove a modification type from the subscribed list, select the modification type in the Subscribed list and click the **Left Arrow** icon. Click the **Save** icon to display the subscribed modification types in the Modification Rules tab.
Modification Rules	
Group By	Select a sort option for displaying modification types in the **Primary Info** tab. You can sort modification types by type, level, and status.
Primary Info	Displays the modification types that you subscribed in the Subscribed Modification Types tab. Expand the applicable modification types and levels for which you want to set up modification rules. Right click on the applicable rule and choose Allow, Disallow, or Ignore as per your business practices.

Adding Conditions to a Status Modification Group
About this task

The Condition Detail window allows you to create a new condition for the status modification group. The Condition Detail window opens when you click the **Create New** icon, next to the Condition field, in the Status Modification Group Details window.

To create a condition for the status modification group:

Procedure

In the Condition Detail window, enter information in the following fields:

Option	Description
Condition ID	Enter the condition ID.
Condition Name	Enter the name of the condition for the status modification group.
Condition Group	Enter the name of the condition's group, if applicable. Condition Group allows you to group related conditions within the condition tree.

Option	Description
Static	If this is checked, you must enter a condition value for the static condition.
Dynamic	If this is checked, you must enter a Java class name that evaluates the condition at runtime.
Advanced XML	If you are creating a new condition, this option is disabled as a new condition of the advanced XML type must be created using the IBM Greex Editor IDE tool. For more information about creating an advanced XML condition using the IBM Greex Editor, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. This option is automatically selected whenever you modify a condition of the advanced XML type.
Condition Value (if Static is checked)	Click the **Condition Builder** icon to use the condition builder, which is where you set up the conditional value for the status modification group. You can set it up in a formulaic readout using the available symbols. You can enter your own attribute or an extended attribute if Static condition is checked. For example, if you are configuring a status modification group for the Field Sales Representative Group, use the {Enter Your Own Attribute} option in the Condition Builder to set the CurrentUserGroup attribute equal to the primary user group id for field sales. For more information about creating these attributes, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*.
Class Name (if Dynamic is checked)	Enter the class name that implements the following Java interface: `com.yantra.ycp.japi.YCPDynamicCondition` **Note:** To use extended attributes for a condition, implement the YCPDynamicConditionEx interface. For more information about implementing this interface, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*.
Condition Properties (if Dynamic is checked)	Specify the custom name or value properties which are set into the condition evaluating Java class file before evaluating the condition. For more information about creating custom attributes, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*.

Modifying a Status Modification Group

About this task

To modify a status modification group:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > *(Process Type)* > *(Process Type)* Modification > *(Process Type)* Modification Groups. The Status Modification Group List window displays in the work area.
2. From the Status Modification Group List, select the applicable modification group and choose the **Details** icon. The Status Modification Group Details window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 34 on page 104 for field value descriptions.
4. Click the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Status Modification Group

About this task

To delete a status modification group:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > *(Process Type)* > *(Process Type)* Modification > *(Process Type)* Modification Groups. The Status Modification Group List window displays in the work area.
2. From the Status Modification Group List, locate the applicable status modification group and click the **Delete** icon.

Defining Modifications Impacting Pricing

You can specify whether a modification type impacts pricing on an order. When modifications of these modification types occur, `OrderRepricingUE` is called to update price and charge information at the level indicated for that modification type. For more information about `OrderRepricingUE`, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

Adding/Removing a Modification Type for Modifications Impacting Pricing

About this task

To specify whether a modification type has pricing impact:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > *(Process Type)* > *(Process Type)* Modification > Modifications Impacting Pricing. The Modifications Impacting Pricing List window displays in the work area.
2. From the Modifications Impacting Pricing List, choose the **Details** icon. The Modification Type List window displays.

3. To add a modification type to the Modifications Impacting Pricing list, select the desired modification type(s) from the Modification Types and choose the **Right Arrow** icon.

4. To remove a modification type from the Modifications Impacting Pricing list, select the desired modification type(s) from the Modification Types and choose the **Left Arrow** icon.

5. Choose the **Save** icon.

Defining Modifications Requiring Auditing

You can specify which modification types will require an audit after being completed.

To specify which modification types require an audit:

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Fulfillment > Order Modification > Modifications Requiring Auditing. The Modifications Requiring Auditing window displays in the work area.

2. From the Modifications Requiring Auditing window, choose the **Details** icon.

   When opening the Modifications Requiring Auditing screen for the first time, all modification types are listed as requiring audits.

3. To add a modification type to the Modifications Requiring Auditing list, select the desired modification type(s) from the Modification Types column and choose the **Right Arrow** icon.

4. To remove a modification type from the Modifications Requiring Auditing list, select the desired modification type(s) from the Modification Types column and choose the **Left Arrow** icon.

5. Choose the **Save** icon.

Chapter 17. Configuring a Return Document's Fulfillment Specific Components

Note: Return fulfillment requires sourcing configuration, which is accessible through the Distributed Order Management configuration grouping. For more information about configuring sourcing, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Distributed Order Management Configuration Guide*.

To complete an order document's lifecycle, each document has a set of different processes that it can go through. These processes are called process types. Every order document has a defined set of process types in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation.

The following process types are defined in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation for the order document types:

- Fulfillment
- Negotiation
- Shipment
- Receipt

You can configure the rules and components specific to an order document's fulfillment process type.

Fulfillment Specific Components: Defining Hold Types

Orders and order lines can be placed on hold manually or automatically, by applying a particular hold type. Certain transactions can be configured to not process documents that are on a specific type of hold. Likewise, modification types can be configured to not process documents that are on a specific type of hold. By default, all transactions and modification types are allowed to process all documents for all hold types.

The transactions that can be prevented from processing orders or order lines on a specific type of hold have the checkbox, This Transaction Can Be Stopped From Processing Orders That Are On Hold, checked in the Others tab of the transaction details screen. For more information about viewing transaction details, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Creating a Hold Type
About this task

To create a hold type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific (Shipping) > Sales Order > Hold Types. The Hold Types window displays in the work area.
2. Click the **Create New** icon. The Hold Type pop-up window displays.
3. In Hold Type, enter the type of the hold.
4. In Hold Type Description, enter the description of the hold.

5. Enter information in the applicable fields. See Table 35, Table 36 on page 111, and Table 37 on page 111 for field value descriptions.
6. Click the **Save** icon.

Table 35. Hold Type Pop-Up Window, Hold Creation Tab

Field	Description
Hold Created Automatically	
On Shipment Creation	Check this box to apply this hold type to all shipments upon shipment creation.
On Resolution Of The Hold Type	Check this box to apply this hold type upon resolution of another hold type. From the drop-down list, select the hold type that, upon resolution, triggers this hold type. **Note:** Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation does not check whether or not you are defining a circular hold type definition. For example, if you define hold type B as being applied upon resolution of hold type A, and hold type A as being applied upon resolution of hold type B, you could create an infinite loop that Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation does not warn you against.
When The Following Modifications Are Performed	Check this box for modification types that automatically apply this hold type to a shipment. Click the **Details** icon to modify the list. In the Modification Type List pop-up window: • Use the right arrow to move the available modification types that you wish to associate with this hold type to the subscribed list. • Use the left arrow to unsubscribe the modification types that you wish to disassociate with this hold type and move them back into the available list.
For All Shipments	Choose this option if the above conditions need to be applied to all shipments. **Note:** You can select this option only after the created hold has been saved.
Only For Shipments Satisfying The Following Condition	Choose this option if the above conditions need to be applied to shipments satisfying a certain condition. Click the **Details** icon to build or modify the condition that is evaluated. For more information about using the condition builder, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*. The available attributes for this condition can be extended. For more information, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. **Note:** You can select this option only after the created hold has been saved.
Hold Created Manually	
By Any User	Choose this option if any user group can apply this hold to a shipment.

Table 35. Hold Type Pop-Up Window, Hold Creation Tab (continued)

Field	Description
By Users Who Belong To The Following Groups	Choose this option if only users belonging to certain user groups may apply this hold to a shipment. Click the **Details** icon to modify the list. In the subsequent pop-up window: • Use the right arrow to move the available user groups that you wish to associate with this hold type to the subscribed list. • Use the left arrow to unsubscribe the user groups that you wish to disassociate with this hold type and move them back into the available list.

Table 36. Hold Type Pop-Up Window, Hold Resolution Tab

Field	Description
Hold Resolved Automatically	
The Following Time Triggered Transaction Will Process Created Holds	From the drop-down list, select the time-triggered transaction that processes the created holds.
The Following Time Triggered Transaction Will Process Rejected Holds	From the drop-down list, select the time-triggered transaction that processes the rejected holds.
Hold Resolved Manually	
Any User Can Process This Hold	Choose this option if any user group can process this hold.
Users Belonging To The Following User Groups Can Process This Hold	Choose this option if only users belonging to certain user groups can process this hold. Click the **Details** icon to modify the list. In the subsequent pop-up window: • Use the right arrow to move the available user groups that you wish to associate with this hold type to the subscribed list. • Use the left arrow to unsubscribe the user groups that you wish to disassociate with this hold type and move them back into the available list.

Table 37. Hold Type Pop-Up Window, Hold Effects Tab

Field	Description
The Following Transactions Will Be Stopped From Processing Shipments On This Hold	Transactions that are disallowed when this hold type is applied to a shipment. Click the **Details** icon to modify the list. In the subsequent pop-up window: • Use the right arrow to move the available modification types that you wish to associate with this hold type to the subscribed list. • Use the left arrow to unsubscribe the modification types that you wish to disassociate with this hold type and move them back into the available list.

Table 37. Hold Type Pop-Up Window, Hold Effects Tab (continued)

Field	Description
The Following Modifications Are Not Allowed For Shipments On This Hold	Modification types that are disallowed when this hold type is applied to a shipment. Click the **Details** icon to modify the list. In the subsequent pop-up window: • Use the right arrow to move the available transactions that you wish to associate with this hold type to the subscribed list. • Use the left arrow to unsubscribe transactions that you wish to disassociate with this hold type and move them back into the available list.

Creating an Order Level Hold Type
About this task

To create an order level hold type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Fulfillment > Hold Types. The Hold Types window displays in the work area.
2. Click the **Create New** icon in the Order Hold Types panel. The Hold Type pop-up window displays.
3. In the Hold Type field, enter the type of the hold.
4. In the Hold Type Description field, enter the description of the hold type.
5. Enter the information in the applicable fields. For field value descriptions, see Table 38, Table 39 on page 113 and Table 40 on page 114.
6. Click the **Save** icon.

Table 38. Hold Type Screen, Hold Creation tab

Field	Description
Hold Created Automatically	
On Draft Order Creation	Check this option to apply this hold type to all orders during draft order creation.
On Draft Order Confirmation	Check this option to apply this hold type to all orders during draft order confirmation.
On Order Creation	Check this option to apply this hold type to all orders during order creation.
On Resolution Of The Hold Type	Check this option to apply this hold type during the resolution of another hold type. From the drop-down list, select the hold type that, upon resolution, triggers this hold type. **Note:** Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation does not check whether or not you are defining a circular hold type definition. For example, if you define hold type B as being applied during the resolution of hold type A, and hold type A as being applied during the resolution of hold type B, you could create an infinite loop that Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation does not warn you against.

Table 38. Hold Type Screen, Hold Creation tab (continued)

Field	Description
When The Following Modifications Are Performed	Modification types that automatically apply this hold type to an order. Click the **Details** icon to modify the list. In the subsequent pop-up window: • Use the right arrow to move the available modification types that you wish to associate with this hold type to the subscribed list. • Use the left arrow to unsubscribe the modification types that you wish to disassociate with this hold type and move them back into the available list.
For All Orders	Select this radio button if the above conditions should be checked for all orders. **Note:** You can only select this option after the created hold has been saved.
Only For Orders Satisfying The Following Condition	Select this radio button if the above conditions should only be checked for orders satisfying a certain condition. Click the **Details** icon to build or modify the condition that is evaluated. For more information about using the condition builder, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*. The available attributes for this condition can be extended. For more information about extending condition attributes, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. **Note:** You can only select this option after the created hold has been saved
Hold Created Manually	
By Any User	Select this radio button if all user groups can apply this hold to an order.
By Users Who Belong To The Following Groups	Select this radio button if only users belonging to certain user groups can apply this hold to an order. Click the **Details** icon to modify the list of user groups. In the subsequent pop-up window: • Use the right arrow to move the available user groups that you wish to associate with this hold type to the subscribed list. • Use the left arrow to unsubscribe the user groups that you wish to disassociate with this hold type and move them back into the available list.

Table 39. Hold Type Screen, Hold Resolution tab

Field	Description
Hold Resolved Automatically	
The Following Time-Triggered Transaction Will Process Created Holds	From the drop-down list, select the time-triggered transaction that will process the created holds.
The Following Time-Triggered Transaction Will Process Rejected Holds	From the drop-down list, select the time-triggered transaction that will process the rejected holds.

Table 39. Hold Type Screen, Hold Resolution tab (continued)

Field	Description
Can Resolve On Cancel	Select this radio button to automatically remove a hold when an order is cancelled.
Hold Resolved Manually	
Any User Can Process This Hold	Select this radio button if all user groups can process this hold.
Users Belonging To The Following User Groups Can Process This Hold	Select this radio button if only users belonging to certain user groups can process this hold.
	Click the **Details** icon to modify the list. In the subsequent pop-up window:
	• Use the right arrow to move the available user groups that you wish to associate with this hold type to the subscribed list.
	• Use the left arrow to unsubscribe the user groups that you wish to disassociate with this hold type and move them back into the available list.

Table 40. Hold Type Screen, Hold Effects tab

Fields	Description
The Following Transactions Will Be Stopped From Processing Orders On This Hold	Transactions that are disallowed when this hold type is applied to an order.
	Click the **Details** icon to modify the list. In the subsequent pop-up window:
	• Use the right arrow to move the available transactions that you wish to associate with this hold type to the subscribed list.
	• Use the left arrow to unsubscribe the transactions that you wish to disassociate with this hold type and move them back into the available list.
The Following Modifications Are Not Allowed For Orders On This Hold	Modification types that are disallowed when this hold type is applied to an order.
	Click the **Details** icon to modify the list. In the subsequent pop-up window:
	• Use the right arrow to move the available modification types that you wish to associate with this hold type to the subscribed list.
	• Use the left arrow to unsubscribe the modification types that you wish to disassociate with this hold type and move them back into the available list.

Creating an Order Line Level Hold Type
About this task

To create an order line level hold type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Fulfillment > Hold Types. The Hold Types window displays in the work area.

2. Click the **Create New** icon in the Order Line Hold Types panel. The Hold Type pop-up window displays.
3. In the Hold Type field, enter the type of the hold.
4. In the Hold Type Description field, enter the description of the hold type.
5. Enter the information in the applicable fields. For field value descriptions, see Table 41, Table 42 on page 116 and Table 43 on page 117.
6. Click the **Save** icon.

Table 41. Hold Type Screen, Hold Creation tab

Field	Description
Hold Created Automatically	
On Draft Order Creation With Lines Or Adding Lines To Draft Order	Check this option to apply this hold type to all lines on an order upon entering Draft Order Created status or when a line is added to an order that is already in Draft Order Created status.
On Draft Order Confirmation	Check this option to apply this hold type to a line upon confirmation of a draft order.
On Order Creation Or Adding Lines To An Order	Check this option to apply this hold type to a line upon creation or addition to an order.
On Resolution Of The Hold Type	Check this option to apply this hold type during the resolution of another hold type. From the drop-down list, select the hold type that, upon resolution, triggers this hold type. **Note:** Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation does not check whether or not you are defining a circular hold type definition. For example, if you define hold type B as being applied during the resolution of hold type A, and hold type A as being applied during the resolution of hold type B, you could create an infinite loop that Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation does not warn you against.
When The Following Modifications Are Performed	Modification types that automatically apply this hold type to an order. Click the **Details** icon to modify the list. In the subsequent pop-up window: • Use the right arrow to move the available modification types that you wish to associate with this hold type to the subscribed list. • Use the left arrow to unsubscribe the modification types that you wish to disassociate with this hold type and move them back into the available list.
For All Order Lines	Select this radio button if the above conditions should be checked for all order lines. **Note:** You can only select this option after the created hold has been saved.

Table 41. Hold Type Screen, Hold Creation tab (continued)

Field	Description
Only For Order Lines Satisfying The Following Condition	Select this radio button if the above conditions should only be checked for order lines satisfying a certain condition. Click the **Details** icon to build or modify the condition that is evaluated. For more information about using the condition builder, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*. The available attributes for this condition can be extended. For more information about extending condition attributes, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. **Note:** You can only select this option after the created hold has been saved.
Hold Created Manually	
By Any User	Select this radio button if all user groups can apply this hold to an order.
By Users Who Belong To The Following Groups	Select this radio button if only users belonging to certain user groups may apply this hold to an order. Click the **Details** icon to modify the list. In the subsequent pop-up window: • Use the right arrow to move the available user groups that you wish to associate with this hold type to the subscribed list. • Use the left arrow to unsubscribe the user groups that you wish to disassociate with this hold type and move them back into the available list.

Table 42. Hold Type Screen, Hold Resolution tab

Field	Description
Hold Resolved Automatically	
The Following Time-Triggered Transaction Will Process Created Holds	From the drop-down list, select the time-triggered transaction that will process the created holds.
The Following Time-Triggered Transaction Will Process Rejected Holds	From the drop-down list, select the time-triggered transaction that will process the rejected holds.
Can Resolve On Cancel	Select this radio button to automatically remove a hold when an order is cancelled.
Hold Resolved Manually	
Any User Can Process This Hold	Select this radio button if all user groups can process this hold.

Table 42. Hold Type Screen, Hold Resolution tab (continued)

Field	Description
Users Belonging To The Following Groups Can Process This Hold	Select this radio button if only users belonging to certain user groups can process this hold. Click the **Details** icon to modify the list. In the subsequent pop-up window: • Use the right arrow to move the available user groups that you wish to associate with this hold type to the subscribed list. • Use the left arrow to unsubscribe the user groups that you wish to disassociate with this hold type and move them back into the available list.

Table 43. Hold Type Screen, Hold Effects tab

Fields	Description
The Following Transactions Will Be Stopped From Processing Orders On This Hold	Transactions that are disallowed when this hold type is applied to an order. Click the D**etails** icon to modify the list. In the subsequent pop-up window: • Use the right arrow to move the available transactions that you wish to associate with this hold type to the subscribed list. • Use the left arrow to unsubscribe the transactions that you wish to disassociate with this hold type and move them back into the available list. The third column is used to select the effect level of the hold. This determines at whether the transaction is held at the order or order line level.
The Following Modifications Are Not Allowed For Orders On This Hold	Modification types that are disallowed when this hold type is applied to an order. Click the **Details** icon to modify the list. In the subsequent pop-up window: • Use the right arrow to move the available modification types that you wish to associate with this hold type to the subscribed list. • Use the left arrow to unsubscribe modification types that you wish to disassociate with this hold type and move them back into the available list.

Fulfillment Specific Components: Modifying a Hold Type
About this task

To modify a hold type:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Fulfillment > Hold Types. The Hold Types window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable hold type and click the **Details** icon. The Hold Type pop-up window displays. Enter information in the applicable fields. For field

value descriptions, see "Creating an Order Level Hold Type" on page 112(for Order Level Holds) or "Creating an Order Line Level Hold Type" on page 114 (for Order Line Level Holds).

3. Click the **Save** icon.

Fulfillment Specific Components: Process Type Pipeline Configuration

A **process type pipeline** is a series of transactions and statuses that guide document types, such as a Sales Order, through a predefined process. A pipeline consists of the different statuses a document goes through during fulfillment, negotiation, shipment, or receipt. You can also set up transactions consisting of events, actions, and conditions, as they pertain to the pipeline you are configuring.

Repositories

A repository is a logical collection of entities that define the business process workflow.

The following entities are included in a repository:
- Pipelines
- Transactions
- Statuses
- Conditions
- Actions
- Services

Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation provides a base repository for each of the system-defined process types. Some of the entities within a repository are copied when creating a new document type. For more information about creating a new document type, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

The process of return fulfillment is modeled through a pipeline. This represents the process configuration that is unique to an organization. An organization may also specify unique processes for each participating Enterprise.

Fulfillment Specific Components: Defining Pipeline Determination

Pipeline determination is used to set up conditions that affect which pipeline is used during the start of the business process workflow. For example, an organization deals with sales orders that sometimes contain hazardous materials. They have two separate pipelines, one in which orders with order lines without any hazardous materials go through and one in which orders with order lines containing hazardous materials must go through for inspection before continuing through the order process. The organization uses pipeline determination to set up a condition that determines whether or not order lines contain hazardous materials and sends the order line down the correct pipeline.

When you expand the Pipeline Determination branch, the components displayed depends on what role you are logged in as. If you are logged in as a Hub role, the Hub Rule displays. If you are logged in as an Enterprise role, both the Hub Rule and My Rule components display. Double-click on the applicable node to display the pipeline determination rules.

Note: If you are logged in as an Enterprise role, the Hub Rule screen is grayed out and cannot be modified.

Drag conditions and pipelines into the work area to construct pipeline determination rules. A single pipeline or condition must be the root. Conditions cannot link back to an earlier component in the chain and a pipeline cannot be linked to twice.

When configuring pipeline determination for an order document type pipeline, please note that pipeline determination is only considered when adding a line or creating an order. When changes are made to draft orders pipeline determination does not occur.

For a list of the condition variables that can be used at the return header and return line level for pipeline determination, refer to "Condition Builder Attributes" on page 365.

Fulfillment Specific Components: Pipelines
About this task

For more information about configuring pipelines, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

To view the reverse logistics pipeline details:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Fulfillment > Fulfillment Process Model. The Reverse Logistics window displays.
2. In the Reverse Logistics window, choose Reverse Logistics Repository > Pipelines > Reverse Logistics Service Pipeline.
3. The Pipeline Detail: Reverse Logistics Service Pipeline (Reverse Logistics) window displays.

Results

For more information about creating and modifying a pipeline, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Fulfillment Specific Components: Transactions

About this task

Every process type has a set of base transactions defined for it. A transaction is a logical unit of work that is necessary for performing activity within Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation. Base transactions are predefined transactions that contain information about how the transaction behaves, such as how many copies of a transaction can be kept in a process type and whether or not it can have configurable base pick and drop statuses. Base transactions can be used to create new transactions. These transactions can be changed within the limits defined in the base transaction.

For more information about transactions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

To view the transaction details for a reverse logistics pipeline:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Fulfillment > Fulfillment Process Model. The Reverse Logistics window displays.
2. In the Reverse Logistics window, choose the **Transactions** icon.
3. The Transactions tab window displays. Refer to Table 44 on page 121 for field value descriptions.

Results

For more information about creating and modifying transactions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Table 44. Reverse Logistics Pipeline - Transactions Tab Window

Field	Description
Authorize Return	This transaction represents the process manually authorizing a return at a receiving node.
Change Return	This transaction represents any modifications that may be made to a return.
Change Return Release	This transaction represents any modifications that may be made to a return release.
Change Schedule	This transaction represents any modifications that may be made to a return release's scheduling logic.
Close Receipt	This transaction represents a receipt being closed.
Close Return	This transaction represents a return being closed.
Confirm Draft Return	This transaction represents a draft return is manually confirmed and considered an actual return in the system.
Consolidate To Shipment	This transaction represents the process of finding a shipment into which a given return release can be included.
Create Draft Return	This transaction represents the creation of a draft return in the system.
Create Derived Return Order	This transaction represents the creation of an exchange order in the system.
Create Return	This transaction represents the creation of a return in the system.
Create Return Invoice	This transaction represents the process of invoicing an existing return.
Enhanced Return Monitor	This transaction represents the an alternate return monitor featuring an advanced set of parameters used to monitor returns in the system.
Import Return	This transaction represents the process of importing a return that has already been processed to some extent by an external system.
Include Order In Shipment	This transaction represents the process of adding a return to an existing shipment. This transaction is internally invoked the confirmShipment API. See the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs* for more information.
Payment Collection	This transaction represents the process of requesting credit validation for returns that are pending authorization or charging.
Payment Execution	This transaction represents the processing of all requests that are pending authorization and charging.
Purge Return	This transaction represents a return that can be purged moved from the tables into history tables.
Purge Return History	This transaction represents the process of purging returns from the history tables and removing them from the system.
Purge Status Audit	This transaction represents the process of removing return status audit data from the system.
Receive Return	This listener transaction monitors the reverse logistics pipeline and indicates when the return for an order has been received at the receiving node.

Table 44. Reverse Logistics Pipeline - Transactions Tab Window (continued)

Field	Description
Remove Order From Shipment	This transaction represents the process of removing a return from an existing shipment. This transaction is internally invoked the confirmShipment API. See the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs* for more information.
Schedule Return	This transaction represents the process of scheduling returns to specific receiving nodes.
Send Invoice	This transaction represents the process of publishing invoice data that can be directed to an external accounts receivable systems.
Ship Order	This transaction is internally invoked the confirmShipment API. See the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs* for more information.
Ship Shipment	This transaction is internally invoked the confirmShipment API. See the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs* for more information.
Synchronize Task Queue	This transaction represents the process of synching the return logistics task queue.
Unschedule	This transaction represents the process of unscheduling a return that has already been scheduled to a receiving node.
Unreceive	This transaction represents the process of moving a return that has been received back into unreceived status.

Fulfillment Specific Components: Statuses
About this task

Statuses are the actual states that a document moves through in the pipeline. A transaction can contain two types of statuses, a drop status and a pickup status. A document is moved into a **drop status** when the events and conditions of a transaction have been completed. A **pickup status** takes the document from the previous drop status and moves it through the next transaction. Created and Scheduled are examples of statuses.

For more information about statuses, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

To view the status details of a reverse logistics pipeline:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Fulfillment > Fulfillment Process Model. The Reverse Logistics window displays.
2. In the Reverse Logistics window, choose the **Statuses** icon.
3. The Statuses tab window displays. Refer to Table 45 on page 123 for field value descriptions.

Results

For more information about creating and modifying statuses, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Table 45. Reverse Logistics Pipeline - Statuses Tab Window

Field	Description
Draft Created	This indicates that a draft created has been created.
Created	This indicates that a return has been created.
Authorized	This indicates that the return has been authorized by the node.
Not Authorized	This indicates that the return has not been authorized by the node.
Not Released	This indicates that the return has not been released to the node.
Removed From Release	This indicates that one or more items in the return have been removed from the return release.
Released	This indicates that there is enough inventory to schedule to the order for fulfillment. The order is released to the Application Consoles, Sterling Warehouse Management System version 9.1, or another third-party warehouse management system.
Included In Shipment	This indicates that the return is included in a shipment.
Shipped	This indicates that the return has been shipped to the node.
Received	This indicates that the return has been received by the node and is in Receipt In Progress status in the Return Receipt pipeline.
Receipt Closed	This indicates that all items have been returned and the receipt can be removed from the system. **Note:** A return moves into Receipt Closed status after a return receipt moves into Received status in the Return Receipt pipeline.
Return Invoiced	This indicates that an invoice has been generated for an existing return.
Awaiting Exchange Order Creation	This indicates that an exchange order must be created from the return for the return to proceed in the pipeline.
Exchange Order Created	This indicates that an exchange order has been created from a return.
Held	This indicates that the return is being held and no modifications can be made until it is released from the hold.
Cancelled	This indicates that the return has been cancelled.
Shorted	This indicates that the return contains less quantity than indicated at the time of receipt.
Received As Components	The return has been received as one or more individual components.

Fulfillment Specific Components: Conditions

About this task

A **condition** matches document type attributes against decision points and routes the documents to different paths based on the specified attribute and value combinations. The document type attributes against which conditions can be created are predefined in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation. You can use these attributes in any combination or you can create conditions that run the appropriate application logic for specific circumstances.

For more information about conditions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

To view the condition details of a reverse logistics pipeline:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Fulfillment > Fulfillment Process Model. The Reverse Logistics window displays.
2. In the Reverse Logistics window, choose the **Conditions** icon.
3. The Conditions tab window displays. Refer to Table 46 for field value descriptions.

Results

For more information about creating and modifying conditions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Table 46. Reverse Logistics Pipeline - Conditions Tab Window

Field	Description
Conditions	Displays conditions that are specific to the reverse logistics pipeline, if any.

Fulfillment Specific Components: Actions

About this task

An **action** is a process or program that is triggered by an event. These processes and programs send user alert notifications and automatically resolve issues.

For example, when an order is released (the event), you can set an action to send the customer an e-mail.

For more information about Actions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

To view the action details of a reverse logistics pipeline:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Fulfillment > Fulfillment Process Model. The Reverse Logistics window displays.
2. In the Reverse Logistics window, choose the **Actions** icon.
3. The Actions tab window displays.

Results

For more information about creating and modifying actions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Defining Transaction Rules

About this task

You can define additional rules for shipment advice, shipment confirmation, order entry, order monitoring, and negotiation monitoring.

Note: To define additional transaction rules for quotes, refer to 'Defining Transaction Rules for Quotes".

To define additional transaction rules:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Fulfillment > Transaction Specific Rules. The Transaction Rules window displays.
2. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to the following table for field value descriptions.
3. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 47. Transactions Rules Window

Field	Description
Ship Advice	
Include Price Information in Instruction	When selected, the system sends down price information on the order as a part of the ship advice instructions.
	This is a DCS-specific parameter. Key price-related elements from Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation is sent to DCS as instructions of type SHC (shipping and handling charges at order header level), PRM (discount amount at the order header level), and STX (tax at the order header level).
Ship Confirm	
Cancel Order on Inventory Shortage	When selected, items are canceled or backordered in case of inventory shortage. **Note:** This flag is used by the confirm shipment agent; it is not used by the confirmShipment API. If you want to cancel warehouse backorders, you need to pass the CancelRemovedQuantity=Y flag in the changeShipment API.
Order Monitor	
Order Monitor Relog Interval	Enter the number of hours after which the order monitor raises an action if a document type remains in the same status in a pipeline.
	The Inventory Monitor and Order Monitor run at predefined (scheduled) intervals. Once an alert is raised, the same alert should not be raised over and over again at every run. Relog intervals control how soon after the previous alert the next alert should be triggered.
	Important: This field has no impact on the Enhanced Order Monitor.
Negotiation Monitor	
Negotiation Monitor Relog Interval	Enter the number of hours after which the Negotiation Monitor raises an action if a document type remains in the same status in a negotiation pipeline.

Table 47. Transactions Rules Window (continued)

Field	Description
Post Voided Sale on Order	
Mark Post Voided Sale for Auto-Cancellation After	Enter the number of hours based on which the auto-cancel date is set on the order.
Reship Order	
Minimum Reship Window	Enter the minimum number of days allowed to pass after an order line has been shipped before an order line may need to be reshipped.
Action to take on parent line when chained line is canceled	
Unschedule	When selected the unschedule action is performed on the parent order line when a chained order line is canceled. An unscheduled parent line is synonymous with a backordered line. For more information about chained orders, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.
Cancel	When selected the parent line is canceled when a chained order line is canceled. For more information about chained orders, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.
Cancellation of Order Lines with Work Orders	
Allow Cancellation Even If Work Order Cannot Be Cancelled	An order may have generated a work order to customize the item for the customer. In some scenarios, the work order cannot be cancelled. For example, the work order cannot be cancelled because the work order has already been completed, or because the work order is performed by an organization that does not accept work order cancellations. By default, the order associated with the work order cannot be cancelled. Select 'Allow Cancellation Even If Work Order Cannot Be Cancelled' to permit the parent orders to be cancelled if the work order cannot be cancelled.
Synchronize Dates	
Synchronize Dates Between Master Order Dates And Dates On Order Line And Schedules	Check this box to synchronize the requested dates and the expected ship dates for the Order, Order Header, Order Line, and Order Line Schedules. The requested dates synchronize with the requested ship, requested deliver, and cancel dates on the order line or header. The expected dates synchronize with the order schedules. **Note:** If this rule is not chosen, the synchronization between dates is not possible.
Expected Dates On Order	
Do Not Recompute Expected Dates When Requested Dates On The Order Are Changed	Check this box when you do not want the requested dates on the order line to be synchronized with the expected dates on the order line schedule. **Note:** The dates are synchronized only during the line creation. **Note:** Scheduling should not be used on orders which have expected and requested dates that are not synchronized.
Pickup Order Lines	

Table 47. Transactions Rules Window (continued)

Field	Description
Compute Expected Dates When Requested Dates On The Pickup Order Lines Are Changed	Check this box to recompute the expected ship date of an item when a customer chooses to pick up either a portion of an order or the complete order at a later date. **Note:** This flag is available for outbound orders only.
Confirm Draft Order	
Update Order Date On Confirm Draft Order	Check this box to set the order date to the date when the order is confirmed and not the date when the order is created.
Action To Take When Unscheduling Last Product Line	
Keep Association To Delivery Service Line	When selected, if the last product line on a work order is cancelled, the association with the delivery line is kept.
Remove Association To Delivery Service Line	When selected, if the last product line on a work order is cancelled, the association with the delivery line is removed.
Order Approval	
Hold Type To Be Applied When Order Needs Approval	Select the hold type you want to be applied when an order requires approval. The hold is triggered internally by the system, and therefore, should not be set to automatically apply in the hold configuration. **Note:** This functionality differs from the Order Approval functionality for Quotes.
Automatically Resolve Order Approval Hold On Order Change	Check this box if you want order approval holds to be resolved automatically when an order is changed and the conditions necessary to require approval are no longer met.
Customer Contact Status	
Hold Type To Be Applied To An Order When Customer Contact Is On Hold	Select the hold type you want to be applied on an order when a customer contact is on hold.
Pending Order Changes	
Pending Order Changes Will Expire In	Enter the number of hours after which the pending changes on the order will expire.
Hold To Be Applied When Order Has Pending Changes	Select the hold type you want to be applied on an order that has pending changes.

Defining Status Inventory Types

You can define how and when inventory is updated for Sellers and Buyers tracking inventory, on a status-by-status basis. The Status Inventory Types table is used to associate statuses with specific supply and demand types according to organization. When an order moves through the statuses of a given fulfillment pipeline the values corresponding to the Buyer supply type and Seller demand type associated with the original status are decreased and the values for the status the order is moving into are increased.

Example

Assume you have the following records in the Status Inventory Type table:

Table 48. Sample Status Inventory Type Records

Status	Buyer Supply Type	Seller Demand Type	Seller Supply Type	Increment Seller Supply
1100	Purchase Order Placed	Open Order	Onhand	N
3200	Purchase Order Released	Released	Onhand	N
3700	Intransit			Y

When an order with a line item quantity of 10 is created in Created (1100) status, the Purchase Order Placed supply record is updated with a quantity of 10. A Open Order demand type with a quantity of 10 is created for the Seller.

In this example, if a quantity of 3 is moved into Released (3200) status, the Purchase Order Placed supply record is decreased by 3 and a new supply record with a quantity of 3 is created for the Purchase Order Released supply type. The Open Order demand record is also decreased by 3 and a new demand record is with a quantity of 3 is created for the Released demand type.

When the order moves from Released (3200) status to Shipped (3700) status, the Buyer's supply is decreased for the Purchase Order Released supply type and increased for Intransit. The Seller's demand is decreased for the Released demand type. However, the demand type is not increased for a new type, because the Seller Demand Type associated with the Shipped (3700) status is blank.

In the above configuration, the Increment Seller Supply flag is set to 'Y' and the Seller's supply type for the Shipped (3700) status is Onhand. The Increment Seller Supply flag indicates that the Seller's supply must be adjusted when moving any quantity into the Shipped (3700) status.

The value in the Seller Supply Type column indicates the supply type that should be updated, in this example, Onhand. Since the record for the Released (3200) status has the Onhand Seller supply type associated with it and the Shipped (3700) status record has a blank Seller supply type associated with it, the Onhand Seller supply type decreases when moving from Released (3200) status to Shipped (3700) status. The Seller supply type is not increased with this status move because the value in the Seller Supply Type column for the Shipped (3700) status is blank.

To view a process type's status inventory types, from the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Fulfillment > Status Inventory Types. The Status Inventory window displays. Refer to Table 49 on page 129 for assistance.

Table 49. Status Inventory Types Window

Field	Description
Orders Without Chaining/Orders With Chained Children/Procurement Orders	Select the Orders Without Chaining tab to view the status inventory types for orders that flow through the process type pipeline without having any associated chained orders. Select the Orders With Chained Children tab to view the status inventory types of orders having associated drop-ship chained orders. Select the Procurement Orders tab to view the status inventory types of procurement orders.
Status	The order document's status.
Buyer Supply Type	The Buyer's supply type associated with the order document's status.
Seller Supply Type	The Seller's supply type associated with the order document's status.
Update Seller Supply	Indicates if inventory updates are made when an order document moves into the associated status.
Seller Demand Type	The Seller's demand type associated with the order document's status.

For more fundamental and detailed information about supply and demand types and how they relate to each other, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Global Inventory Visibility Configuration Guide*.

Creating a Status Inventory Type
About this task

To create a status inventory type:

Procedure
1. In the Status Inventory Types window, choose the **Create New** icon. The Status Inventory Type Details window displays.
2. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 50 for field value descriptions.
3. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 50. Status Inventory Type Details Window

Field	Description
Status	Select the order document status that you want to associate inventory types with.
Buyer Supply Type	Select the Buyer supply type that you want to associate with the order document status.
Seller Supply Type	Select the Seller supply type that you want to associate with the order document status.
Update Seller Supply	Select this field if you want inventory updates to be performed on the associated inventory types when the order document enters this status. **Note:** If you are integrating with Sterling Warehouse Management System version 9.1, this field must be selected and you must specify the Seller Supply Type.

Field	Description
Seller Demand Type	Select the Seller demand type that you want to associate with the order document status.

Modifying a Status Inventory Type
About this task

To modify a status inventory type:

Procedure
1. In the Status Inventory Types window, locate the applicable status inventory type and choose the **Details** icon. The Status Inventory Type Details window displays.
2. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 50 on page 129 for field value descriptions.
3. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Status Inventory Type
About this task

To delete a status inventory type, locate the applicable status inventory type in the Status Inventory Types window and choose the **Delete** icon.

Default status inventory types which are originally shipped with Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation cannot be deleted.

Fulfillment Specific Components: Defining Monitoring Components

You can define the components used to measure and report unexpected conditions and delays in the order document's lifecycle. For more information about using these components to configure monitoring rules, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

To define a process type's monitoring components, from the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Fulfillment > Order Monitoring. The Monitoring window displays.

Fulfillment Specific Components: Defining Date Types

You can define custom date types. These dates automatically appear in the configuration screen and the Order/Shipment Dates window in the Application Console.

Fulfillment Specific Components: Creating a Date Type
About this task

To create a date type:

Procedure
1. In the Monitoring window, choose the Date Types tab.
2. From the Date Types list, choose the **Create New** icon. The Date Type Details window displays.

3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 51 for field level descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 51. Date Type Details Window

Field	Description
Date Type	Enter the name of the date type.
Description	Enter a brief description of the date type.
Requested	Select this field to indicate if the date type represents a date requested by a Buyer, user, etc.
Expected	Select this field to indicate if the date type represents a date the system expects or has calculated something to occur.
Actual	Select this field to indicate if the date type represents the actual date.

Fulfillment Specific Components: Modifying a Date Type
About this task

To modify a date type:

Procedure
1. In the Monitoring window, choose the Date Types tab.
2. From the Date Types list, locate the applicable date type and choose the **Details** icon. The Date Type Details window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 51 for field level descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Fulfillment Specific Components: Deleting a Date Type
About this task

You cannot delete the Return Date generated by the system.

To delete a date type:

Procedure
1. In the Monitoring window, choose the Date Types tab.
2. From the Date Types list, locate the applicable date type and choose the **Delete** icon.

Fulfillment Specific Components: Defining Milestones

You can configure applicable statuses in a process type to be milestones. A milestone is a type of date that Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation automatically determines when an order moves from one status to another. A milestone represents a significant point in the processing lifecycle that can be used as a criterion for monitoring. Milestones can be defined at the order, order line, order release, and order release line levels.

A milestone can be reached whenever there is a change in an order line. Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation marks a milestone as reached if an order line reaches a status marked as a milestone. However, there may be times that only part of an order line reaches a particular status defined as milestone.

Fulfilment Specific Components: Creating a Milestone
About this task

To create a milestone:

Procedure

1. In the Monitoring window, choose the Milestones tab.
2. From the Milestones list, choose the **Create New** icon. The Milestone Details window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 52 for field level descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 52. Milestone Details

Field	Description
Date Type	Enter the name of the milestone being created. **Note:** You cannot use date types you have created on the date type tab. You must create a unique name for the milestone.
Description	Enter a brief description of the milestone.
Requested	Select this field to indicate if the milestone represents a date requested by a Buyer, user, etc.
Expected	Select this field to indicate if the milestone represents a date the system expects or has calculated something to occur.
Actual	This field is not applicable for milestones.
Milestone Statuses	You can add statuses to associate with the milestone by selecting the **Create New** icon and entering information in the applicable fields. **Note:** This tab can only be accessed once the Primary Info tab has been filled out and saved.
Date Type	The date type if any associated with the milestone.
Status	Select the status you want use to indicate the milestone has been reached.
Level	Select Order to indicate this status must be reached at the order header level. Select Order Line to indicate that this status must be reached at the order line level. Select Order Release to indicate that this status must be reached at the order release level.
Quantity Type	Select Initial to indicate that the milestone is met when any quantity at the above selected level moves into the status. Select Complete to indicate that the milestone is met when all quantity at the above selected level moves into the status.

Fulfillment Specific Components: Modifying a Milestone
About this task

Note: If modifications are made to an existing milestone, the changes are only applied to new orders. Existing orders for which milestone records have already been created are not considered.

To modify a milestone:

Procedure

1. In the Monitoring window, choose the Milestones tab.
2. From the Milestones list, locate the applicable milestone and choose the **Details** icon. The Milestone Details window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 52 on page 132 for field level descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Fulfillment Specific Components: Deleting a Milestone
About this task

To delete a milestone:

Procedure

1. From the Monitoring window, choose the Milestones tab.
2. From the Milestones list, locate the applicable milestone and choose the **Delete** icon.

Fulfillment Specific Components: Defining Monitoring Events

Events are used in instances where the Enhanced Order Monitor may raise multiple alerts of the same type. For example, if an order with multiple lines that are shipped together has a shipment delay and you have configured the Enhanced Order Monitor to raise alerts when shipments are delayed at the line level, an alert of the same type would be raised against each line in the order. You can create rules to aggregate all of these similar alerts and raise one "root cause".

Fulfillment Specific Components: Creating an Event Rule
About this task

To create an event rule:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Fulfillment > Monitor Events. The Monitor Events window displays.
2. From the Monitor Events list, choose the **Create New** icon. The Monitor Events Details window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 53 for field level descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

   In most cases, the attributes that identify an event should be a subset of the attributes that specify event aggregation.

Table 53. Monitor Event Details Pop-Up Window

Field	Description
Event Id	Enter the event ID.
Description	Enter a brief description of the event.

Table 53. Monitor Event Details Pop-Up Window (continued)

Field	Description
Requires Realert	Select this field if you want users to be re-alerted if the issue has not been resolved within a certain timeframe.
Realert Interval	If you selected Requires Realert, enter the interval (in hours) that re-alerts should be sent.
Automatically Resolve Alerts	Select this field to automatically remove an alert if the alert condition is no longer valid. Once the alert is resolved, a new alert is raised if the condition is detected again.
Event Identified By	
Return	Select this field if you want two or more alert conditions to be treated the same if they belong to the same return. **Note:** This field can be selected in conjunction with Return Line field.
Return Line	Select this field if you want two or more alert conditions to be treated the same if they belong to the same return line. **Note:** This field can be selected in conjunction with Return field.
Service To Be Invoked	Select the alert service to be invoked should the event consolidation rule conditions be met.
Aggregate And Invoke Service For	
Return	Select this field if you want only one alert to be raised for a return when alert conditions are detected.
Return Line	Select this field if you want only one alert to be raised per return line when alert conditions are detected.

Modifying an Event
About this task

To modify an event rule:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Fulfillment > Monitor Events. The Monitor Events window displays.
2. From the Monitor Events list, select the applicable event rule and choose the **Details** icon. The Monitor Event Details window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 53 on page 133 for field level descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Fulfillment Specific Components: Deleting an Event
About this task

To delete an event rule:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Fulfillment > Monitor Events. The Monitor Events window displays.

2. From the Monitor Events list, select the applicable event rule and choose the
   Delete icon.

Chapter 18. Configuring a Return Document's Shipment Specific Components

> **Note:** Return fulfillment requires sourcing configuration, which is accessible through the Distributed Order Management configuration grouping. For more information about configuring sourcing, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Distributed Order Management Configuration Guide*.

To complete a return document's lifecycle, each document has a set of different processes that it can go through. These processes are called process types. Every return document has a defined set of process types in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation.

The following process types are defined in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation for the return document types:

- Fulfillment
- Negotiation
- Shipment
- Receipt
- Receipt

You can configure the rules and components specific to a return document's shipment process type.

Shipment Specific Components: Defining Hold Types

Shipments can be placed on hold manually or automatically by applying a particular hold type. Certain transactions can be configured to ensure that shipments put on hold are not processed. Likewise, modification types can be configured to ensure shipments that are on hold are not processed. By default, all transactions and modification types are allowed to process all documents for all hold types.

To prevent transactions from processing shipments that are put on hold, in the Others tab in the Transaction Detail screen, check the "This Transaction Can Be Stopped From Processing Shipments That Are On Hold" box. For more information about viewing transaction details, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

To create, modify, and delete hold types, from the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > Logistics > Hold Types. For more information about defining hold types, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Logistics Management Configuration Guide*.

Shipment Specific Components: Process Type Pipeline Configuration

A **process type pipeline** is a series of transactions and statuses that guide document types, such as a Sales Order, through a predefined process. A pipeline consists of the different statuses a document goes through during fulfillment, negotiation, shipment, or receipt. You can also set up transactions consisting of events, actions, and conditions, as they pertain to the pipeline you are configuring.

Repositories

A repository is a logical collection of entities that define the business process workflow.

The following entities are included in a repository:
- Pipelines
- Transactions
- Statuses
- Conditions
- Actions
- Services

Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation provides a base repository for each of the system-defined process types. Some of the entities within a repository are copied when creating a new document type. For more information about creating a new document type, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

The process of return shipment is modeled through a pipeline. This represents the process configuration that is unique to an organization. An organization may also specify unique processes for each participating Enterprise.

Shipment Specific Components: Defining Pipeline Determination

Pipeline determination is used to set up conditions that affect which pipeline is used during the start of the business process workflow. For example, an organization deals with sales orders that sometimes contain hazardous materials. They have two separate pipelines, one in which orders with order lines without any hazardous materials go through and one in which orders with order lines containing hazardous materials must go through for inspection before continuing through the order process. The organization uses pipeline determination to set up a condition that determines whether or not order lines contain hazardous materials and sends the order line down the correct pipeline.

When you expand the Pipeline Determination branch, the components displayed depends on what role you are logged in as. If you are logged in as a Hub role, the Hub Rule displays. If you are logged in as an Enterprise role, both the Hub Rule and My Rule components display. Double-click on the applicable node to display the pipeline determination rules.

Note: If you are logged in as an Enterprise role, the Hub Rule screen is grayed out and cannot be modified.

Drag conditions and pipelines into the work area to construct pipeline determination rules. A single pipeline or condition must be the root. Conditions cannot link back to an earlier component in the chain and a pipeline cannot be linked to twice.

When configuring pipeline determination for an order document type pipeline, please note that pipeline determination is only considered when adding a line or creating an order. When changes are made to draft orders pipeline determination does not occur.

Shipment Specific Components: Pipelines

About this task

For more information about configuring pipelines, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

To view the return shipment pipeline details:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Logistics > Shipment Process Model. The Return Shipment window displays.
2. In the Return Shipment window, choose Return Shipment Repository > Pipelines > Returns Shipment.
3. The Pipeline Detail: Returns Shipment (Return Shipment) window displays.

Results

For more information about creating and modifying a pipeline, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Shipment Specific Components: Transactions

About this task

Every process type has a set of base transactions defined for it. A transaction is a logical unit of work that is necessary for performing activity within Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation. Base transactions are predefined transactions that

contain information about how the transaction behaves, such as how many copies of a transaction can be kept in a process type and whether or not it can have configurable base pick and drop statuses. Base transactions can be used to create new transactions. These transactions can be changed within the limits defined in the base transaction.

For more information about transactions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

To view the transaction details for a return shipment pipeline:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Logistics > Shipment Process Model. The Return Shipment window displays.
2. In the Return Shipment window, choose the **Transactions** icon.
3. The Transactions tab window displays. Refer to Table 54 for field value descriptions.

Results

For more information about creating and modifying transactions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Table 54. Return Shipment Pipeline - Transactions Tab Window

Field	Description
Change Shipment	This transaction represents any modifications that may be made to a return shipment.
Change Shipment Status	This transaction represents any modifications that may be made involving a return shipment's status.
Close Shipment	This transaction represents a return shipment being closed and archived in the system.
Confirm Shipment	This transaction represents the return shipment being manually confirmed and shipped.
Create And Confirm Shipment	This transaction represents the process of creating a return shipment and shipping it.
Create Shipment	This transaction represents the creation of a return shipment in the system.
Deliver Shipment	This transaction represents a return shipment being delivered to a return node.
Import Shipment	This transaction represents the process of importing a shipment that has already been processed to some extent by an external system.
Pack Shipment	This transaction represents the process of packing a return shipment.
Print Pick List	This transaction represents the process of printing a pick list.
Purge Pick List	This transaction represents a pick list that can be purged from the system.
Purge Shipment	This transaction represents the process of moving return shipments to the history tables.

Table 54. Return Shipment Pipeline - Transactions Tab Window (continued)

Field	Description
Purge Shipment History	This transaction represents the process of purging return shipments from the history tables and removing them from the system.
Shipment Monitor	This transaction represents the process of monitoring return shipments in the system based on defined parameters.
Synchronize Task Queue	This transaction represents the process of synching the reverse logistics task queue.
Unpack Shipment	This transaction indicates that a shipment that has moved through the Pack Shipment transaction is unpacked.

Shipment Specific Components: Statuses
About this task

Statuses are the actual states that a document moves through in the pipeline. A transaction can contain two types of statuses, a drop status and a pickup status. A document is moved into a **drop status** when the events and conditions of a transaction have been completed. A **pickup status** takes the document from the previous drop status and moves it through the next transaction. Created and Scheduled are examples of statuses.

For more information about Statuses, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

To view the status details of a return shipment pipeline:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Logistics > Shipment Process Model. The Return Shipment window displays.
2. In the Return Shipment window, choose the **Statuses** icon.
3. The Statuses tab window displays. Refer to Table 55 for field value descriptions.

Results

For more information about creating and modifying statuses, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Table 55. Return Shipment Pipeline - Statuses Tab Window

Field	Description
Shipment Created	This indicates that a return shipment has been created.
Shipment Shipped	This indicates that the return shipment has been shipped to the return node.
Shipment Delivered	This indicates that the return shipment has been delivered to the return node.
Included In Receipt	This indicates that the return shipment has been included in the receipt.
Shipment Invoiced	This indicates that an invoice has been created for the return shipment.

Shipment Specific Components: Conditions
About this task

A **condition** matches document type attributes against decision points and routes the documents to different paths based on the specified attribute and value combinations. The document type attributes against which conditions can be created are predefined in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation. You can use these attributes in any combination or you can create conditions that run the appropriate application logic for specific circumstances.

For more information about conditions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

To view the condition details of a return shipment pipeline:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Logistics > Shipment Process Model. The Return Shipment window displays.
2. In the Return Shipment window, choose the **Conditions** icon.
3. The Conditions tab window displays. Refer to the following table for field value descriptions.

Results

For more information about creating and modifying conditions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Table 56. Return Shipment Pipeline - Conditions Tab Window

Field	Description
Conditions	Displays conditions that are specific to the return shipment pipeline, if any.

Shipment Specific Components: Actions
About this task

An **action** is a process or program that is triggered by an event. These processes and programs send user alert notifications and automatically resolve issues.

For example, when an order is released (the event), you can set an action to send the customer an e-mail.

For more information about Actions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

To view the action details of an outbound shipment pipeline:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Logistics > Shipment Process Model. The Return Shipment window displays.
2. In the Return Shipment window, choose the **Actions** icon.

3. The Actions tab window displays.

Results

For more information about creating and modifying actions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Shipment Specific Components: Defining Monitoring Components

You can define the components used to measure and report unexpected conditions and delays in the order document's lifecycle. For more information about using these components to configure monitoring rules, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

To define monitoring components, from the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Outbound Logistics > Shipment Monitoring. The Monitoring window displays.

Shipment Specific Components: Defining Date Types

You can define custom date types. These dates automatically appear in the configuration screen and the Order/Shipment Dates window in the Application Console.

Shipment Specific Components: Creating a Date Type
About this task

To create a date type:

Procedure

1. In the Monitoring window, choose the Date Types tab.
2. From the Date Types list, choose the **Create New** icon. The Date Type Details window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 57 for field level descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 57. Date Type Details Window

Field	Description
Date Type	Enter the name of the date type.
Description	Enter a brief description of the date type.
Requested	Select this field to indicate if the date type represents a date requested by a Buyer, user, etc.
Expected	Select this field to indicate if the date type represents a date the system expects or has calculated something to occur.
Actual	Select this field to indicate if the date type represents the actual date.

Shipment Specific Components: Modifying a Date Type
About this task

To modify a date type:

Procedure

1. In the Monitoring window, choose the Date Types tab.
2. From the Date Types list, locate the applicable date type and choose the **Details** icon. The Date Type Details window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 57 on page 143 for field level descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Shipment Specific Components: Deleting a Date Type
About this task

You cannot delete Delivery Date and Ship Date system dates.

To delete a date type:

Procedure

1. In the Monitoring window, choose the Date Types tab.
2. From the Date Types list, locate the applicable date type and choose the **Delete** icon.

Shipment Specific Components: Defining Milestones

You can configure applicable statuses in a process type to be milestones. A milestone is a type of date that Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation automatically determines when an order moves from one status to another. A milestone represents a significant point in the processing lifecycle that can be used as a criterion for monitoring. Milestones can be defined at the order, order line, order release, and order release line levels.

A milestone can be reached whenever there is a change in an order line. Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation marks a milestone as reached if an order line reaches a status marked as a milestone. However, there may be times that only part of an order line reaches a particular status defined as milestone.

Shipment Specific Components: Creating a Milestone
About this task

To create a milestone:

Procedure

1. In the Monitoring window, choose the Milestones tab.
2. From the Milestones list, choose the **Create New** icon. The Milestone Details window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 58 for field level descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 58. Milestone Details

Field	Description
Date Type	Enter the name of the milestone being created. **Note:** You cannot use date types you have created on the date type tab. You must create a unique name for the milestone.

Table 58. Milestone Details (continued)

Field	Description
Description	Enter a brief description of the milestone.
Requested	Select this field to indicate if the milestone represents a date requested by a Buyer, user, etc.
Expected	Select this field to indicate if the milestone represents a date the system expects or has calculated something to occur.
Actual	This field is not applicable for milestones.
Milestone Statuses	You can add statuses to associate with the milestone by selecting the **Create New** icon and entering information in the applicable fields. **Note:** This tab can only be accessed once the Primary Info tab has been filled out and saved.
Date Type	The date type if any associated with the milestone.
Status	Select the status you want use to indicate the milestone has been reached.
Level	Select Order to indicate this status must be reached at the order header level. Select Order Line to indicate that this status must be reached at the order line level. Select Order Release to indicate that this status must be reached at the order release level.
Quantity Type	Select Initial to indicate that the milestone is met when any quantity at the above selected level moves into the status. Select Complete to indicate that the milestone is met when all quantity at the above selected level moves into the status.

Shipment Specific Components: Modifying a Milestone
About this task

If modifications are made to an existing milestone, the changes are only applied to new orders. Existing orders for which milestone records have already been created are not considered.

To modify a milestone:

Procedure
1. In the Monitoring window, choose the Milestones tab.
2. From the Milestones list, locate the applicable milestone and choose the **Details** icon. The Milestone Details window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 58 on page 144 for field level descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Shipment Specific Components: Deleting a Milestone
About this task

To delete a milestone:

Procedure

1. From the Monitoring window, choose the Milestones tab.
2. From the Milestones list, locate the applicable milestone and choose the **Delete** icon.

Shipment Specific Components: Defining Monitoring Events

Events are used in instances where the Order Monitor may raise multiple alerts of the same type. For example, if an order with multiple lines that are shipped together has a shipment delay and you have configured the Order Monitor to raise alerts when shipments are delayed at the line level, an alert of the same type would be raised against each line in the order. You can create rules to aggregate all of these similar alerts and raise one "root cause".

Shipment Specific Components: Creating an Event Rule
About this task

To create an event rule:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Logistics > Monitor Events. The Monitor Events window displays.
2. From the Monitor Events list, choose the **Create New** icon. The Monitor Events Details window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 59 for field level descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Results

In most cases the attributes that identify an event should be a subset of the attributes that specify event aggregation.

Table 59. Monitor Event Details Pop-Up Window

Field	Description
Event Id	Enter the event ID.
Description	Enter a brief description of the event.
Requires Realert	Select this field if you want users to be re-alerted if the issue has not been resolved within a certain timeframe.
Realert Interval	If you selected Requires Realert, enter the interval (in hours) that re-alerts should be sent.
Automatically Resolve Alerts	Select this field to automatically remove an alert if the alert condition is no longer valid. Once the alert is resolved, a new alert is raised if the condition is detected again.
Event Identified By	
Shipment	Select this field if you want two or more alert conditions to be treated the same if they belong to the same shipment.
Service To Be Invoked	Select the alert service to be invoked should the event consolidation rule conditions be met.
Aggregate And Invoke Service For	

Table 59. Monitor Event Details Pop-Up Window (continued)

Field	Description
Shipment	Select this field if you want only one alert to be raised for a shipment when alert conditions are detected.

Modifying an Event
About this task

To modify an event rule:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Logistics > Monitor Events. The Monitor Events window displays.
2. From the Monitor Events list, select the applicable event rule and choose the **Details** icon. The Monitor Event Details window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 59 on page 146 for field level descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Shipment Specific Components: Deleting an Event
About this task

To delete an event rule:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Logistics > Monitor Events. The Monitor Events window displays.
2. From the Monitor Events list, select the applicable event rule and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining Shipment Preferences

Shipment preferences can be created to enable over shipment of products, or allow the creation of shipments without order information in the system.

Over Shipping Preferences

Over shipment is the ability to ship more than an ordered quantity. Over shipment tolerance definitions can be configured using the following criteria:
- Line Type
- Seller Organization Code
- CustomerVendor Classification/BuyerSeller Organization Code
- Item Classification/Item ID

During shipment, if a shipping preference has not been configured that matches the criteria of the shipment line, over shipment is not allowed. Otherwise, over shipment within the specified percentage is allowed.

Creating a Shipment Preference
About this task

To create a shipment preference:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Outbound Logistics > Shipping Preference. The Shipping Preferences window displays.
2. In the Shipping Preferences window, choose the Over Shipping Preferences tab. The Shipping Preference Search panel displays.
3. In the Search Results panel, choose the **Create New** icon. The Shipping Preference Details pop-up window displays.
4. Enter information into the applicable fields. Refer to Table 60 for field value descriptions.
5. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 60. Shipping Preference Details

Field	Description
Line Type	Select the line type you want to allow over shipment for.
Item ID	Enter the item ID of the item you want to allow over shipment for, if applicable.
Item Classification	Enter the item classification group you want to allow over shipment for, if applicable. For more information about item classification, see the *Catalog Management: Configuration Guide*.
Seller Organization	Select the Seller organization that you want to allow to over ship.
Buyer Organization	Select the Buyer organization that you want to be able to receive over shipments.
Customer Classification	Select the customer classification that you want to be able to receive over shipments, if applicable.
Over Ship Percentage	Enter the percentage allowed for over shipment.

Modifying a Shipment Preference
About this task

To modify a shipment preference:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Outbound Logistics > Shipping Preference. The Shipping Preferences window displays.
2. In the Shipping Preferences window, choose the Over Shipping Preferences tab. The Shipping Preference Search panel displays.
3. Enter the applicable search criteria and choose the **Search** icon. A list of preferences displays.
4. Select the applicable preference and choose the **Details** icon. The Shipping Preference Details pop-up window displays.
5. Enter information into the applicable fields. Refer to Table 60 for field value descriptions.

6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Shipment Preference
About this task

To delete a shipment preference:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Outbound Logistics > Shipping Preference. The Shipping Preferences window displays.
2. In the Shipping Preferences window, choose the Over Shipping Preferences tab. The Shipping Preference Search panel displays.
3. Enter the applicable search criteria and choose the **Search** icon. A list of preferences displays.
4. Select the applicable preference and choose the **Delete** icon.

Transaction Rules
About this task

Transaction Rules define whether the system allows the creation of shipments without an existing order information on the system.

To define transaction rules:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Outbound Logistics > Shipping Preference. The Shipping Preferences window displays.
2. In the Shipping Preferences window, choose the Transaction Rules tab.
3. Enter information in the applicable field. Refer to Table 61 for field value descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 61. Transaction Rules Tab

Field	Description
Order Available On System	Select the appropriate option from the drop-down list to ensure that the shipments are either created against existing orders or not. Options are: • **May Be** - Select this option if the orders might be available on the system. • **No** - Select this option if the orders are not available on the system. • **Yes** - Select this option if the orders are available on the system.

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Note: Return fulfillment requires sourcing configuration, which is accessible through the Distributed Order Management configuration grouping. For more information about configuring sourcing, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Distributed Order Management Configuration Guide*.

To complete an order document's lifecycle, each document has a set of different processes that it can go through. These processes are called process types. Every order document has a defined set of process types in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation.

The following process types are defined in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation for the order document types:

- Fulfillment
- Negotiation
- Shipment
- Receipt

You can configure the rules and components specific to an order document's receipt process type.

Receipt Specific Components: Process Type Pipeline Configuration

A **process type pipeline** is a series of transactions and statuses that guide document types, such as a Sales Order, through a predefined process. A pipeline consists of the different statuses a document goes through during fulfillment, negotiation, shipment, or receipt. You can also set up transactions consisting of events, actions, and conditions, as they pertain to the pipeline you are configuring.

Repositories

A repository is a logical collection of entities that define the business process workflow.

Following entities are included in a repository:

- Pipelines
- Transactions
- Statuses
- Conditions
- Actions
- Services

Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation provides a base repository for each of the system-defined process types. Some of the entities within a repository are copied when creating a new document type. For more information about creating a new document type, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

The process of return receipt is modeled through a pipeline. This represents the process configuration that is unique to an organization. An organization may also specify unique processes for each participating Enterprise.

Receipt Specific Components: Defining Pipeline Determination

Pipeline determination is used to set up conditions that affect which pipeline is used during the start of the business process workflow. For example, an organization deals with sales orders that sometimes contain hazardous materials. They have two separate pipelines, one in which orders with order lines without any hazardous materials go through and one in which orders with order lines containing hazardous materials must go through for inspection before continuing through the order process. The organization uses pipeline determination to set up a condition that determines whether or not order lines contain hazardous materials and sends the order line down the correct pipeline.

When you expand the Pipeline Determination branch, the components displayed depends on what role you are logged in as. If you are logged in as a Hub role, the Hub Rule displays. If you are logged in as an Enterprise role, both the Hub Rule and My Rule components display. Double-click on the applicable node to display the pipeline determination rules.

If you are logged in as an Enterprise role, the Hub Rule screen is grayed out and cannot be modified.

Drag conditions and pipelines into the work area to construct pipeline determination rules. A single pipeline or condition must be the root. Conditions cannot link back to an earlier component in the chain and a pipeline cannot be linked to twice.

When configuring pipeline determination for an order document type pipeline, please note that pipeline determination is only considered when adding a line or creating an order. When changes are made to draft orders pipeline determination does not occur.

Receipt Specific Components: Pipelines
About this task

For more information about configuring pipelines, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

To view the return receipt pipeline details:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Receipt > Receipt Process Model. The Return Receipt window displays.
2. In the Return Receipt window, choose Return Receipt Repository > Pipelines > Returns Receipt.
3. The Pipeline Detail: Returns Receipt (Return Receipt) window displays.

Results

For more information about creating and modifying a pipeline, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Receipt Specific Components: Transactions
About this task

Every process type has a set of base transactions defined for it. A transaction is a logical unit of work that is necessary for performing activity within Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation. Base transactions are predefined transactions that contain information about how the transaction behaves, such as how many copies of a transaction can be kept in a process type and whether or not it can have configurable base pick and drop statuses. Base transactions can be used to create new transactions. These transactions can be changed within the limits defined in the base transaction.

For more information about transactions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

To view the transaction details for a return receipt pipeline:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Receipt > Receipt Process Model. The Return Receipt window displays.
2. In the Return Receipt window, choose the **Transactions** icon.

3. The Transactions tab window displays. Refer to the following table for field value descriptions.

Results

For more information about creating and modifying transactions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Table 62. Return Receipt Pipeline - Transactions Tab Window

Field	Description
Change Receipt	This transaction represents any modifications that may be made to a return receipt.
Close Pre-Receipt	This transaction represents the completion of the pre-receiving process.
Inspect	This transaction represents the return receipt being manually inspected.
Pre-Receive	This transaction represents the pre-receipt of a container. The contents of the container are not known by the system until the actual receipt is performed.
Purge Receipt	This transaction represents the process of moving return receipts to the history tables.
Purge Receipt History	This transaction represents the process of purging return receipts from the history tables and removing them from the system.
Receipt Complete	This transaction represents the completion of a receipt.
Receive	This transaction represents the process of receiving a return receipt.
Start Receipt	This transaction indicates the start of the return receipt process.
Unreceive	This transaction represents the reversal of any performed receipt. This is used to correct any receipt that may have been recorded incorrectly.

Receipt Specific Components: Statuses
About this task

Statuses are the actual states that a document moves through in the pipeline. A transaction can contain two types of statuses, a drop status and a pickup status. A document is moved into a **drop status** when the events and conditions of a transaction have been completed. A **pickup status** takes the document from the previous drop status and moves it through the next transaction. Created and Scheduled are examples of statuses.

For more information about statuses, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

To view the status details of a return receipt pipeline:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Receipt > Receipt Process Model. The Return Receipt window displays.

2. In the Return Receipt window, choose the **Statuses** icon.
3. The Statuses tab window displays. Refer to the following table for field value descriptions.

Results

For more information about creating and modifying statuses, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Table 63. Return Receipt Pipeline - Statuses Tab Window

Field	Description
Receipt Started	This indicates that a return receipt has started.
Pre-Receipt In Progress	This indicates that the return receipt is being pre-received and cannot continue in the pipeline until pre-receipt is complete.
Pre-Received	This indicates that the return receipt has been pre-received.
Receipt In Progress	This indicates that the return receipt is being received and cannot continue in the pipeline until marked as received. **Note:** When the return receipt is moved to Receipt In Progress status, the return order is moved to Received status in the Reverse Logistics pipeline.
Received	This indicates that the return receipt has been received. **Note:** When the return receipt is moved to Received status, the return order is moved to Receipt Closed status in the Reverse Logistics pipeline.

Receipt Specific Components: Conditions
About this task

A **condition** matches document type attributes against decision points and routes the documents to different paths based on the specified attribute and value combinations. The document type attributes against which conditions can be created are predefined in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation. You can use these attributes in any combination or you can create conditions that run the appropriate application logic for specific circumstances.

For more information about conditions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

To view the condition details of a return receipt pipeline:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Receipt > Receipt Process Model. The Return Receipt window displays.
2. In the Return Receipt window, choose the **Conditions** icon.
3. The Conditions tab window displays. Refer to the following table for field value descriptions.

Results

For more information about creating and modifying conditions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Table 64. Return Receipt Pipeline - Conditions Tab Window

Field	Description
Conditions	Displays conditions that are specific to the return receipt pipeline, if any.

Receipt Specific Components: Actions
About this task

An **action** is a process or program that is triggered by an event. These processes and programs send user alert notifications and automatically resolve issues.

For example, when an order is released (the event), you can set an action to send the customer an e-mail.

For more information about Actions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

To view the action details of a return receipt pipeline:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Receipt > Receipt Process Model. The Return Receipt window displays.
2. In the Return Receipt window, choose the **Actions** icon.
3. The Actions tab window displays.

Results

For more information about creating and modifying actions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Defining Receipt Specific Rules

Allow the Receipt of an Unexpected Item
About this task

To allow the receipt of an unexpected item:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Receipt > Receipt Specific Rules. The Receipt Specific Rules window displays.
2. Check Allow Receipt of Unexpected Items.
3. Choose the **Save** icon.

Defining Receipt Preferences

Receipt preferences can be created to enable over receipt of products in the system. Over receipt is the ability to receive more than an ordered quantity. Over receipt tolerance definitions can be configured using the following criteria:
- Line Type

- Seller Organization Code
- CustomerVendor Classification/BuyerSeller Organization Code
- Item Classification/Item ID

During receipt, if a receiving preference has not been configured that matches the criteria of the receipt line, over receipt is not allowed. Otherwise, over receipt within the specified percentage is allowed.

Creating a Receipt Preference
About this task

To create a receipt preference:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Receipt > Receiving Preference. The Receiving Preference Search window displays.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Receiving Preference Details pop-up window displays.
3. Enter information into the applicable fields. Refer to Table 65 for field value descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 65. Receiving Preference Details

Field	Description
Line Type	Select the line type you want to allow over receipt for.
Item ID	Enter the item ID of the item you want to allow over receipt for, if applicable.
Item Classification	Enter the item classification group you want to allow over receipt for, if applicable. For more information about item classification, see the *Catalog Management: Configuration Guide*.
Seller Organization	Select the Seller organization that you want to allow to over receive.
Buyer Organization	Select the Buyer organization that you want to be able to receive over receipts.
Customer Classification	Select the customer classification that you want to be able to receive over receipts, if applicable.
Over Ship Percentage	Enter the percentage allowed for over receipt.
QC Required	Select this field if you require a quality control check upon receipt.
Case Content Entry Required	Select this field if you require the contents of cases to be entered into the system upon receipt.

Modifying a Receipt Preference
About this task

To modify a receipt preference:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Receipt > Receiving Preference. The Receiving Preference Search window displays.
2. Enter the applicable search criteria and choose the **Search** icon. A list of preferences displays.
3. Select the applicable preference and choose the **Details** icon. The Receiving Preference Details pop-up window displays.
4. Enter information into the applicable fields. Refer to Table 65 on page 157 for field value descriptions.
5. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Receipt Preference
About this task

To delete a receipt preference:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Receipt > Receiving Preference. The Receiving Preference Search window displays.
2. Enter the applicable search criteria and choose the **Search** icon. A list of preferences displays.
3. Select the applicable preference and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining Receiving Dispositions

You can define common codes for receiving dispositions used when handling a receipt. This common code identifies what happens to items for the document type when they are received.

Creating a Receiving Disposition
About this task

To create a receiving disposition:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Receipt > Receiving Disposition. The Return Disposition window displays.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Receiving Disposition Details pop-up window displays.
3. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 66 for field value descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 66. Receiving Disposition Details

Field	Description
Receiving Disposition	Enter the name of the receiving disposition.
Short Description	Enter a brief description of the receiving disposition.

Table 66. Receiving Disposition Details (continued)

Field	Description
Product Class	Select a product class to associate with received items, if applicable. For example, by you could assign the product class of Returned to any returned items.
Damaged	Select Is Damaged if the receiving disposition is used for handling damaged items.
Final Disposition	Select Final Disposition if the receiving disposition is to be used as final disposition for the receipt. Final Disposition marks the disposition code as final, and does not allow any further disposition transitions.
Disposition Transitions	**This displays the existing Receiving Disposition codes that are available for associating a transition with the Receiving Disposition being created or modified.**
Receiving Disposition	Existing Receiving Disposition Code available for transition association.

Creating a New Receiving Disposition From an Existing Receiving Disposition
About this task

To create a new receiving disposition from an existing receiving disposition:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *Return Order* > Receipt > Receiving Disposition.
2. The Receiving Disposition window displays with the list of Receiving Dispositions.
3. Choose the Receiving Disposition to be copied from. Choose the **Save As...** icon. The Disposition Details pop-up window displays.
4. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer Table 66 on page 158 for field value descriptions.
5. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying a Receiving Disposition
About this task

To modify a receiving disposition:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Receipt > Receiving Disposition. The Return Disposition window displays.
2. Select the applicable receiving disposition and choose the **Details** icon. The Receiving Disposition Details pop-up window displays.
3. Enter information into the applicable fields. Refer to Table 66 on page 158 for field value descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Receiving Disposition
About this task

To delete a receiving disposition:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Receipt > Receiving Disposition. The Return Disposition window displays.
2. Select the applicable receiving disposition and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining Receiving Discrepancy Reasons

You can define codes to specify reasons for any discrepancies that may occur during a receipt of a shipment or a return.

There are three types of receiving discrepancies:
- Over Receipt - Occurs when a receiving node receives additional quantity compared to the expected quantity.
- Under Receipt - Occurs when a receiving node receives less than the expected quantity for the receipt.
- Damaged Receipt - Occurs when the receiving disposition code indicates that a damaged product has been received.

A given discrepancy type can have multiple reason codes defined for it. For example, if a shipment is received with a quantity of 10 under the expected receiving quantity, it is possible for the under receipt discrepancy to have two different reasons for the receipt, such as 6 units SHORT_SHIPMENT and 4 units CARRIER_FAULT.

Creating a Receiving Discrepancy Reason
About this task

To create a receiving discrepancy reason:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Receipt > Receiving Discrepancy Reasons. The Receiving Discrepancy Reasons window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Receiving Discrepancy Reason Details pop-up window displays.
3. Enter information into the applicable fields. Refer to Table 67 for field value descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 67. Receiving Discrepancy Reason Details

Field	Description
Discrepancy Reason Code	Enter the name of the discrepancy reason code as you want it to appear throughout the system.
Discrepancy Reason Description	Enter a brief description of the reason discrepancy.

Table 67. Receiving Discrepancy Reason Details (continued)

Field	Description
Discrepancy Reference	Enter any additional reference information according to your business practices.
Discrepancy Type Group	
Over Receipt	Select Over Receipt if you want the discrepancy reason to identify scenarios in which a receiving node receives more than the expected quantity.
Under Receipt	Select Under Receipt if you want the discrepancy reason to identify scenarios in which a receiving node receives less than the expected quantity.
Damaged Receipt	Select Damaged Receipt to identify scenarios in which a receiving node receives items with a receiving disposition identifying them as damaged.
Requires Invoice Adjustment	Select Requires Invoice Adjustment if a monetary adjustment must be made when a receipt discrepancy is associated with this discrepancy reason.
Invoice Adjustment Type Group	
Credit	If you selected Requires Invoice Adjustment, select Credit if the adjustment amount results in a credit invoice.
Debit	If you selected Requires Invoice Adjustment, select Debit if the adjustment amount results in a debit invoice.
Invoice Line Reference	If you selected Requires Invoice Adjustment, enter a name for the adjustment. This reference value is used in instances when multiple adjustment invoices are created for the same order line, in which case they are split into different invoice lines if they have different invoice line references.

Modifying a Receiving Discrepancy Reason

About this task

To modify a receiving discrepancy reason:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Receipt > Receiving Discrepancy Reasons. The Receiving Discrepancy Reasons window displays in the work area.
2. Select the receiving discrepancy reason and choose the **Details** icon. The Receiving Discrepancy Reason Details pop-up window displays.
3. Enter information into the applicable fields. Refer to Table 67 on page 160 for field value descriptions.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Receiving Discrepancy Reason

About this task

To delete a receiving discrepancy reason:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Receipt > Receiving Discrepancy Reasons. The Receiving Discrepancy Reasons window displays in the work area.

2. Select the receiving discrepancy reason and choose the **Delete** icon.

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You can define rules and common codes as they pertain to payments and charges for a given order document.

Defining Payment Terms

You can define common codes for **payment terms** that you may have with your customers. These terms are predefined methods of payment.

Creating a Payment Term
About this task

To create a payment term:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Financials > Payment Terms. The Payment Terms window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Payment Term Details pop-up window displays.
3. In Payment Term, enter the name of the payment term.
4. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the payment term.
5. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the payment term.
6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying a Payment Term
About this task

To modify a payment term:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Financials > Payment Terms. The Payment Terms window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable payment term and choose the **Details** icon. The Payment Term Details pop-up window displays.
3. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the payment term.
4. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the payment term.
5. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Payment Term
About this task

To delete a payment term:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Financials > Payment Terms. The Payment Terms window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable payment term and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining Charge Definitions

You can define **charge definitions** that you can associate with orders and invoices by creating charge categories. These categories contain a group of related charge names that can be used when the particular category is used. When adding a charge to an order header or an order line, you must use the charge categories that you have defined here. The charge name that is used on the order header or on the order line may or may not be defined in the system. The charge name is validated, depending on the Validate Charge Name rule in the additional payment rules. For more information about this rule, see "Defining Additional Payment Rules" on page 167.

The default charge definitions of Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation are:

- Shipping
- Handling
- Personalization
- Discount

The default charge definitions are only available to the Hub organization at the time of installation. Any Enterprises that are created must create their own charge definitions.

Creating a Charge Category
About this task

To create a charge category:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > Load > Charge Categories. The Charge Categories window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Charge Category Details window displays.
3. In Charge Category, enter the name of the charge category.
4. In Description, enter a brief description of the charge category.
5. Select Billable if the charge is billable. Non-billable charges are not considered in order totals, but do appear in invoices.
6. Select Discount if the charge you are creating is a discount charge type.
7. Select Consider For Profit Margin if the category should be used for profit margin calculation.
8. Choose the **Save** icon.

Results

Charge categories cannot be localized. For more information about localization, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Localization Guide.*

Adding a Charge Name Associated with a Charge Category
About this task

Charge names are names of the actual charges included in the charge definition.

To add a charge name to a charge category:

Procedure
1. In the Charge Category Details window, choose the **Create New** icon. The Charge Name Details pop-up window displays.
2. In Charge Name, enter the charge name.
3. In Description, enter a brief description of the charge name.
4. Choose the **Save** icon.

Results

Charge names cannot be localized. For more information about localization, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Localization Guide.*

Modifying a Charge Name Associated with a Charge Category
About this task

To modify a charge category's charge name:

Procedure
1. In the Charge Category Details window, select the applicable charge name and choose the **Details** icon. The Charge Name Details pop-up window displays.
2. In Description, enter a brief description of the charge name.
3. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Charge Name Associated with a Charge Category
About this task

To delete a charge category's charge name select the applicable charge name in the Charge Category Details window and choose the **Delete** icon.

Modifying a Charge Category
About this task

To modify a charge category:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > Load > Charge Categories. The Charge Categories window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable charge category and choose the **Details** icon. The Charge Category Details window displays.
3. In Description, enter a brief description of the charge category.
4. Select Billable if the charge is billable. Non-billable charges are not considered in order totals, but do appear in invoices.
5. Select Discount if the charge you are creating is a discount charge type.

6. Select Consider For Profit Margin if the category should be used for profit margin calculation.
7. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Charge Category
About this task

To delete a charge definition:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > Load > Charge Categories. The Charge Categories window displays in the work area.
2. Select the applicable charge category and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining Tax Names

You can define common codes for tax names. **Tax names** are any specific taxes that may pertain to orders and invoices.

Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation understands three different types of taxes: a tax against a price, against a charge, or a flat tax.
- A tax against a price is an additional cost for a percentage of the price of the order line.
- A tax against a charge is an additional cost for a percentage of an existing charge on the order header, or order line. When adding a tax against a charge, the charge category must be one that already exists on the order header, or on the order line.
- A flat tax is a fixed tax applied on an order, independently of any charge, or price.

Creating a Tax Name
About this task

To create a tax name:

Procedure
1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Financials > Financial Attributes. The Financial window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Tax Names tab.
3. Choose the **Create New** icon. The Tax Name Details pop-up window displays.
4. In Tax Name, enter the name of the tax name.
5. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the tax name.
6. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the tax name.
7. Choose the **Save** icon.

Modifying a Tax Name
About this task

To modify a tax name:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Financials > Financial Attributes. The Financial window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Tax Names tab.
3. Select the applicable tax name and choose the **Details** icon. The Tax Name Details pop-up window displays.
4. In Short Description, enter a brief description of the tax name.
5. In Long Description, enter a more detailed description of the tax name.
6. Choose the **Save** icon.

Deleting a Tax Name

About this task

To delete a tax name:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Financials > Financial Attributes. The Financial window displays in the work area.
2. Choose the Tax Names tab.
3. Select the applicable tax name and choose the **Delete** icon.

Defining Additional Payment Rules

About this task

You can set up payment collection rules that are used when an order is sent for payment authorization.

Note: To define additional payment rules for quotes, refer to "Defining Additional Payment Rules for Quotes".

To define additional payment rules:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Financials > Financial Rules. The Financial Rules window displays in the work area.
2. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to the following table for field value descriptions.
3. Choose the **Save** icon.

Results

Table 68. Financial Rules

Field	Description
Hold Order For Authorization	Check this box if you want to hold the order for authorization purposes.
Use Same Authorization Multiple Times	Check this box if you want to use the same authorization for multiple transactions.

Table 68. Financial Rules (continued)

Field	Description
Allow Refund To Exceed Charged Amount	Check this box if you want to allow refunds of unlimited amount for an order. **Note:** If this rule is enabled, it will supersede the `Allow Refunding Of Negative Debits Before Sufficient Collection Has Occurred` rule.
Validate Charge Name	Check this box to indicate that the system needs to validate if the charge names used for an order document exist in the system before proceeding with payment collection.
Create Invoice Before Order Or Shipment	Check this box if you want to be able to create an informational invoice before an order or a shipment.
Apply Price Change To Invoiced Quantity	Check this box to apply the price changes to the invoiced quantity. If this box is unchecked, then price change after invoicing is not applied to the order.
Do Not Allow Debit And Credit Invoices To Settle Each Other	Check this box to ensure that positive and negative transactions are not able to negate each other.
Invoice Open Header Charges/Taxes On Invoice Complete	Check this box if you want all open header charges and taxes to be invoiced when an order is moved to the Invoice Complete status.
Allow Refunding Of Negative Debits Before Sufficient Collection Has Occurred	When "Do Not Allow Debit And Credit Invoices To Settle Each Other" is checked, this rule determines whether the credit memo should refund immediately or wait until there are sufficient credits to refund on the order. This applies only to sales orders. **Note:** The amount to refund cannot exceed the total order amount.
Enable Payment Card Type Configuration Level	Check this box to enable different configurations for credit cards. Use the Payment Card Type window to configure credit cards.
Do Not Consolidate Settlement or Refund Requests Across Invoices	When "Do Not Allow Debit And Credit Invoices To Settle Each Other" is checked, check this box if you want to charge and refund each invoice separately. If this box is unchecked, payments are consolidated. If "Do Not Allow Debit And Credit Invoices To Settle Each Other" is disabled, negative invoices are used to pay positive invoices.
Prioritize INVOICED Payment Status Over REQUEST_CHARGE For Asynchronous Processing	Check this box if you want invoiced orders to remain in INVOICED status when asynchronous payment requests are made on the orders. If the box is unchecked, orders move to REQUESTED_CHARGE status, which indicates there is a pending charge on the orders. By default, this option is enabled.

Table 68. Financial Rules (continued)

Field	Description
Disassociate Payment Processing of Advanced Pre-Paid Exchange Order from Return Order	Check this box if you do not want to transfer the fund between a return order and an advanced prepaid exchange order. When a return order is invoiced with this check box selected, the amount will be refunded to the payment method of the corresponding sales order. The payment method on the advanced prepaid exchange order will be charged for the entire amount of the advanced prepaid exchange order, and refund will happen for the entire amount of the return order. Note: If this check box is selected, the return order invoice details will also contain the details of the refund. Note: In case of a blind return order, if this check box is selected, the amount will be refunded to the payment method of the blind return order.
Expiration for Authorization (Days)	Enter the number of days before the authorization expires at which a reauthorization request is automatically created by the Payment Collection time-triggered transaction. For example, if an order expires on 4/15, and the fixed number of days is 4, then the reauthorization request is created on 4/11.
Hold To Be Applied Due To Insufficient Funds In Customer Account	Create or choose the hold type to be applied for cases in which a customer account contains insufficient funds to complete a transaction. The hold is triggered internally by the system, and therefore, should not be set to automatically apply in the hold configuration.
Charge Name for Shipping	Select the charge name that represents the shipping charge on an order, as described in "Creating a Charge Category" on page 164. Note: Do not use the same charge name that is used by a pricing rule. If the same charge name is used, unexpected pricing calculations will occur.
Create Shipment Invoice for Bundle Parent on Invoicing Of	
All Bundle Components	Check this box to create a shipment invoice for the bundle parent once all bundle components have been invoiced.
First Bundle Component	Check this box to create a shipment invoice for the bundle parent once the first bundle component has been invoiced.
Date for Pricing Confirmed Orders	
Use System Date	Enable this radio button if you want pricing to be based on the current system date.
User Order Date	Enable this radio button if you want pricing to be based on the order date.

Chapter 21. Configuring a Document's Purge Criteria

Purge Criteria business rules are used to define qualifications around each type of purge. **Purges** are the process by which old data is removed from the system database. Purges minimize the number of unused database records to increase search efficiency and reduce the size of the required physical disk. In Purge Criteria Rules, default purge rules are provided. These can be modified for your system operations.

Table 69 lists the purge rules provided for order document types in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation.

Table 69. Order Document Type Purge Rules

Rule	Description	Default Retention Days
PRG_SHIP_STATS	Purges shipment statistics and archives them in the history tables.	30
STATUSAUDITPRG	Purges order age alerts (if you have configured the system to trigger alerts when the order document type stays in a particular status for a specified time period).	30
NEGOTIATIONPRG	Purges negotiation information and archives it in the history tables.	30
NEGOTIATIONHISTPRG	Purges negotiation information from the negotiation history tables.	30
RECEIPTPRG	Purges receipt information and archives it in the history tables.	30
RECEIPTHISTPRG	Purges receipt information from the receipt history tables.	30
ORDERHISTPRG	Purges order information from the order history tables.	30
ORDERPRG	Purges order information and archives it in the history tables.	30
ORDER_RELEASE_STATUS_PURGE	Purges order release status records with a quantity of 0.	30
PICKLISTPRG	Purges pick list information.	30
SHIPMENTHISTPRG	Purges shipment information from the shipment history tables.	30
SHIPMENTPRG	Purges shipment information and archives it in the history tables.	30
DRAFTORDERNOLINEPRG	Purges draft orders that do not have any order lines.	30
DRAFTORDERNOLINEHISTPRG	Purges draft orders without any order lines from the history table.	30

Table 69. Order Document Type Purge Rules (continued)

Rule	Description	Default Retention Days
DRAFTORDERHISTPRG	Purges draft order information from the draft order history tables.	30
DRAFTORDERPRG	Purges draft order information and archives it in the history tables.	30

Table 70 lists the purge rules provided for the opportunity document type in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation.

Table 70. Opportunity Document Type Purge Rules

Rule	Description	Default Retention Days
OPPORTUNITYPRG	Purges opportunity information and archives it in the history tables.	30
OPPORTUNITYHISTPRG	Purges opportunity information from the opportunity history tables.	30

Modifying an Order Document Type's Purge Criteria Rule

About this task

To modify an order document type's purge criteria rule:

Procedure

1. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose Document Specific > *(Document Type)* > Purge Criteria. The Purge Criteria List window displays in the work area.
2. Enter information in the applicable fields. Refer to Table 71 for field value descriptions.
3. Choose the **Save** icon.

Table 71. Purge Criteria Details Pop-up Window

Field	Description
Purge Code	Identifies a purge program. This is a system defined code.
Description	Describes the type of purge.
Rollback Segment	Defines the rollback segment that should be explicitly used for the purge transaction qualified by the purge code. This is useful when there are huge logical data sets that have to be purged. This is optional and used for order related purges.
Retention Days	Enter the number of days the data is to be retained in the database (going backwards from the time the program runs). Make sure that your table size takes into account the number of retention days entered here.
Write to Log File	Check this box if you want purged data written to a log file. The log file can be backed up and used as a journal at a later date.

Table 71. Purge Criteria Details Pop-up Window (continued)

Field	Description
Log File Name	Enter a log file name. The log file is created in the directory specified in the `yfs.purge.path` property. If this is not passed, it defaults to the value specified in the `yfs.properties` file. If a variable is introduced, then the `yfs.purge.path` is ignored. To override this property, add an entry for it in the `<INSTALL_DIR>/properties/customer_overrides.properties` file. For additional information about overriding properties using the `customer_overrides.properties` file, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Properties Guide*. For more information about using variables for the log file directory, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. For information about filename limitations related to internationalization, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Localization Guide*.
Additional Purge Criteria These parameters are used to override the order history purge retention days. This override is configured based on the line types within each order defined at the enterprise and document type levels. **Note:** These additional parameters can be defined only for order history purge (`ORDHISTPRG`) criteria.	
Line Type	Select the line types from the drop-down list. For more information about defining line types, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Distributed Order Management Configuration Guide*.
Additional Retention Days	Enter the additional number of days (apart from the retention days specified by the order history purge) the data is to be retained in the database. Make sure that your table size takes into account the number of retention days entered here. **Note:** To be considered for additional retention days, the order line must have at least some quantity that is not cancelled or shorted.

Note: The history purge date cannot be reset when you restore the order after it was purged. For example, if an order is purged with a history purge date of 20070801 and when the order is restored in the year 2006, the history purge date still remains as 20070801.

Results

The following example provides an use-case of the line type purge in an order placement scenario:

An order is placed with the following 4 order lines:
- Order Line 1 - Television
- Order Line 2 - 2 year Television service plan with Line Type as 2YR_WARRANTY. Therefore, the additional retention days are 721.
- Order Line 3 - Stereo
- Order Line 4 - 4 year Stereo service plan with Line Type as 4YR_WARRANTY. Therefore, the additional retention days are 1451.

Assume that the order is set to be purged after 30 days. On day 1, the order moves into a purgeable status. On day 30, the order is purged to the history table. The purge history date is set as:

Today + 10 + Maximum(721, 1491) = 1491 days, where 10 is the number of retention days for the history purge.

On day 40, the history purge agent does not pick up this order to purge, since the purge history date is set. Rather, the order is purged from the history on day 1491.

Chapter 22. Time-Triggered Transaction Reference

Time-Triggered Transaction Reference

Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation provides a collection of time-triggered transactions, which are utilities that perform a variety of individual functions, automatically and at specific time intervals.

Time-triggered transactions perform repetitive actions on a scheduled basis, typically performing database updates, raising events, or calling APIs. One type of transaction, monitors, are designed to watch for processes or circumstances that are out of bounds and then raise alerts. Often, but not always, they retrieve tasks from the task queue or work from the pipeline.

Some transactions enable you to collect statistical data regarding the application's health. This data is collected periodically, using the value specified for the `yantra.statistics.persist.interval` attribute in the `yfs.properties` file. By default, statistics collection set to `on`. To override this property, add an entry in the `<INSTALL_DIR>/properties/customer_overrides.properties` file. For additional information about overriding properties using the `customer_overrides.properties` file, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Properties Guide*.

For more information about statistics persistence, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Performance Management Guide*. For more information about the specific statistics parameters used, see the applicable time-triggered transactions.

The time-triggered transactions described in this chapter are unique transactions, that may or may not be document type specific. For document specific transactions, the nomenclature helps define which unique transaction it is based on: a transaction ID is in the format `Unique_Transaction_ID.Document_Type_Code`. For example, the transaction ID for Purge Return is `PURGE.0003`, indicating that it is based on the unique transaction `PURGE`, for document type `0003`, which is Return Order. Therefore, in order to be able to configure Purge Return, you should look for the `PURGE` transaction ID in this chapter, which is Order Purge.

Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation provides the following types of time-triggered transactions:

- Business Process Time-Triggered Transactions - responsible for processing
- Time-Triggered Purge Transactions - clear out data that may be discarded after having been processed
- Task Queue Syncher Time-Triggered Transactions - update the task queue repository with the latest list of open tasks to be performed by each transaction, based on the latest pipeline configuration
- Monitors - watch and send alerts for processing delays and exceptions

Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation tracks the following statistics for each time-triggered transaction:

- ExecuteMessageCreated - The number of jobs added to the JMS queue in a given time interval.
- ExecuteMessageSuccess - The number of jobs that were run successfully in a given time interval.

- ExecuteMessageError - The number of jobs that failed to run in a given time interval.
- GetJobsProcessed - The number of GetJob messages that were processed in a given time interval.

Note: Some of the statistics collected and tracked in Release 9.1 for time-triggered transactions, monitors, and integration and application servers may change with the next release of Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation.

Running Time-Triggered Transactions

All time-triggered transactions are threadable. This means that you can run multiple instances of a transaction within a single process. For more information about running time-triggered transactions, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Installation Guide*. For more information about fine-tuning system performance while running them concurrently, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Performance Management Guide*.

Steps to Complete Before Scheduling Time-Triggered Transactions

About this task

Before running and scheduling a time-triggered transaction, ensure that you have completed the following:

Procedure

1. Configure a JMS Connection Factory to correlate with the QCF name configured for the time-triggered transaction. The Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation factory defaults include the AGENT_QCF as the JMS Connection Factory. For more information about configuring JMS, see the documentation for your specific application server.
2. Configure JMS Server Destinations to correlate with the group or individual name of the time-triggered transaction. The Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation factory defaults include the DefaultAgentQueue as the server destination.
   Do not put a dot (.) in the name of a JMS Server Destination, for example,'A.0001'. If you do, Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation is unable to communicate with it.
3. Using the Applications Manager, configure each time-triggered transaction required for your business process as described in the section entitled "Defining Transactions" in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*. Each set of time-triggered transaction criteria parameters must ensure the appropriate association of a JMS Agent Server.

Configuring Communication Between an Agent and a JMS Server

About this task

Setting up communication between an agent (time-triggered transaction) and a remote JMS server requires that you do some prerequisite setup on your JMS system, then do some configuration within the application, which consists of the following procedures:

- If an initial context factory code for your JMS system is not provided with the application, you must create one. See "Create an Initial Context Factory Code" for the list of codes that are provided.
- Defining the transaction details – the time-triggered transaction, or agent, must be edited to include connection information for your JMS system and the initial context factory you create. See "Define the Transaction Information" on page 178.

For more information about time-triggered transactions and how they fit into the larger picture of application business process modeling, see the *Configuring Process Models* chapter. Also see the *Configuring Alert Queues* chapter for additional information about queues and agents.

Prerequisites
About this task

Before starting, complete these tasks for your JMS Server. See your JMS Server documentation for more information about performing these tasks.

Procedure
1. Configure the JMS Queue Connection Factory (QCF) and queues on your JMS server.
2. Configure the JNDI representation of the queues on your JMS server.

   Ensure that you have the following information available from these tasks:
   - JNDI name for each queue
   - JNDI QCF lookup
   - JMS location - the provider URL for the JMS server

Results

Once you have completed the preceding tasks, complete the next two procedures in the order shown. These are both done in the application.

Create an Initial Context Factory Code
About this task

Using an Initial Context Factory (ICF) class enables remote Java clients to connect to your application. This class is provided by the application vendor. The application uses ICF codes to identify these when setting up agents. Initial context factory codes are predefined in the application for the following JMS vendors:
- IBM WebSphere® MQ (for MQSeries® accessed through a IBM WebSphere Internet Inter-ORB Protocol URL)
- File (for MQSeries accessed through a file URL, as with Oracle WebLogic)
- Oracle WebLogic (for WebLogic JMS)
- JBoss (for JBoss JMS)

If you are using a JMS server that is **not** in the preceding list (for example, ActiveMQ), you must create an initial context factory code for it in the application:

Procedure

1. Open the Applications Manager. From the tree in the application rules side panel, choose System Administration > Initial Context Factory Codes. The Initial Context Factory Codes window displays in the work area.

2. Select the + icon to create a new initial context factory code. The Initial Context Factory window is displayed.

3. In the Initial Context Factory field, enter the name of the class provided by your JMS vendor. For example, for ActiveMQ, the class name is org.apache.activemq.jndi.ActiveMQInitialContextFactory.

4. In the Short Description field, enter a descriptive name, up to 40 characters. Make note of this name, because you will use it in the next procedure (see "Define the Transaction Information"). For ActiveMQ, enter **ActiveMQ**.

5. In the Long Description field, enter a more detailed description for the initial context factory, up to 100 characters.

6. Save the new initial context factory code and close the window.

Results

For more information about ICFs, see *Creating an Initial Context Factory Code*.

Define the Transaction Information

About this task

For the JMS server to communicate with the application, there must be a time-triggered transaction configured with the JMS server and ICF information.

Procedure

1. Open the Applications Manager. From the tree in the application rules side panel, double-click Process Modeling. The Process Modeling window displays in the work area.

2. Select the desired tab, then Base Document Type, then double-click Process Type.

3. Double-click the transaction that corresponds to the agent to be run.

4. Select the Time Triggered tab.

5. Create or select an existing Agent Criteria Definition to edit.

6. The Agent Criteria Details screen is displayed. Select the Runtime Properties tab.

7. Select an existing Agent Server from the list or create your own (recommended).

8. Select an existing Alert Queue from the list or create your own.

9. In the JMS Queue Name field, enter the JNDI name for the queue that you created. See "Prerequisites" on page 177.

10. Enter the desired number of threads the agent should run (recommended not to exceed 5 threads - if more than 5 are needed, start another agent in its own JVM).

11. Select the Initial Context Factory code you created. See "Create an Initial Context Factory Code" on page 177.

12. In the QCF Lookup field, enter the JNDI QCF lookup for the queue that you created (this is the Queue Connection Factory created for the applicable JMS Server). See "Prerequisites" on page 177.

13. Enter the Provider URL. This is the location where the JMS system resides, and is JMS vendor specific.

14. Select whether the agent should trigger itself (recommended) and at what interval (in minutes) or use an external trigger (triggeragent.sh in the *<install_dir>*/install/bin directory).

15. See Setting up the JMS Security Properties for information about setting the JMS Security option.

16. Leave the Criteria Parameters tab values at the default values.

17. Save the Agent Criteria Details and close the window.

18. Launch the agent in its own JVM by executing the startagentserver.sh/cmd script in the *<install_dir>*/install/bin directory.

Results

For additional information about defining transactions and about this procedure, see the sections *Defining Transactions* and *Specifying a Transaction as Time-Triggered* in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

Business Process Time-Triggered Transactions

All Business Process Time-Triggered Transactions have a `CollectPendingJobs` criteria parameter. If this parameter is set to N, the agent does not collect information about the pending jobs pertaining to this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.

By default, `CollectPendingJobs` is set to `Y`. It can be helpful to set it to `N` if one particular time-triggered transaction is performing a significant amount of `getPendingJobs` queries, and the overhead cost is too high.

Asynchronous Request Processor

This transaction completes any API request or service request in offline mode. It picks up the API messages or service messages from the YFS_ASYNC_REQ table and invokes the corresponding API or service. The messages can be inserted into the YFS_ASYNC_REQ table using the createAsyncRequest API.

Attributes

Following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 72. Asynchronous Request Processor Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	ASYNC_REQ_PROCESSOR
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No

Criteria Parameters

Following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 73. Asynchronous Request Processor Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Lead Days	Number of days before the present date the agent will purge the records. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 30.
Maximum Error Count	Maximum number of times the record is processed if an exception is thrown. Once the number of unsuccessful attempts equals this number, that record is not processed further by the agent. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 20.
Reprocess Interval In Minutes	Time in minutes after which the transaction will be reprocessed - after it has been processed and has thrown an exception.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where the YFS_ASYNC_REQ table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

None

Pending Job Count

None

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 74. Events Raised by the Asynchronous Request Processor

Transaction/Event	Key Data	Data Published*	Template Support?
HAS_EXCEPTIONS	None	YCP_ASYNC_REQ_ PROCESSOR.HAS_ EXCEPTIONS.html	Yes
*These files are located in the following directory: <INSTALL_DIR>/xapidocs/api_javadocs/XSD/HTML			

Case Insensitive Data Loader

The Case Insensitive Data Loader agent migrates data from columns marked CaseInsensitiveSearch to shadow columns. The agent uses the transaction criteria to identify the records that need to be updated and then converts the original

column values to lowercase values in the shadow columns. For more information about enabling case insensitive searches, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Database*.

The Case Insensitive Data Loader agent is required for updating the existing data. Once the shadow columns have been created, the Case Insensitive Data Loader agent only needs to be run once for each table or table type. The shadow columns are then populated in real-time by the application.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 75. Case Insensitive Data Loader Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	DATA_LOADER
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 76. Case Insensitive Data Loader Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. • If left blank or the number specified is less than 10000, it defaults to 5000. • If the number specified is greater than 10000, then that value is used.
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to "N", the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.
TableType	Required in a multischema deployment when a table may exist in multiple schemas. Valid Values: CONFIGURATION, TRANSACTION, MASTER. If set to CONFIGURATION, the agent runs for the records associated with tables that have TableType as CONFIGURATION. If set to TRANSACTION, the agent runs for the records associated with tables that have TableType as TRANSACTION.
Table Name	Required. The table name for the records to be migrated to shadow columns.

Table 76. Case Insensitive Data Loader Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

None.

Pending Job Count

None.

Events Raised

None.

Change Load Status

This transaction is equivalent to the changeLoadStatus() API. For detailed information about this transaction, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

To be configured as part of your load processing pipeline, this transaction can be used whenever an automatic change in the status of a load is required. This automatic change could represent exporting load information to load planning software or transmission to the load's carrier.

This transaction should be configured to work from the task queue.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 77. Change Load Status Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	CHANGE_LOAD_STATUS
Base Document Type	Load
Base Process Type	Load Execution
Abstract Transaction	Yes
APIs Called	changeLoadStatus()

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 78. Change Load Status Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.

Table 78. Change Load Status Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 79. Change Load Status Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumLoadsChanged	Number of loads whose status was changed.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the CurrentDate value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

This transaction raises events as specified under the `changeLoadStatus()` API in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

Change Shipment Status

This transaction is equivalent to the `changeShipmentStatus()` API. For detailed information about this transaction, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

To be configured as part of your shipment processing pipeline, this transaction can be used whenever an automatic change in the status of a shipment is required. For example, this automatic change could represent exporting shipment information to a warehouse management system or to transmit an Advance Shipping Notice to the buyer.

This transaction should be configured to work from the task queue.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 80. Change Shipment Status Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	CHANGE_SHIPMENT_STATUS
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Delivery
Abstract Transaction	Yes
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 81. Change Shipment Status Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 82. Create Chained Order Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumShipmentsChanged	Number of shipments whose status was changed.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

This transaction raises events as specified under the `changeShipmentStatus()` API in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

Close Delivery Plan

To boost system performance, this transaction serves as a temporary purge until the Delivery Plan Purge deletes delivery plan-related data (see "Delivery Plan Purge" on page 254).

This transaction picks all delivery plans that do not have any of their loads or shipments still open and marks the deliveryplan_closed_flag='Y'. This flag indicates no further operations are possible on the plan.

This transaction corresponds to the base transaction close delivery plan (CLOSE_DELIVERY_PLAN) in the load pipeline.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge jobs.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 83. Close Delivery Plan Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	CLOSE_DELIVERY_PLAN
Base Document Type	Load
Base Process Type	Load Execution
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 84. Close Delivery Plan Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 85. Close Delivery Plan Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumDeliveryPlansClosed	Number of delivery plans closed.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 86. Events Raised by Close Delivery Plan Transaction

Transaction/Event	Key Data	Data Published	Template Support?
ON_SUCCESS	delivery_plan_ dbd.txt	YDM_CLOSE_DELIVERY _PLAN.ON_ SUCCESS.xml	Yes

However, note that the template name would read
<TransactionId>.ON_SUCCESS.xml.

Close Load

To boost system performance, this transaction serves as a temporary purge until
the Load Purge deletes load-related data (see "Load Purge" on page 268).

This transaction corresponds to the base transaction Close Load (CLOSE_LOAD) in
the load pipeline.

If you use the Load processing pipeline, you must schedule this transaction. Only
closed loads are picked up by the purge transaction. Therefore, it is required that
this transaction be made part of the pipeline and scheduled to run at the end of
the day.

This transaction should be made part of the pipeline. In addition, it should be
configured to work from the task queue.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 87. Close Load Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	CLOSE_LOAD
Base Document Type	Load
Base Process Type	Load Execution
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 88. Close Load Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Next Task Queue Interval	Optional. Specifies in hours how long a failed task should be suspended before it is considered for reprocessing. Defaults to 5 hours.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 89. Close Load Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumLoadsClosed	Number of loads closed.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of open delivery plans, which are not associated to any open loads and open shipments.

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 90. Events Raised by the Close Load Transaction

Transaction/Event	Data Published	Template Support?
ON_SUCCESS	YDM_CLOSE_LOAD_PLAN.ON_ SUCCESS.xml	Yes

However, note that the template name would read <TransactionId>.ON_SUCCESS.xml.

Close Manifest

This time-triggered transaction sets the manifest's MANIFEST_CLOSED_FLAG flag to 'Y' and updates the manifest status to CLOSED. This time-triggered transaction confirms all the shipments that are pending confirmation, and closes the manifest.

Note: If the Close Manifest Agent is triggered without any criteria, it closes all the candidate manifests across all ShipNodes.

The `yfs.closemanifest.online` property in the `yfs.properties_ysc_ext.in` file is used to set this time-triggered transaction to work in online or offline mode.
* **Online mode:** In the online mode, the close manifest transaction runs as usual, confirming all shipments in the manifest and then closing the manifest.
* **Offline mode:** In the offline mode, the close manifest transaction triggers an agent and changes the manifest status to 'Closure Requested'. When the agent runs, it confirms either each shipment of the manifest, or closes the manifest, in an execution call.

The mode of operation (online or offline) is decided on the basis of the value specified for the `yfs.closemanifest.online` property in the `yfs.properties_ycs_ext.in` file. To override this property, add an entry for it in the `<INSTALL_DIR>/properties/customer_overrides.properties` file. For additional information about overriding properties using the `customer_overrides.properties` file, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Properties Guide*.

The default out-of-the-box shipped property causes the Close Manifest transaction to run in online mode.

In instances where the Close Manifest transaction is run in offline mode, ensure that all Agent Criteria defined for the transaction are configured properly.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 91. Close Manifest Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	CLOSE_MANIFEST
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	Manifesting
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	confirmShipment()

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 92. Close Manifest Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
AgentCriteriaGroup	Optional. Used to classify nodes. This value can be accepted by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation time-triggered transactions that only perform their tasks on the nodes with a matching node transactional velocity value. Valid values are: LOW, HIGH, and any additional values defined by the Hub from Application Platform > System Administration > Agent Criteria Groups.
ShipNode	Optional. Ship node for which the Close Manifest needs to be run. If not passed, then all ship nodes are monitored.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following are statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 93. Close Manifest Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumShipmentsConfirmed	Number of shipments confirmed.
NumManifestsClosed	Number of manifests closed.
NumManifestsErrored	Number of manifests errored.
NumShipmentsErrored	Number of shipments errored.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the sum of open manifests and shipments belonging to manifests (with MANIFEST_STATUS='1200').

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 94. Events Raised by the Close Manifest Transaction

Transaction/Event	Key Data	Data Published	Template Support?
ON_SUCCESS	manifest_dbd.txt	YDM_CLOSE_MANIFEST .ON_SUCCESS.xml	Yes

Close Order

This time-triggered transaction sets the order's ORDER_CLOSED flag to 'Y' and raises the ON_SUCCESS event. These actions are only performed when the entire ORDER_QTY for all the order lines reaches the configured pickup status. If an order has ORDER_CLOSED set to 'Y', it is not picked up for monitoring.

The Close Order agent must be configured along with the Purge transaction in the pipeline.

Many of this transaction's elements and attributes are template-driven. Refer to the XML for element level details.

The Close Order agent must be run before running the Monitor agent in order to avoid alerts getting raised for cancelled orders.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 95. Close Order Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	CLOSE_ORDER
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 96. Close Order Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.

Table 96. Close Order Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Next Task Queue Interval	Optional. Specifies in hours how long a failed task should be suspended before it is considered for reprocessing. Defaults to 5 hours.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 97. Close Order Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumOrdersProcessed	Number of orders processed.
NumOrdersClosed	Number of orders closed.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table, if tasks on hold are not ready to be processed.

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 98. Events Raised by the Close Order Transaction

Transaction/Event	Data Published	Template Support?
ON_SUCCESS	YFS_CLOSE_ORDER.ON_ SUCCESS.xml	Yes

Close Receipts

This time-triggered transaction closes receipts using the receiving rule specified.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 99. Close Receipts Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	RECEIPT_COMPLETE
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Receipt (Purchase Order Receipt, Return Receipt, Transfer Order Receipt, Receipt)
Abstract Transaction	No

Table 99. Close Receipts Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Value
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 100. Close Receipts Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Enterprise for which the Close Receipts needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
Node	Node for which the Close Receipts needs to be run. **Note:** Both **Node** and **AgentCriteriaGroup** cannot be blank. You must specify a value for the **Node** parameter, the **AgentCriteriaGroup** parameter, or both parameters.
AgentCriteriaGroup	Used to classify nodes. This value can be accepted by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation time-triggered transactions that only perform their tasks on the nodes with a matching node transactional velocity value. Valid values are: LOW, HIGH, and any additional values defined by the Hub from Application Platform > System Administration > Agent Criteria Groups.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 101. Close Receipts Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumReceiptsClosed	Number of receipts closed.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of Receipts that can be closed (with OPEN_RECEIPT_FLAG='Y').

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 102. Events Raised by the Close Receipts Transaction

Transaction/Event	Key Data	Data Published	Template Support?
ON_SUCCESS	receipt_dbd.txt	YFS_RECEIPT_COMPLETE .ON_SUCCESS.xml	Yes

Close Shipment

To boost system performance, this transaction serves as a temporary purge until the Shipment Purge deletes all shipment-related data (see "Shipment Purge" on page 305).

This transaction picks all shipments eligible to be closed, based on the pipeline configuration for pickup for transaction CLOSE_SHIPMENT, and marks the shipment_closed_flag='Y'. This flag indicates no further operations are possible on the shipment. There is no status change involved. This transaction can be configured in the pipeline so that it picks up either Shipped or Delivered status.

This transaction corresponds to the base transaction close shipment (CLOSE_SHIPMENT) in the shipment pipeline.

This transaction should be made part of the pipeline. In addition, it should be configured to work from the task queue.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 103. Close Shipment Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	CLOSE_SHIPMENT
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Delivery
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 104. Close Shipment Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.

Table 104. Close Shipment Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
Next Task Queue Interval	Optional. Specifies in hours how long a failed task should be suspended before it is considered for reprocessing. Defaults to 5 hours.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following are statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 105. Close Shipment Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumShipmentsClosed	Number of shipments closed.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 106. Events Raised by the Close Shipment Transaction

Transaction/Event	Key Data	Data Published	Template Support?
ON_SUCCESS	shipment_dbd.txt	YDM_CLOSE_SHIPMENT. ON_SUCCESS.xml	Yes

Collect Shipment Statistics

Collect Shipment Statistics is a time-triggered transaction which can be invoked to process the shipments, and generate information required for the Daily Shipment Report.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 107. Collect Shipment Statistics Attributes

Attribute	Value
Transaction Name	Collect Shipment Statistics
Transaction ID	COLLECT_STATISTICS
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Delivery
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Table 107. Collect Shipment Statistics Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Value
User Exits Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 108. Collect Shipment Statistics Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Node	Required. The ship node for which records are being processed.
AgentCriteriaGroup	Optional. Used to classify nodes. This value can be accepted by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation time-triggered transactions that only perform their tasks on the nodes with a matching node transactional velocity value. Valid values are: LOW, HIGH, and any additional values defined by the Hub from Application Platform > System Administration > Agent Criteria Groups.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 109. Statistics for Collect Shipment Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumDaysStatisticsCollected	Number of days for which shipment statistics have been collected.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of days for which shipment statistics needs to be collected. The number of days is calculated as the difference (in days) between the current date and the last date when shipment statistics was collected.

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 110. Events Raised by the Collect Shipment Statistics Transaction

Transaction/Event	Data Published	Template Support?
ON_SUCCESS	YDM_COLLECT_STATISTICS.ON_ SUCCESS.xml	No

Consolidate Additional Inventory

The Consolidate Additional Inventory time-triggered transaction consolidates supply and demand from the YFS_INVENTORY_SUPPLY_ADDNL and YFS_INVENTORY_DEMAND_ADDNL tables. Consolidation is performed by summing up the quantities of additional supply and demand in the YFS_INVENTORY_SUPPLY and YFS_INVENTORY_DEMAND tables.

If no matching supply or demand is found, a new supply or demand is created with the sum quantity of the changes in the YFS_INVENTORY_SUPPLY_ADDNL and YFS_INVENTORY_DEMAND_ADDNL tables. After the changes are applied, the records in the YFS_INVENTORY_SUPPLY_ADDNL and YFS_INVENTORY_DEMAND_ADDNL tables that were used in the consolidation process, are deleted.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 111. Consolidate Additional Inventory Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	CONSOLIDATE_ADDNL_INV
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the parameters for this transaction:

Table 112. Consolidate Additional Inventory Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of inventory item records (whose additional supplies and demands are consolidated) to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.

Table 112. Consolidate Additional Inventory Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where the YFS_INVENTORY_SUPPLY_ADDNL and YFS_INVENTORY_DEMAND_ADDNL tables may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 113. Consolidate Additional Inventory Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumInventorySupplyAddnlsProcessed	Number of additional inventory supply records processed in the consolidation.
NumInventoryDemandAddnlsProcessed	Number of additional inventory demand records processed in the consolidation.
NumInventoryDemandDtlsProcessed	Number of inventory demand details records processed in the consolidation.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of distinct inventory items in the YFS_INVENTORY_SUPPLY_ADDNL and YFS_INVENTORY_DEMAND_ADDNL tables, multiplied by two.

Events Raised

None.

Consolidate To Shipment

This is a task queue based transaction in the order pipeline that corresponds to base transaction CONSOLIDATE_TO_SHIPMENT. This transaction finds a shipment into which a given order release can be included. If it finds an existing shipment, it calls `changeShipment()` API. Otherwise, it calls the `createShipment()` API.

To find the existing shipments it matches ShipNode, ShipTo Address, SellerOrganizationCode, Carrier, DocumentType and so forth, of the Order Release with that of existing shipments.

This transaction is applicable only to the shipments in one of the following Statuses:
- Shipment Created
- ESP Check Required
- On ESP Hold
- Released from ESP Hold
- Released For Routing
- Awaiting Routing

- Shipment Routing
- Sent To Node

To successfully consolidate an Order Release to an existing shipment, the Add Line and related modification types on shipment in its current status should be allowed.

This transaction is a part of the Order Fulfillment pipeline. In addition, it should be configured to work from the task queue.

Order releases with GIFT_FLAG set to Y are never consolidated with any other release.

For more information, see the details provided under the createShipment(), changeShipment(), releaseOrder(), and consolidateToShipment() APIs in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 114. Consolidate to Shipment Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	CONSOLIDATE_TO_SHIPMENT
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	createShipment() and changeShipment()
User Exits	- It calls beforeConsolidateToShipment in com.yantra.ydm.japi.ue. - YDMBeforeConsolidateToShipment for each release before it begins processing. - After it finds the shipments, it calls determineShipmentToConsolidateWith in com.yantra.ydm.japi.ue. YDMDetermineShipmentToConsolidateWith. For more information, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 115. Consolidate to Shipment Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.

Table 115. Consolidate to Shipment Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
Next Task Queue Interval	Optional. Specifies in hours how long a failed task should be suspended before it is considered for reprocessing. Defaults to 5 hours.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 116. Consolidate to Shipment Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumOrderReleasesConsolidated	Number of order releases consolidated.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 117. Events Raised by the Consolidate to Shipment Transaction

Transaction/Event	Key Data	Data Published	Template Support?
ON_SUCCESS	shipment_dbd.txt	YDM_CONSOLIDATE_TO _SHIPMENT.ON_ SUCCESS.xml	Yes

This transaction also raises events as specified under the `createShipment()` and `changeShipment()` APIs in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

However, note that the template name would read <TransactionId>.ON_SUCCESS.xml.

Create Catalog Index

The Create Catalog Index transaction builds the Apache Lucene index file that is used by catalog search. This index file enhances search performance by storing denormalized item data that has been extracted from the Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation database or from an external source.

The Create Catalog Index transaction can be configured to perform the following tasks:
* Run either a scheduled index build or user-initiated index build
* Build either a full or incremental index file
* Activate the index file

The Index Building Process

The Create Catalog Index transaction provides an agent for index building. Index building is a multithread process in which the index building agent extracts item and item-related information from the active selling catalog in the Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation database. If the corresponding XML configuration file has been extended, the agent may extract this information from an external source.

The agent writes this information to multiple files, which identify the item data that should be included in the final index. After the agent finishes writing the files, it merges them into the final index file.

The multithread process provides the advantage of parallel processing. Large amounts of database data are segmented and processed simultaneously, which is faster and more scalable than sequentially processing one long file.

When writing information to multiple files, the index building agent performs the following tasks for each item before looping to the next item:
* Queries the Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation database or an external source for data about the item.
* Uses information from the XML configuration file and extension file to determine the data that be retrieved from the query.
* Retrieves relevant data from the Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation database.
* Creates a Lucene document for the item.

After the transaction creates a Lucene document for each item, the transaction writes the documents to the index file based on the organization and the organization's locales.

Configuration Options for Accessing Catalog Index Files

You can configure catalog index builds in one of the following two ways, depending on your business requirements:
* Build the index on a shared, central disk that is accessible from all servers.
  – Advantages:
    - Centralized control of shared index
    - No file transfer issues because the index is not copied across multiple servers
  – Limitation:
    - Shared disk could become a single point of failure (if no redundancy is involved)
    - Volume of reads and writes from shared disk might slow performance, depending on the setup
* Build and push a copy of the index to multiple servers via file transfer. Automate this file transfer process to occur on completion of an index build, but do not automatically activate the index. When all servers have acknowledged the completion of the file transfer, call the manageSearchIndexTrigger API to activate the index.
  – Advantage:
    - No central point of failure
  – Limitation:

- Possible overhead to building an pushing index files across servers

  If you choose this method of building the index in one location and reading it from another, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Properties Guide* for information about enabling different properties for individual processes.

For more information about building and searching catalog indexes, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Catalog Management Concepts Guide*.

Attributes

The following table displays the attributes for the Create Catalog Index transaction.

Table 118. Create Catalog Index Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	Create_Catalog_Index
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YCMParseAssetUE YCMGetAdditionalCatalogIndexInformationUE

Criteria Parameters

The following table displays the criteria parameters for the Create Catalog Index transaction.

Table 119. Create Catalog Index Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Organization Code	Required. The organization code of the catalog organization or subcatalog organization that maintains the search index.
Number of Messages	Required. Number of messages to use when building the index file. Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation processes only one message per thread. For example, if Number of Messages is set to 10 and Threads is set to 3, Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation processes only 3 messages at a time. For more information about fine-tuning system performance, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Performance Management Guide*.

Table 119. Create Catalog Index Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
Incremental Build	Y or N. Y to rebuild the existing index file. If you specify Y, Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation rebuilds the index based on the last successful index build. The MaxModifyTS column in the YFS_ITEM table determines whether or not an item's attributes have changed. If any external attributes of an item have changed, update the MaxModifyTS column by calling the manageItem API on the item. N to build a full index file. This parameter is ignored for user-initiated index builds. However, if scheduled builds are configured, ensure that you specify whether you want a full or incremental index build.
Category Domain	Optional. The catalog from which the index is built. The active selling catalog of the catalog organization or subcatalog organization is the default. If scheduled builds are configured, ensure that you specify a catalog.
Auto Activate	Y or N. Optional. Y to activate the index after building the index file. The default is N.
Auto Insert Search Index Trigger	Y or N. Optional. Y to enable scheduled builds of the catalog index file. The agent refers to information stored in the YFS_SEARCH_INDEX_TRIGGER table to determine when to run the scheduled index build. Specify the type of index build, whether full or incremental, in the agent criteria. N to enable user-initiated builds of the catalog index file. The agent continuously queries the YFS_SEARCH_INDEX_TRIGGER table to determine whether an index build is indicated. If a user starts an index build from the IBM Sterling Business Center, the status setting in the table changes to Scheduled, triggering the agent to build the index. The user specifies the type of index build, whether full or incremental, from the Sterling Business Center. After a scheduled or user-initiated build runs, the user can activate the index from the Sterling Business Center. Alternatively, the agent can be configured to automatically activate the index. To allow both scheduled and user-initiated index builds, configure the transaction to include two instances of the agent. Configure one instance to trigger user-initiated builds and the second instance to trigger scheduled index builds.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following table shows the statistics for the Create Catalog Index transaction.

Table 120. Create Catalog Index Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
SearchIndicesBuilt	Number of search indices that have been built.

Pending Job Count

None.

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 121. Events Raised by the Create Catalog Index Transaction

Transaction/Event	Key Data	Data Published	Template Support?
ON_SUCCESS	Not Published	CATALOG_INDEX_BUILD.ON _SUCCESS.xml	Yes

Create Chained Order

This transaction creates one or more chained orders from an order whose OrderHeaderKey is stored in the task queue object. Chainable lines of the order can also be added to existing chained orders, instead of creating new chained orders with these lines. The existing chained orders must be identified by the determineChainedOrderForConsolidation user exit. If the user exit is not implemented, or if the user exit returns a blank document, one or more new chained orders are created.

For more information about the creation of chained orders, see the information provided under the createChainedOrder() API and the YFSDetermineChainedOrderForConsolidation user exit in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

This transaction should be invoked after order scheduling.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 122. Create Chained Order Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	CHAINED_ORDER_CREATE
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	Yes
APIs Called	createChainedOrder()

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 123. Create Chained Order Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Next Task Queue Interval	Optional. Specifies in hours how long a failed task should be suspended before it is considered for reprocessing. Defaults to 5 hours.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 124. Create Chained Order Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumOrdersProcessed	Number of orders processed for creating chained order.
NumOrdersCreated	Number of chained orders created.

If there are 2 orders being processed and the first order creates a chained order, the DetermineChainedOrderForConsolidation user exit causes the lines of the 2nd order to be added to the first order. The number of chained orders created is counted as 2.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

This transaction raises events as specified under the `createChainedOrder()` API in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

Create Derived Order

This transaction creates one or more derived orders from an order whose OrderHeaderKey is stored in the task queue object. For existing derived orders, you can add derivable lines or create new derived orders with these lines. The existing derived orders must be identified by the `determineDerivedOrderForConsolidation` user exit. If the user exit is not implemented or if the user exit returns a null document, new derived orders are created. For more information about the creation of derived orders, see the details

provided under the `createDerivedOrder()` API and
`YFSDetermineDerivedOrderForConsolidation` user exit in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 125. Create Derived Order Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	DERIVED_ORDER_CREATE
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	Yes
APIs Called	`createDerivedOrder()`

The TransactionKey posted in the task queue object must be an instance of the Abstract Transaction DERIVED_ORDER_CREATE for the ProcessType associated with the Order. Otherwise, an exception is thrown.

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 126. Create Derived Order Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Next Task Queue Interval	Optional. Specifies in hours how long a failed task should be suspended before it is considered for reprocessing. Defaults to 5 hours.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 127. Create Derived Order Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumOrdersProcessed	Number of orders processed.
NumOrdersCreated	Number of derived orders created.

If there are 2 orders being processed and the first order creates a derived order, the DetermineChainedOrderForConsolidation user exit causes the lines of the 2nd order to be added to the first order. The number of derived orders created is counted as 2.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

This transaction raises events as specified under the `createDerivedOrder()` API in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

Create Order Invoice

This transaction creates one or more invoices from an order whose OrderHeaderKey is stored in a task queue object. The `createOrderInvoice()` API is called for the OrderHeaderKey.

Configure this transaction in the pipeline only after all processing that can impact quantity or price has been completed. Post invoice creation, the line quantity cannot be reduced below the invoiced quantity.

Both the Create Order Invoice and Create Shipment Invoice transactions can create invoices for an Order. When configuring your pipeline, ensure that only *one* of these two transactions is configured to create invoices for a particular order line. For more information, see "Create Shipment Invoice" on page 206.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 128. Create Order Invoice Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	CREATE_ORDER_INVOICE
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	Yes
APIs Called	`createOrderInvoice()`

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 129. Create Order Invoice Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 130. Create Order Invoice Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumOrderInvoicesCreated	Number of order invoices created.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

This transaction raises events as specified under the createOrderInvoice() API in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

Create Shipment Invoice

Invoicing is mandatory if an order requires payment processing. Invoicing occurs if the following conditions are met:
* Invoicing is enabled at the document parameter level.
* The Seller requires payment processing.

This transaction creates one or more invoices for the shipment whose ShipmentKey is stored in the task queue object. The createShipmentInvoice() API is called for the ShipmentHeaderKey.

This transaction should be configured in the shipment pipeline only after the shipment has reached a shipped status.

Both the Create Order Invoice and Create Shipment Invoice can create invoices for an order. When configuring your pipeline, ensure that only *one* of these two transactions is configured to create invoices for a particular order line. See "Create Order Invoice" on page 205.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 131. Create Shipment Invoice Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	CREATE_SHIPMENT_INVOICE
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Delivery
Abstract Transaction	Yes
APIs Called	createShipmentInvoice()

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 132. Create Shipment Invoice Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 133. Create Shipment Invoice Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumShipmentInvoicesCreated	Number of shipment invoices created.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

This transaction raises events as specified under the `createShipmentInvoice()` API in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

ESP Evaluator

The ESP Evaluator time-triggered transaction verifies whether a shipment meets certain economic shipping parameters (ESP). ESP can be configured either for buyer or enterprise, with the freight terms on the shipment determining which one is used.

If the configuration is defined to hold shipment for ESP, the shipment when created is held for ESP (with status *On ESP Hold*). This task queue based time-triggered transaction evaluates the shipment for ESP, and passes it on to the next step in the shipment pipeline if the criteria (weight and volume limits, plus maximum days of hold up) are met. The shipment status is now set to *Released from ESP hold*, and routing processing begins.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 134. ESP Evaluator Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	ESP_EVALUATOR.0001
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Outbound Shipment
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	getNodeMinimumNotificationTime

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 135. ESP Evaluator Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the ESP Evaluator needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
Number of Records to Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Next Task Queue Interval	Optional. Specifies in hours how long a failed task should be suspended before it is considered for reprocessing. Defaults to 5 hours.
Node	Required. The ship node for which records are being processed.
AgentCriteriaGroup	Optional. Used to classify nodes. This value can be accepted by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation time-triggered transactions that only perform their tasks on the nodes with a matching node transactional velocity value. Valid values are: LOW, HIGH, and any additional values defined by the Hub from Application Platform > System Administration > Agent Criteria Groups.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

None.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 136. Events Raised by ESP Evaluator Transaction

Transaction/Event	Key Data	Data Published	Template Support?
ON_SUCCESS	shipment_dbd.txt	ESP_EVALUATOR.ON_ SUCCESS.xml	Yes

Item Based Allocation

The Item Based Allocation transaction allocates unpromised and promised demands of existing orders to more suitable supplies based upon inventory items and nodes which have been triggered for the Item Based Allocation process in the YFS_IBA_TRIGGER table.

The Item Based Allocation agent obtains and processes all Item Based Allocation triggers from the YFS_IBA_TRIGGER table that meet the following conditions:
* IBA_RUN_REQUIRED = "Y"
* LAST_IBA_PROCESSED_TS was 'x' hours before current time, where 'x' is from the 'Item Based Allocation Agent Execution Interval (in hours)' rule in the Installation rules. For more information about installation rules, refer to the topic "System Administration Components: Defining Installation Rules" in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*. This rule is used to indicate the interval that the Item Based Allocation agent should not reprocess the triggers in the YFS_IBA_TRIGGER table, which were processed earlier. This prevents the IBA agent from over-processing the item and node combination in the given time interval to avoid any high loads on the system.
* PROCESSING_BY_AGENT="N" or PROCESS_OVER_BY_TS is before the current timestamp. The PROCESSING_BY_AGENT field is used to prevent the picking up of the IBA trigger which is being processed by another instance of the agent.

If InventoryOrganizationCode is specified in the agent criteria, only the IBA trigger with inventory items of that inventory organization is retrieved.

For each triggered item and node combination, the agent finds all of the applicable order lines or order line reservations that contain the item and node and tries to move their unpromised and promised demands to more suitable available supplies based on user-configured IBA selection rules or FIFO (First-In-First-Out) IBA selection rules.

Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation creates new positive order line reservations with the matched supply's first ship date and negative order line reservations for the existing demand ship date. Once all orders are processed, they are placed on hold to be rescheduled if changes are detected in the order line reservations.

The following configuration is required for the Item Based Allocation process:
* The Use Item Based Allocation rule needs to be enabled.
* Item and node need to have Item Based Allocation Allowed enabled.

- A hold type is required to be set up for the change order line reservations modification type so that the order can be placed on hold for rescheduling. For more information, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

The 'When a line is backordered, backorder against the highest priority ship node' rule should be checked in order to reallocate backordered demand. For more information, see the Fulfillment Rules section in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Distributed Order Management Configuration Guide*.

Before processing the Item Based Allocation logic, the Item Based Allocation agent updates the following fields on the Item Based Allocation trigger:

- PROCESSING_BY_AGENT = "Y". This indicates that an instance of the agent is currently processing this trigger.
- PROCESS_OVER_BY_TS = current time + 1 hr. This indicates the expected time that the agent should finish with processing this IBA trigger. One hour is the fixed window and cannot be changed. Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation treats the PROCESSING_BY_AGENT flag as "N" regardless of the actual value when current timestamp is after this timestamp.
- IBA_RUN_REQUIRED = "N". This resets the IBA_RUN_REQUIRED flag back to "N".

Obtaining a List of Demands Based on Applicable Order Release Statuses and Order Line Reservations to be Allocated

A list of demands is derived from applicable order release statuses and order line reservations, which have the item and node in the IBA trigger. The following types of demands are retrieved:

- Demands of chained orders
- Demands of orders with chained order already created
- Demands of orders with procurement node but chained order creation is not yet created
- Demands of orders without procurement node
- Demands from order line reservations

The demand quantity is derived based on the order release status quantity with the status from the Status Inventory Type configuration that has a demand type, which considers the supply type with 'Use Consider Demand Type for Item Based Allocation' enabled. For more information, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Global Inventory Visibility Configuration Guide*.

Obtaining a List of Available Supplies for Allocation

Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation obtains the available supply based on the availability of the item at the node by ignoring unpromised and promised demands. If the inventory organization maintains its inventory externally, the external availability can be read by the YFSGetExternalInventoryUE user exit. Only the availability of supplies that consider the 'Demand Type Look for Availability during Item Based Allocation' are used in the allocation logic. For more information, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Global Inventory Visibility Configuration Guide*.

Allocated demands should be matched with the same supplies as "Demand to look for during release".

Matching Demands Against Supplies in FIFO (First-In-First-Out) Order

Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation sorts the list of available supplies in the order of the first shippable date (ETA), and matches the obtained list of demands using the top-down logic (unlike the normal matching logic for obtaining availability, where matches are based on the closest ETA). Demands are allocated in the following orders:

- Demands of chained orders - first based on user-configured sequencing rules, and then in ascending order of order creation date. (These types of demands are matched based on the closest ETA to avoid any changes in the chained orders).
- Demands of orders with a chained order already created - first based on user-configured sequencing rules, then in ascending order of product availability date. (These types of demands are matched based on the closest ETA to avoid any changes in the orders).
- Demands of orders for which procurement node and chained order creation is imminent (within the advanced notification time window) - first based on user-configured sequencing rules, then in order of order creation date.
- Demands of orders without a procurement node and within the release window (advanced notification time window) - first based on user-configured sequencing rules, then in order of order creation date.
- Demands from order line reservations on the order lines in the order of requested reservation date, and leftover demands (outside of the advanced notification time window) of orders with or without a procurement node, first based on user-configured sequencing rules and then in the order of order creation date.
- Demands from inventory reservations in the order of ship date.

Notice that different types of demands are given different priorities based on their significance. The demands of chained orders or orders related to chained orders are treated with a higher priority than the demands of normal orders. Furthermore, the demands with a ship date within the advanced notification time window also have a higher priority than the demands with a date outside of the advanced notification time window.

Updating Order Reservations for the Matched Demands

After matching the available supply and demand in user-configured sequencing and then in FIFO order, the system builds up a list of order line reservation changes and inventory demand changes (corresponding to the order line reservation changes) and summarize them to optimize the number of order reservation updates and inventory updates. Negative order line reservations are added for the matched demands. Positive order reservations are added for the matched demands with the product availability date set to the matched supplies' first ship date.

After the Item Based Allocation agent completes its tasks for an Item Based Allocation trigger, it updates the fields of the trigger with the following values:

- IBA_REQUIRED = "N"
- LAST_IBA_PROCESSED_TS = current timestamp.
- PROCESS_OVER_BY_TS = current timestamp.
- PROCESSING_BY_AGENT = "N"

The Item Based Allocation agent should be used in conjunction with the rescheduling process as the rescheduling process reschedules the affected orders by utilizing the order line reservations created by the Item Based Allocation process.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 137. Item Based Allocation Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	ITEM_BASED_ALLOCATION
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	changeOrder – for updating the order line reservations created as part of the Item Based Allocation process.
User Exits Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 138. Item Based Allocation Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
InventoryOrganization Code	The inventory organization code of the inventory items which are processed by the Item Based Allocation agent. If provided, only the IBA triggers with the inventory item that belongs to this inventory organization are processed.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where the YFS_IBA_TRIGGER table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 139. Item Based Allocation Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumOrdersProcessed	Number of orders processed by the Item Based Allocation agent.
NumOrdersRequiredReschedule	Number of orders required rescheduling as the result of Item Based Allocation process.

Pending Job Count

None.

Events Raised

This transaction raises events as specified under the changeOrder API in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

Mark Load as Trailer Loaded

This is a time-triggered transaction which works on "Load pipeline".

This time-triggered transaction gets records from the Task Q. This transaction is used to mark the load as trailer loaded when all containers for the load are on the trailer.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 140. Mark Load As Trailer Loaded Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	MARK_AS_TRAILER_LOADED
Base Document Type	Load
Base Process Type	Load Execution
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 141. Mark Load As Trailer Loaded Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
ReprocessInterval	Optional. Reprocess Interval is the time taken to reprocess the load.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 142. Mark Load As Trailer Loaded Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumLoadsChanged	Number of trailer loads changed.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

None.

Match Inventory

Match Inventory processes all pending records in the YFS_INVENTORY_SHIPMENT table. Pending records have a smaller number in POSTED_QUANTITY than in QUANTITY.

Each pending record is matched against the receipt records in YFS_INVENTORY_RECEIPT table by applying the inventory cost determination logic. The unit cost at which the sales and receipt data are matched is also posted in YFS_INVENTORY_MATCH table.

Use this transaction if any of the configured ship nodes maintain inventory cost.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 143. Match Inventory Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	INVENTORY_MATCH
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 144. Match Inventory Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
InventoryOrganizationCode	Optional. Valid inventory owner organization. Organization to process in this run. If not passed, all inventory organizations are processed.
CutOffDate	Optional. If passed, records are matched up to this date. Defaults to all unmatched records in Database.

Table 144. Match Inventory Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where the YFS_INVENTORY_SHIPMENT, YFS_INVENTORY_RECEIPT, and the YFS_INVENTORY_MATCH tables may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 145. Match Inventory Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumInventoryShipmentsProcessed	Number of inventory shipments processed.
NumInventoryMatchesInserted	Number of inventory matches inserted.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of distinct inventory items that exist in the YFS_INVENTORY_SHIPMENT table where the QUANTITY value is not equal to the POSTED_QUANTITY value.

Events Raised

None.

Payment Collection

This transaction requests credit validation for orders that are pending authorization or charging.

Use this transaction for creating authorization and charge requests.

This transaction works in combination with the Payment Execution transaction. Although this transaction can run independent of that transaction, authorization and collection occurs *only* after the Payment Execution dependencies are met. For more details, see "Payment Execution" on page 217.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 146. Payment Collection Attributes for Sales Orders

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	PAYMENT_COLLECTION
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	requestCollection()

Table 147. Payment Collection Attributes for Return Orders

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	PAYMENT_COLLECTION.0003
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Reverse Logistics
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	requestCollection()

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 148. Payment Collection Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. The enterprise for which the transaction needs to be run. If left blank, orders for all enterprises are processed. If specified, only orders for that enterprise are processed.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.
HoldTypeOnRollback	If the HoldTypeOnRollback criteria is populated and the requestCollection agent throws an exception, for example, from the getFundsAvailable user exit, HoldTypeOnRollback will be used to put the order on hold. If using the old order hold functionality, this will be used as the hold reason. If the hold type does not exist, an exception is thrown.

If the HoldTypeOnRollback criteria is not populated, the order will not be put on hold if an exception is thrown. |

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 149. Payment Collection Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumOrdersProcessed	Number of orders processed.
NumChargeReqsCreated	Number of charge requests created.
NumAuthorizationReqsCreated	Number of authorization requests created.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of orders in the appropriate payment statuses with the value of the AUTHORIZATION_EXPIRATION_DATE is less than or equal to (<=) the current date. The appropriate payment statuses for such orders are:

- AWAIT_PAY_INFO

- AWAIT_AUTH
- REQUESTED_AUTH
- REQUEST_CHARGE
- AUTHORIZED, INVOICED
- PAID
- RELEASE_HOLD
- FAILED_AUTH
- FAILED_CHARGE
- VERIFY
- FAILED

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 150. Events Raised by the Payment Collection Transaction

Transaction/Event	Key Data	Data Published	Template Support?
INCOMPLETE_PAYMENT _INFORMATION	modifyOrder _dbd.txt	YFS_PAYMENT_ COLLECTON.INCOMPLETE _PAYMENT _INFORMATION.xml	Yes
PAYMENT_STATUS	YFS_PAYMENT _COLLECTION .PAYMENT _STATUS_ dtd.txt	YFS_PAYMENT_ COLLECTION. PAYMENT_STATUS.xml	Yes
REQUEST_PAYMENT_ STATUS		YFS_PAYMENT_ COLLECTION.REQUEST _PAYMENT_STATUS. xml	Yes
ON_LIABILITY_ TRANSFER	modifyOrder _dbd.txt	YFS_PAYMENT_ COLLECTION.ON_ LIABILITY_TRANSFER.xml	Yes
ON_INVOICE_ COLLECTION	order_dbd/txt	YFS_CREATE_ORDER_ INVOICE.ON_ INVOICE_ COLLECTION.xml	Yes

Payment Execution

This transaction processes all requests that are pending authorization and charging.

Note: If the charge transaction request has an open authorization reversal, the charges are not collected.

Use this time-triggered transaction for processing all authorization and charge requests.

This transaction requires interfacing with a product that provides financial services.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 151. Payment Execution Attributes for Sales Orders

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	PAYMENT_EXECUTION
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	executeCollection()
User Exits Called	collectionCreditCard, collectionOthers, collectionCustomerAcct

Table 152. Payment Execution Attributes for Return Orders

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	PAYMENT_EXECUTION.0003
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Reverse Logistics
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	executeCollection()
User Exits Called	collectionCreditCard, collectionOthers, collectionCustomerAcct

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 153. Payment Execution Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
ChargeType	Type of credit card process. Valid values are: • AUTHORIZATION - Validates the credit card account • CHARGE - Applies the charge to the credit card
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 154. Payment Execution Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumAuthTransProcessed	Number of authorization transaction processed.

Table 154. Payment Execution Statistics (continued)

Statistic Name	Description
NumAuthTransSuccessfullyProcessed	Number of successful returns from user exit for authorization transaction processed.
NumChargeTransProcessed	Number of charge transaction processed.
NumChargeTransSuccessfullyProcessed	Number of successful returns from user exit for charge transaction processed.
NumCollectionValidations	Number of successful returns from the invoked validate collection user exits.
NumCreditCardCollections	Number of credit card collections.
NumCustomerAccountCollections	Number of successful returns from the customer account collection user exits.
NumOtherCollections	Number of successful returns from the other collection user exits.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of open charge and authorization transactions.

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 155. Events Raised by Payment Execution Transaction

Transaction/Event	Key Data	Data Published	Template Support?
CHARGE_FAILED	modifyOrder dbd.txt	PAYMENT_EXECUTION_ CHARGE_FAILED_dbd.txt	No

This transaction raises events as specified under the `executeCollection()` API in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

Post Inventory Match

This transaction processes all open records in YFS_INVENTORY_MATCH table and posts the records to a financial system. An open record in the YFS_INVENTORY_MATCH table has the status of 01. After posting, the status is changed to 02.

Use this transaction if any of the configured ship nodes maintain inventory cost.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 156. Post Inventory Match Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	POST_INVENTORY_MATCH
Base Document Type	General

Table 156. Post Inventory Match Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Value
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 157. Post Inventory Match Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where the YFS_INVENTORY_MATCH table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 158. Post Inventory Match Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumInventoryMatchPosted	Number of inventory match records posted.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of inventory matches with an open status.

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 159. Events Raised by the Post Inventory Match Transaction

Transaction/Event	Key Data	Data Published	Template Support?
POST_INVENTORY_MATCH	POST_ INVENTORY_ MATCH_dbd.txt	YFS_postInventory Match_output.xml	No

Process Order Hold Type

You can create a time-triggered transaction, derived from the PROCESS_ORDER_HOLD_TYPE abstract transaction. It can be configured as the processing transaction for one or more hold types. If an order is associated with a

hold type that has a transaction configured as the processing transaction, a record is created in the YFS_TASK_Q table for processing that transaction.

When the processing transaction is triggered, it checks the hold types that it can process based on the hold type configuration. If no hold types can be processed, the YFS_TASK_Q record is deleted. If some hold types can be processed, the processOrderHoldType user exit is invoked with the list of hold types to be processed. The processOrderHoldType user exit returns the list of hold types that can be removed from the order.

The transaction then modifies the order and updates the order hold type list based on the output returned by the processOrderHoldType user exit. If now no hold types can be processed, the YFS_TASK_Q record is deleted. If some hold types can still be processed, YFS_TASK_Q is updated with the next available date.

You can also call the processOrderHoldType user exit to add new hold types or change the status of a hold type that is already applied to an order. For more information about the processOrderHoldType user exit, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 160. Process Order Hold Type Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	PROCESS_ORDER_HOLD_TYPE
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	Yes
APIs Called	changeOrder

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 161. Process Order Hold Type Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Next Task Queue Interval	Optional. Specifies in hours how long a failed task should be suspended before it is considered for reprocessing. Defaults to 5 hours.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where the YFS_TASK_Q table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

None.

Pending Job Count

None

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 162. Events Raised by Process Order Hold Type Transaction

Transaction/Event	Raised when...	Key Data	Data Published	Template Support?
ON_SUCCESS	On success	modifyOrder_ dbd.txt	YFS_ORDER_ CHANGE.ON_ SUCCESS.xml	Yes *
ON_HOLD_TYPE _STATUS_ CHANGE	The status of a hold type is changed.	modifyOrder_ dbd.txt	YFS_ON_ HOLD_TYPE_ STATUS_ CHANGE.xml	Yes
ON_ORDER_ LINE_HOLD_ TYPE_STATUS_ CHANGE	The status of a hold type is changed.	modifyOrder_ dbd.txt	YFS_ON_ ORDER_LINE _HOLD_TYPE _STATUS_ CHANGE.xml	Yes
* Note: Some of the elements and attributes are not template-driven. Refer to the xml for element level details.				

Process Work Order Hold Type

This time-triggered transaction is identical to the Process Order Hold Type transaction, but it is used for work orders instead.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 163. Process Work Order Hold Type Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	PROCESS_WO_ORDER_HOLD_TYPE
Base Document Type	Work Order
Base Process Type	VAS Process
Abstract Transaction	Yes
APIs Called	modifyWorkOrder

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 164. Process Work Order Hold Type Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.

Table 164. Process Work Order Hold Type Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Next Task Queue Interval	Optional. Specifies in hours how long a failed task should be suspended before it is considered for reprocessing. Defaults to 5 hours.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

None.

Pending Job Count

None

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 165. Events Raised by Process Work Order Hold Type Transaction

Transaction/Event	Raised when...	Key Data	Data Published	Template Support?
ON_SUCCESS	On success	workOrder_ dbd.txt	VAS_MODIFY_ WORK_ORDER .ON_SUCCESS. xml	Yes *
ON_HOLD_TYPE_ STATUS_ CHANGE	The status of a hold type is changed.	workOrder_ |dbd.txt	VAS_ON_HOLD _TYPE_STATUS _CHANGE.xml	Yes
* Note: Some of the elements and attributes are not template driven. Refer to the xml for elements level details.				

Publish Negotiation Results

This transaction publishes the negotiated terms to the order.

Use this transaction in environments where an order must go through a negotiation phase.

This transaction needs to be run after negotiation is completed.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 166. Publish Negotiation Results Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	PUBLISH_ORD_NEGOTIATION

Table 166. Publish Negotiation Results Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Value
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Negotiation
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 167. Publish Negotiation Results Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Next Task Queue Interval	Optional. Specifies in hours how long a failed task should be suspended before it is considered for reprocessing. Defaults to 5 hours.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 168. Publish Negotiation Results Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumNegotiationsProcessed	Number of negotiations processed.
NumNegotiationsPublished	Number of negotiations published.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 169. Events Raised by Publish Negotiation Results Transaction

Base Transaction	Raised when...	Key Data	Data Published	Template Support?
PUBLISH_ORD _NEGOTIATION/ ON_SUCCESS	On success	Negotiation_dbd .txt	YCP_get Negotiation Details_output. xml	Yes *

Base Transaction	Raised when...	Key Data	Data Published	Template Support?
RECEIVE_ORD _NEGOTIATION/ ON_SUCCESS	On success, when DocumentType is 0001, EntityType is ORDER.	Number of concurrent time-triggered transactions running.	receiveOrder Negotiation_dbd. txt	No
* Note: Template used for this event is the same template used by the `getNegotiationDetails()` API to form the output XML.				

Release

This transaction releases orders to specific ship nodes, making sure that the scheduled ship nodes have enough inventory to process the order.

This transaction should be invoked after the scheduling process.

For more details, see the information provided under the `releaseOrder()` API in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

If you run the combined 'Schedule and Release' agent, do not also run the individual Schedule or the individual Release agents.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 170. Release Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	RELEASE
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
APIs Called	`releaseOrder()`

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 171. Release Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
IgnoreReleaseDate	Optional. Determines whether the schedule process should ignore line release date criteria. Valid values are: • Y - Releases line quantities regardless of release date criteria • N - Default value. Releases line quantities only after release date criteria have been met.

Table 171. Release Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
CheckInventory	Optional. Determine whether inventory should be checked. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Inventory needs to be checked. • N - Inventory does not need to be checked.
Next Task Queue Interval	Optional. Specifies in hours how long a failed task should be suspended before it is considered for reprocessing. Defaults to 5 hours.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 172. Release Criteria Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumFutureDateFailures	Number of orders did not attempt to release because of future date failures.
NumOrdersAttempted	Number of orders attempted to release.
NumOrdersCannotBeProcessed Failures	Number of orders did not attempt to release because of cannot be processed failures.
NumOrdersProcessed	Number of orders processed.
NumOrdersReleased	Number of orders released.
NumOrdersBackordered	Number of orders backordered.
NumOrderLinesReleased	Number of order lines released.
NumOrderLinesBackordered	Number of order lines backordered.
NumReleasesCreated	Number of order releases created.
NumOrdersCannotBeProcessed Failures	Number of orders that were not released due to process failure.

If the release process results in splitting of an order line, NumOrderLinesReleased, NumOrderLinesBackordered, and NumOfReleasesCreated may result in more than one count.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table, if tasks on hold are not ready to be processed.

Events Raised

This transaction raises events as specified under the releaseOrder() API in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

Route Shipment

This time-triggered transaction is used to route shipments and belongs to the Outbound Shipment pipeline. It assigns the Carrier and Carrier Service codes for the shipment based on the Routing Guide configured.

The Route Shipment transaction either includes shipments in an existing load or creates a new load and includes the shipments in it.

Shipments can be consolidated to a load, only if the following conditions are met:
* Expected Ship Date - The expected ship date of the shipments must be less than or equal to the must ship before date of the load.
* Expected Load Departure Date - The expected load departure date must be less than or equal to the must ship before date of the shipments in the load.

  The must ship before date is a date computed for the load, based on all shipments present in the load. For example, if a load has three shipments with their must ship before dates as 12.22.2005, 12.12.2005, and 12.19.2005 respectively, then the must ship before date of the load is computed as 12.12.2005, as it is the earliest of the three dates.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 173. Route Shipment

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	ROUTE_SHIPMENT.0001
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	ORDER_DELIVERY
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	com.yantra.ydm.japi.ue.YDMOverrideDetermineRoutingUE
	com.yantra.ydm.japi.ue.YDMBeforeDetermineRoutingUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 174. Route Shipment Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Next Task Queue Interval	Optional. Specifies in hours how long a failed task should be suspended before it is considered for reprocessing. Defaults to 5 hours.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where YFS_SHIPMENT table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Table 174. Route Shipment Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to N, the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 175. Route Shipment Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumRouted	Number of shipments routed.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records representing the unheld orders that are available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 176. Events Raised by the Route Shipment Transaction

Transaction/Event	Key Data	Data Published	Template Support?
ON_SUCCESS	shipment_dbd.txt	YDM_ROUTE_SHIPMENT .ON_SUCCESS.xml	Yes
ON_FAILURE	shipment_dbd.txt	YDM_ROUTE_SHIPMENT .ON_FAILURE.xml	Yes

However, note that the template name would read <TransactionId>.ON_SUCCESS.xml.

Schedule

This transaction schedules orders to specific ship nodes making sure that the scheduled ship nodes have enough inventory to process the order.

Run this transaction after order creation.

Do not run the individual Schedule or Release agents when running the combined "Schedule and Release" agent.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 177. Schedule Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	SCHEDULE
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
APIs Called	`scheduleOrder()`

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 178. Schedule Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
MaximumRecords	Determines the maximum number of possible solutions that the Schedule Agent can find. This parameter may improve the best solution found, but it also impacts the performance of this agent. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5.
OptimizationType	Optional. Determines the optimization rules to apply to the scheduling process. Valid values are: • 01 - Optimize on date (Default) • 02 - Optimize on ship node priority • 03 - Optimize on number of shipments
OrderFilter	Optional. Determines the types of orders to filter. Possible values are: • A - All orders (Default) • B - Backorders only • N - New orders only
ScheduleAndRelease	Optional. Notify the schedule process to release all releasable line quantities. Valid values are: • Y - Releases successfully scheduled line quantities. • N - Default value. Only schedules line quantities. Enabling this parameter does not validate hold types configured for the release transaction.
IgnoreReleaseDate	Optional. Determines whether the schedule process should ignore line release date criteria. Valid values are: • Y - Releases line quantities regardless of release date criteria. • N - Releases lines quantities only after release date criteria have been met. Default.

Table 178. Schedule Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
Next Task Queue Interval	Not used. This agent updates a failed task so that it is suspended for the back order retry interval setup in the appropriately scheduled rule.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 179. Schedule Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumFutureDateFailures	Number of orders that Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation did not attempt to schedule because of future date failures. Failures can be caused by any of the following: • If the OrderFilter is "B" (Backorders Only) and there are no backordered or unscheduled lines. • If the OrderFilter is "N" (New orders Only) and there are some backordered or unscheduled lines. • If order has order lines within only backordered or unscheduled status and the status modify timestamp is after the current time - the back order wait period specified in the scheduling rule.
NumOrdersAttempted	Number of orders attempted to schedule. This statistic does not include the values for NumFutureDateFailures and NumOrdersCannotBeProcessedFailures statistics.
NumOrderLinesReleased	Number of order lines that have been released.
NumOrdersCannotBeProcessed Failures	Number of orders that Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation did not attempt to schedule because of cannot be processed failures. Failures can be caused by any of the following: • The result of the YFSCheckOrderBeforeProcessingUE user exit returns as false. • The Order has the HoldFlag attribute set to 'Y'. • The Order has the SaleVoided attribute set to 'Y'. • The Order does not have PaymentStatus as AUTHORIZED, INVOICED, PAID, nor NOT_APPLICABLE.
NumOrdersCreated	Number of orders created. This also includes the number of procurement orders created.
NumOrderLinesCreated	Number of order lines created.
NumOrdersProcessed	Number of orders processed.

Table 179. Schedule Statistics (continued)

Statistic Name	Description
NumOrdersScheduled	Number of orders that have at least one line that was scheduled. This includes scheduled lines in any status except BACKORDER.
NumOrdersProcOrdersCreated	Number of procurement orders created.
NumWorkOrdersCreated	Number of work orders created.
NumOrdersBackordered	Number of orders backordered.
NumOrderLinesScheduled	Number of order lines scheduled.
NumOrderLinesBackordered	Number of order lines backordered.
NumReleasesCreated	Number of order releases created.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records representing the unheld orders that are available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table, if tasks on hold are not ready to be processed.

Events Raised

This transaction raises events as specified under the `scheduleOrder()` API in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

Providing Oracle Hints

You can provide Oracle Hints to increase the performance of the scheduleOrder agent. The two hints that can be provided for each criteria ID of the scheduleOrder agent are the Outer Hint and the Inner Hint. The Outer Hint is always used for the YFS_TASK_Q table. The Inner Hint is used for the YFS_ORDER_HEADER table only if the earlier hold functionality is used; otherwise, the Inner Hint is used for the YFS_ORDER_RELEASE_STATUS table.

Insert the following entries in the `yfs.properties` file in order to enable Oracle Hints:

1. Edit the <INSTALL_DIR>/properties/yfs.properties file.
2. Insert yfs.<agent_criteria_id>.getjobs.hint.outer=/*+ parallel(YFS_TASK_Q 8) full(yfs_task_q) */

   Insert yfs.<agent_criteria_id>.getjobs.hint.inner=/*+ NL_SJ */

Send Invoice

This transaction publishes invoice data that can be directed to an external accounts receivable system.

In environments that require an interface with accounts receivable systems, this transaction needs to be scheduled. This transaction raises an event for an invoice based on the following configuration at the following times in the order lifecycle:

- Publish invoice at shipment creation - This implies that your accounts payable system takes care of payment collection. Invoices can be published as soon as they are created.
- Publish invoice after payment collection - This implies that the Console take care of the payment collection. When payment is in the AT_COLLECT status and the payment is not from an external system, an invoice is published only if the entire payment amount is collected. If the payment is in the AT_CREATE status or the payment is from an external system, the invoice is published unconditionally.

Many of this transaction's elements and attributes are template driven. Refer to the XML for element level details.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 180. Send Invoice Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	SEND_INVOICE
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	getOrderInvoiceDetails()

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 181. Send Invoice Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 182. Send Invoice Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumInvoicesSent	Number of invoices sent.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of order invoices in created ("00") status.

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 183. Events Raised by the Send Invoice Transaction

Transaction/Event	Key Data	Data Published	Template Support?
PUBLISH_INVOICE_ DETAIL	modifyOrder_dbd. txt and sendInvoice_dbd .txt	YFS_getOrderInvoice Details_output.xml	Yes

Additional events may be raised by the getOrderInvoiceDetails() API. For detailed information about the events, see the details provided under this API in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

Send Item Changes

In integrated environments, this transaction publishes item data changes that are directed to an external system.

When item changes occur in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation, they need to be communicated to the external system.

The business process may require the synchronization of items all at once in a batch. For example, at the end of each business day, the sendItemChanges agent can be configured to synchronize items based on the synchronization logic. This transaction retrieves all items that are not logical kit or dynamic physical kit items and whose SyncTS is null or MaxModifyTS is greater than the SyncTS.

The MaxModifyTS of an item is updated with the current timestamp whenever an item is modified. The transaction then retrieves detailed information about those items and raises the ON_SUCCESS event. This event should be configured to invoke the Send Item Changes action.

For more information about how this integration is implemented, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Integration Guide*.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 184. Send Item Changes Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	SEND_ITEM_CHANGES
Base Document Type	None
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 185. Send Item Changes Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Organization Code	Optional. The organization from which items are synchronized. This field is blank by default.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

None.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of items requiring synchronization. This is determined for product items that are not logical kit or dynamic physical kit items and whose SyncTS is null or MaxModifyTS is greater than the SyncTS.

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 186. Events Raised by the Send Item Changes Transaction

Transaction/Event	Key Data	Data Published	Template Support?
ON_SUCCESS	None	YCM_SEND_ITEM_ CHANGES_ON_ SUCCESS.XML	Yes

Send Customer Changes

In integrated environments, this transaction publishes customer data changes that are directed to an external system.

When customer changes occur in Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation, they need to be communicated to the external system.

The business process may require the synchronization of customers all at once in a batch. For example, at the end of each business day, the sendItemChanges agent can be configured to synchronize items based on the synchronization logic. This transaction retrieves all customers that are consumers, have a user ID present, and are required to synchronize. This transaction can also be used to complete the initial synchronization of users between the two systems. For example, if an

external system is already in place, and Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation is then added, the SendCustomerChanges agent synchronizes the users from the external system.

The sendCustomerChanges agent also serves as a backup mechanism. If a customer synchronization event fails, the agent automatically retries the synchronization after a specified amount of time.

The MaxModifyTS of an customer is updated with the current timestamp whenever an customer is modified, whenever syncTS is less than MaxModifyTS, or when syncTS is null. The transaction then retrieves detailed information about those customers and raises the ON_SUCCESS event. This event should be configured to invoke the Send Customer Changes action.

For more information about how this integration is implemented, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Integration Guide*.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 187. Send Customer Changes Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	SEND_CUSTOMER_CHANGES
Base Document Type	None
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 188. Send Customer Changes Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Organization Code	Optional. The organization from which customers are synchronized. This field is blank by default.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

None.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of customers requiring synchronization. This is determined for customers that are consumers, have a user

ID present, and are required to synchronize.

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 189. Events Raised by the Send Customer Changes Transaction

Transaction/Event	Key Data	Data Published	Template Support?
SEND_CUSTOMER_ CHANGES.ON_SUCCESS	None	YSC_SEND_CUSTOMER _CHANGES.ON_ SUCCESS.XML	Yes

Send Order

This transaction tries to raise the ON_SUCCESS event for an order whose OrderHeaderKey is stored in the task queue object. The event is raised only if all of the order lines of the order reach particular status(es) completely. That is, the entire ORDERED_QTY of each line must be in the particular status(es). In addition to raising the event, the line statuses are also changed to the drop statuses, corresponding to the pickup statuses. The SendOrder transaction, derived from the abstract transaction SEND_ORDER, should have the event, pickup, and drop statuses configured. For more information, see the details provided under the sendOrder() API in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

If an order needs to be communicated to a third party, use this transaction.

The TransactionKey posted in the task object must be an instance of the Abstract Transaction SEND_ORDER for the ProcessType associated with the Order. Otherwise, an exception is thrown.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 190. Send Order Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	SEND_ORDER
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	Yes
APIs Called	sendOrder()

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 191. Send Order Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.

Table 191. Send Order Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Next Task Queue Interval	Optional. Specifies in hours how long a failed task should be suspended before it is considered for reprocessing. Defaults to 5 hours.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

None.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

This transaction raises events as specified under the sendOrder() API in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

Send Release

The Send Release Agent dispatches releases to ship nodes.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 192. Send Release Attributes

Attribute	Value
Transaction Name	Send Release
Transaction ID	SHIP_ADVICE
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	com.yantra.yfs.agent.YFSWMSShipAdviceAgent

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 193. Send Release Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.

Table 193. Send Release Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Next Task Queue Interval	Optional. Specifies in hours how long a failed task should be suspended before it is considered for reprocessing. Defaults to 5 hours.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 194. Send Release Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumReleasesProcessed	Number of order releases processed.
NumReleasesSent	Number of order releases sent.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 195. Events Raised by the Send Release Transaction

Transaction/Event	Data Published
PUBLISH_SHIP_ADVICE	YFS_publishShipAdvice_output.xml

Start Order Negotiation

This transaction creates the negotiations for orders that are configured to go through the negotiation process.

Use this transaction in environments where an Order needs to go through a Negotiation phase before it is released.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 196. Start Order Negotiation Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	START_ORD_NEGOTIATION
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment

Table 196. Start Order Negotiation Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Value
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	createNegotiation()
User Exits Called	YCPBeforeCreateNegotiationUE, YCPGetNegotiationNoUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 197. Start Order Negotiation Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Next Task Queue Interval	Optional. Specifies in hours how long a failed task should be suspended before it is considered for reprocessing. Defaults to 5 hours.
Node	Required. The ship node for which records are being processed.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 198. Start Order Negotiation Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumOrdersProcessed	Number of orders processed.
NumNegotiationsCreated	Number of negotiations created.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

This transaction raises events as specified under the createNegotiation() API in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

Synchronize Colony Map

The Colony Map Synchronizer agent inserts or updates colony mappings of organizations and users in the PLT_COLONY_MAP table. When you run the agent

for the first time, it populates this table, which is a necessary step in upgrading to multischema mode after installing or upgrading Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation.

For more information about upgrading to multischema mode, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Multi-Tenant Enterprise Guide*.

Attributes

The following are attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 199. Colony Map Synchronizer Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	COLONY_MAP_SYNC
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 200. Colony Map Synchronizer Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records to Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
ColonyID	The colony to be synchronized. Initially, you must run the agent on the DEFAULT colony provided by the Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation installation so that it populates the PLT_COLONY_MAP table. After this, you can run the agent on another ColonyID.
InsertDefaultMappings	If set to Y, users for which the colony cannot be determined will be mapped to the colony for which the Colony Map Synchronizer agent is run.

Statistics Tracked

None.

Pending Job Count

None.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

None.

Update Best Match Region

The Update Best Match Region transaction manages the YFS_REGION_BEST_MATCH table, which is used by Data Warehouse Analytics to report best match region data. The best match region is defined by the following five address attributes in person info records:

- ADDRESS_LINE6
- CITY
- STATE
- SHORT_ZIP_CODE
- COUNTRY

  Note: COUNTRY refers to Country/Region.

The agent for the Update Best Match Region transaction runs in two modes that allow you to set up and update the YFS_REGION_BEST_MATCH table.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 201. Update Best Match Region Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	UPDATE_BEST_MATCH_REGION
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YSCGetShortZipCode UE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 202. Update Best Match Region Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If UpdateOnly = N, only distinct records are returned per agent call. If left blank, it defaults to 1000.

Table 202. Update Best Match Region Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
TableType	Required in a multischema deployment when YFS_Person_Info table may exist in multiple schemas. Valid Values: CONFIGURATION, TRANSACTION, MASTER. If set to CONFIGURATION, the agent runs for the YFS_Person_Info records associated with tables that have TableType as CONFIGURATION; for example, YFS_Organization, YFS_Ship_Node, and so forth. If set to TRANSACTION, the agent runs for the YFS_Person_Info records associated with tables that have TableType as TRANSACTION; for example, YFS_Order_Header, YFS_Shipment, and so forth. Note that the agent would run for all TableTypes that exist in the same schema as the one passed. For example, if set to TRANSACTION, the agent would also run for YFS_Person_Info records associated with tables that have TableType as MASTER, since they reside in the same schema.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_PERSON_INFO table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.
UpdateOnly	Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • N - Default value. Adds records from the YFS_PERSON_INFO table to the YFS_REGION_BEST_MATCH table and populates the region key in the YFS_BEST_MATCH table. To perform the initial setup of Best Match Region for Analytics, set UpdateOnly to N. • Y - Update mode. Updates region keys based on addresses in YFS_REGION_BEST_MATCH. After performing the initial setup of Best Match Region for Analytics, set this value to Y to specify update mode.
LastPersonInfoKey	Optional. If UpdateOnly is set to N, LastPersonInfoKey determines the first person info record to populate. If no key is specified, the value defaults to Null.
LastRegionBest MatchKey	Optional. If UpdateOnly is set to Y, LastRegionBestMatchKey determines the first region best match key to update. If no key is specified, the value defaults to Null.

Statistics Tracked

None.

Pending Job Count

None.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

None.

PopulateOwnershipTransferSummary

This method updates the YFS_OWNERSHIP_TRANSFER_SUMMARY table.

This transaction updates the YFS_OWNERSHIP_TRANSFER_SUMMARY table by checking the records in YFS_INV_OWN_TRANSFER_RCD table.

It also updates the IS_STATISTICS_UPDATED to 'Y' in YFS_INV_OWN_TRANSFER_RCD table after the record has been used by the transaction.

Attributes

Following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 203. YFSPopulateOwnershipTransfer Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	POPULATE_OWN_TRANS_SUMM
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

Following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 204. YFSPopulateOwnershipTransfer Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, which is the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_OWNERSHIP_TRANSFER_SUMMARY and YFS_INV_OWN_TRANSFER_RCD tables may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

None

Pending Job Count

None

Events Raised

None

Time-Triggered Purge Transactions

There are several transactions that you can use to purge your database tables at specific time intervals.

Purge transactions determine when a table should be purged by determining the current date and subtracting the retention days specified by the purge. If the timestamp on the table is less than or equal to (current day - retention days) the table is purged.

In some cases, a purge may look at another field other than the table's timestamp. These are pointed out in the documentation.

When an entity is being purged, the related or dependent information that is present in other tables should be taken into consideration for purging along with it. For example, if a sales order with live shipments is being purged, any cross reference to that order is not accurate in the Order Shipment Console. As another example, agents such as Purge Order and Purge Order History also purge the records from extension tables, such as yfs_order_header_extension and yfs_order_line_extension, as well as their associated histories.

Some of the statistics collected and tracked in Release 9.1 for time-triggered transactions, monitors, and integration and application servers may change with the next release of Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation.

All Time-Triggered Purge Transactions have a `CollectPendingJobs` criteria parameter. If this parameter is set to `N`, the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for that time-triggered transaction. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.

By default, `CollectPendingJobs` is set to `Y`. It can be helpful to set it to `N` if one particular time-triggered transaction is performing a significant amount of `getPendingJobs` queries, and the overhead cost is too high.

Purge Strategy

The following recommendations should be taken into consideration when planning a purge strategy for each purge transaction:
- Test purges by setting Live to 'N'.
- Turn on logging to test what is purged.
- Set up purge traces in the System Management Console and analyze the information.

Configuring Purge Transaction Log Files
About this task

You can configure purges to write log files to a directory you specify. Each time you run a particular purge, new data is appended to this file. If no file exists, one is created.

To specify a purge log file directory:

Procedure

1. Configure the `yfs.purge.path` property in the `<INSTALL_DIR>/properties/customer_overrides.properties` file. For example, on UNIX you might specify the log files to be written to the `/app/yfs/logs/purges` directory.

   For additional information about overriding properties using the `customer_overrides.properties` file, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Properties Guide*.

2. Run the `<INSTALL_DIR>/bin/setupfiles.sh` script on UNIX, or the `<INSTALL_DIR>/bin/setupfiles.cmd` script on Windows.

Available Purges

This section contains details of all purge transactions in alphabetical order.

Access Token Purge

This purge removes access tokens from the system. If all of the following conditions are met, the PLT_ACCESS_TOKEN table is picked up for purge:

- The access token is expired or is in inactive state.
- The last modified date is earlier than or equal to the current date minus the purge criteria's retention days.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 205. Access Token Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	ACCESSTOKPRG
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 206. Access Token Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to N, the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the .
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.

Table 206. Access Token Purge Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 207. Access Token Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumAccessTokenPurged	Number of access token records purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the PLT_ACCESS_TOKEN table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

PLT_ACCESS_TOKEN

Capacity Purge

This purge removes capacity data from the system. This reduces the load on frequently accessed tables.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following conditions are met, a capacity data gets picked up for purge:
• All resource pool standard capacity periods with effective to date earlier than or equal to the current date minus the purge criteria's retention days.
• All resource pool overridden capacity with the capacity date earlier than or equal to the current date minus the purge criteria's retention days.
• All resource pool capacity consumption with consumption date less than or equal to the current date minus the purge criteria's retention days.
• All resource pool capacity consumption details where appointment date is earlier than the system date minus the purge criteria's retention days (or ManualReservationPurgeLeadDays for manually created reservations).

- All resource pool capacity consumption details where expiration date has passed and reservation Id is not blank.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 208. Capacity Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	CAPACITYPRG
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 209. Capacity Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 210. Capacity Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumStdCapacityPeriodsPurged	Number of standard capacity periods purged.
NumCapacityOverridesPurged	Number of capacity overrides purged.
NumCapacityConsumptionsPurged	Number of capacity consumptions purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the total number of records that can be purged from the YFS_RES_POOL_STD_CAPCTY_PERD, YFS_RES_POOL_CAPCTY_OVERRIDE, YFS_RES_POOL_CONSMPTN_DTLS and YFS_RES_POOL_CAPCTY_CONSMPTN tables.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

The YFS_RES_POOL_STD_CAPCTY_PERD table is purged when EFFECTIVE_TO_DATE <= (CurrentDate - LeadDays)

The YFS_RES_POOL_CAPCTY_OVERRIDE table is purged when CAPACITY_DATE <= (CurrentDate - LeadDays)

The YFS_RES_POOL_CAPCTY_CONSMPTN table is purged when CONSUMPTION_DATE <= (CurrentDate - LeadDays), or if a manual reservation is taken, when CONSUMPTION_DATE <= (CurrentDate - Manual Reservation Retention Days). When this table is purged, YFS_RES_POOL_CONSMPTN_DTLS is also purged.

The YFS_RES_POOL_CONSMPTN_DTLS table is purged when RESERVATION_EXPIRATION_DATE <= (CurrentDate - LeadDays)

Draft Order History Purge

This purge deletes data from history tables after a specified interval, which in turn, reduces the load on frequently accessed tables.

You can use purge codes' pseudo-logic to analyze the purges. If the following condition is met, a draft order is picked up for history purge:
• The last modified date of the draft order exceeds the retention day period.

All the enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

For more information about Additional Purge Criteria Based on Line Type, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Distributed Order Management Configuration Guide*.

Note: The draft order must be purged and moved to the history tables before you purge the draft order history tables. See "Draft Order Purge" on page 251.

Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation does not provide a transaction for draft order history purges. If you are defining a transaction that purges draft order history tables, refer to the following Criteria Parameters section for information about the transaction criteria.

If you do not want to define your own transaction to purge draft order history tables, you can use the Order Purge transaction and specify DRAFTORDERHISTPRG for the PurgeCode. To configure the Order Purge transaction for draft order history table purges, refer to "Order Purge" on page 279 for more information.

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for defining a draft order history transaction:

Table 211. Draft Order History Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Required. Enterprise for which the Draft Order History Purge has to be run. If not passed, all the enterprises are monitored.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Removes qualifying records from the history tables that are listed in Tables Purged. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are removed without actually removing them.
PurgeCode	Required. Set to DRAFTORDERHISTPRG. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds to the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

None.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_ANSWER_SET_TRAN_H

YFS_ANSWER_TRAN_H

YFS_CHARGE_TRAN_DIST_H

YFS_CHARGE_TRANSACTION_H

YFS_CREDIT_CARD_TRANSACTION_H

YFS_ENTITY_ADDRESS_H

YFS_HEADER_CHARGES_H

YFS_INSTRUCTION_DETAIL_H

YFS_INVOICE_COLLECTION_H

YFS_LINE_CHARGES_H

YFS_NOTES_H

YFS_ORDER_AUDIT_DETAIL_H

YFS_ORDER_AUDIT_H

YFS_ORDER_AUDIT_LEVEL_H

YFS_ORDER_DATE_H

YFS_ORDER_HEADER_H

YFS_ORDER_HEADER_H_EXTENSION

YFS_ORDER_HOLD_TYPE_H

YFS_ORDER_HOLD_TYPE_LOG_H

YFS_ORDER_INVOICE_DETAIL_H

YFS_ORDER_INVOICE_H

YFS_ORDER_KIT_LINE_H

YFS_ORDER_KIT_LINE_SCHEDULE_H

YFS_ORDER_LINE_H

YFS_ORDER_LINE_H_EXTENSION

YFS_ORDER_LINE_OPTION_H

YFS_ORDER_LINE_REQ_TAG_H

YFS_ORDER_LINE_SCHEDULE_H

YFS_ORDER_PROD_SER_ASSOC_H

YFS_ORDER_RELEASE_H

YFS_ORDER_RELEASE_STATUS_H

YFS_ORDER_SER_PROD_ITEM_H

YFS_PAYMENT_H

YFS_PROMOTION_AWARD_H

YFS_PROMOTION_H

YFS_RECEIVING_DISCREPANCY_DTL_H

YFS_RECEIVING_DISCREPANCY_H

YFS_REFERENCE_TABLE_H

YFS_TAX_BREAKUP_H

Draft Order Purge

This purge archives data into history tables after a specified interval, which in turn, reduces the load on frequently accessed tables. For information about purging draft orders from history tables, see "Draft Order History Purge" on page 248.

Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation does not provide a transaction for draft order purges. If you are defining a transaction that purges draft orders, refer to the following Criteria Parameters section for details about the transaction criteria.

If you do not want to define your own transaction to purge draft orders, you can use the Order Purge transaction and specify DRAFTORDERPRG for the PurgeCode. To configure the Order Purge transaction for draft order purges, refer to "Order Purge" on page 279 for more information.

All the enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

Draft orders are picked up by the agent for validation when the following conditions are met:
* Draft order flag is set to Y.
* Modifyts is set for the retention date.

After the draft orders are picked up, each draft order is validated for purging based on the following conditions:
* No eligible order release status records (records with a status larger than zero) exist for the order.
* All the open child orders (derived, chained, return, exchange, or refund fulfillment) for the order are already purged.

If a draft order meets the set of conditions for validation listed earlier, the agent continues to verify the draft orders against the following criteria:
* Contains the Draft Created (1000) status, and all the extended Draft Created statuses.
* Does not have an order release status record that does not meet the retention days.
* The order's last modification should be before the lead time (in days) setup.
* In the case when an exchange order is part of a return order, the exchange order should be purged from history tables before the return order is purged.
* In the case of an order line reservation, the draft order cannot be purged.
* If the Draft Order Payment Processing flag is set to N, the draft orders are purged.
* If the Draft Order Payment Processing flag is set to Y and a charge exists on a draft order, the draft order is not purged. However, authorizations are not considered when validating draft orders for purge.
* For order lines, except service order lines:
  – If the Seller inventory update is required, the Status Inventory Type has the Update Seller Supply option turned on, and the Seller Supply Type is Onhand, or blank. (The Seller Supply Type can also be a custom seller supply type, with the Onhand Supply check box enabled.)
  – If the Seller Demand Type is blank.

– If the Buyer inventory update is required, and the Buyer Supply Type is Onhand, or blank.

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for defining a draft order purge transaction:

Table 212. Draft Order Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Next Task Queue Interval	Optional. Specifies (in hours) how long a failed task should be suspended before it is considered for reprocessing. Defaults to 5 hours.
EnterpriseCode	Required. Enterprise for which the Draft Order Purge has to be run. If not passed, all the enterprises are monitored. When the EnterpriseCode is blank, the purge criteria configured for the DEFAULT enterprise is used, and not the purge criteria configured for the draft order's enterprise.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged, to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Set to DRAFTORDERPRG. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds to the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

None.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_ACTIVITY_DEMAND

YFS_ANSWER_SET_TRAN

YFS_ANSWER_TRAN

YFS_CHARGE_TRANSACTION

YFS_CHARGE_TRAN_DIST

YFS_CREDIT_CARD_TRANSACTION

YFS_ENTITY_ADDRESS

YFS_HEADER_CHARGES

YFS_INSTRUCTION_DETAIL

YFS_INVOICE_COLLECTION

YFS_LINE_CHARGES

YFS_MONITOR_ALERT

YFS_NOTES

YFS_ORDER_AUDIT

YFS_ORDER_AUDIT_DETAIL

YFS_ORDER_AUDIT_LEVEL

YFS_ORDER_HEADER

YFS_ORDER_HEADER_EXTENSION

YFS_ORDER_HOLD_TYPE

YFS_ORDER_HOLD_TYPE_LOG

YFS_ORDER_INVOICE

YFS_ORDER_INVOICE_DETAIL

YFS_ORDER_KIT_LINE

YFS_ORDER_KIT_LINE_SCHEDULE

YFS_ORDER_LINE

YFS_ORDER_LINE_EXTENSION

YFS_ORDER_LINE_OPTION

YFS_ORDER_LINE_REQ_TAG

YFS_ORDER_LINE_RESERVATION

YFS_ORDER_LINE_SCHEDULE

YFS_ORDER_LINE_SRC_CNTRL

YFS_ORDER_PROD_SER_ASSOC

YFS_ORDER_RELEASE

YFS_ORDER_RELEASE_STATUS

YFS_ORDER_SER_PROD_ITEM

YFS_ORDER_DATE

YFS_PAYMENT

YFS_PMNT_TRANS_ERROR

YFS_PROMOTION

YFS_PROMOTION_AWARD

YFS_RECEIVING_DISCREPANCY

YFS_RECEIVING_DISCREPANCY_DTL

YFS_REFERENCE_TABLE

YFS_TAX_BREAKUP

Delivery Plan Purge

This purge deletes delivery plans after they have completed their typical life cycle. All the loads and shipments that are associated with the delivery plans should have been purged before running this purge agent.

It purges all the delivery plans that have been marked as 'Closed' for a period greater than the retention days specified in the criteria parameters and those that do not have any shipments or loads. The order should have been moved to history before the lead time (in days) setup.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following conditions are met, a delivery plan is picked up for purge:
*   The delivery plan should be in the "Closed" status.
*   The delivery plan should not be associated with any load or shipment.
*   All orders associated with the delivery plan should be purged.
*   The last modification performed on the delivery plan should fall before the lead time (in days) setup.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 213. Delivery Plan Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	DELIVERYPLANPRG
Base Document Type	Load
Base Process Type	Load Execution
Abstract Transaction	No

Table 213. Delivery Plan Purge Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Value
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 214. Delivery Plan Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Delivery Plan Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
BatchDelete	Required. The method by which all records are deleted from the table. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Records are deleted in batches. • N - Records are deleted one by one.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_DELIVERY_PLAN table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 215. Delivery Plan Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumDeliveryPlansPurged	Number of delivery plans purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_DELIVERY_PLAN table.

7 Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_DELIVERY_PLAN

Export Table Purge

This purge removes export table data from the system. This reduces the load on frequently accessed tables.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following conditions are met, the YFS_EXPORT table is picked up for purge:

* YFS_EXPORT records should be marked as processed (Status = 10).
* The last modified time should fall before the lead time (in days) setup.
  This purge reads only the rules defined by the hub. Enterprise overridden rules are not considered. This purge should be single threaded when you run it in batch delete mode(BatchDelete=Y).

Any enterprise using the Application Console must schedule purge transactions.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 216. Export Table Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	EXPORTTBLPRG
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 217. Export Table Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.

Table 217. Export Table Purge Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
BatchDelete	Required. The method by which all records are deleted from the table. Valid values are: • Y - Records are deleted in batches. • N - Default value. Records are deleted one by one.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to "N", the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_EXPORT table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 218. Export Table Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumExportsPurged	Number of exports purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_Export table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_EXPORT

Import Table Purge

This purge removes import table data from the system. This reduces the load on frequently accessed tables.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following conditions are met, the YFS_IMPORT table is picked up for purge:
• YFS_IMPORT records should be marked as processed (Status = "10").
• The "last modified time" should fall before the lead time (in days) setup. This purge reads only the rules defined by the hub. Enterprise overridden rules are not considered. This purge should be single threaded when you run it in batch delete mode(BatchDelete=Y).

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 219. Import Table Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	IMPORTTBLPRG
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 220. Import Table Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
BatchDelete	Required. The method by which all records are deleted from the table. Valid values are: • Y - Records are deleted in batches. • N - Default value. Records are deleted one by one.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to "N", the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_IMPORT table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 221. Import Table Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumImportsPurged	Number of import tables purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_Import table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_IMPORT

Inventory Audit Purge

This purge removes inventory audit data from the system. This reduces the load on frequently accessed tables.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

All inventory audits of the provided organization with modify timestamp earlier than the current date minus the purge criteria's retention days can be configured to be picked up by the Inventory Audit Purge.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following condition is met, an inventory audit record is picked up for purge:

- The inventory audit record's last modification is earlier than the current timestamp minus the retention days.
  Number of threads for this purge's agent criteria details must be set to 1. For more information about agent criteria, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*.

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 222. Inventory Audit Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	INVENTORYAUDITPRG
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 223. Inventory Audit Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. The inventory organization for which the Inventory Audit Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Table Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 224. Inventory Audit Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumInventoryAuditsPurged	Number of inventory audits purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_Inventory_Audit table.

Events Raised

None.

Table Purged

YFS_INVENTORY_AUDIT

Inventory Purge

This purge removes inventory data from the system. This reduces the load on frequently accessed tables. This purge does not take retention days into account when purging.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges.

For YFS_INVENTORY_SUPPLY, if the following conditions are met, an inventory supply is picked up for purge:

- Supply record has the same availability type as the node. For example, TRACK or INFINITE.
- Supply record has 0 quantity.
- Supply record does not contain the supply type "INFO".

For YFS_INVENTORY_DEMAND, if the following conditions are met, an inventory demand is picked up for purge:

- Demand record has 0 quantity or lesser.
- Demand record does not have demand details as well as matching demand record in YFS_INVENTORY_DEMAND_ADDNL tables.

For YFS_INVENTORY_TAG, it is purged if the INVENTORY_TAG_KEY is not used by any of the existing supply and demand.

For YFS_INVENTORY_RESERVATION, an inventory reservation is picked up for purge if it meets the following conditions:

- Inventory reservation record has 0 quantity or ship date is earlier than the system date minus the purge criteria's retention days.

For YFS_INVENTORY_NODE_CONTROL, it is purged if the INV_PIC_INCORRECT_TILL_DATE is earlier than the current time stamp minus the purge criteria's retention days.

For YFS_IBA_TRIGGER, it is purged if IBA_REQUIRED = 'N', IBA_RUN_REQUIRED = 'N', and LAST_IBA_PROCESSED_TS is earlier than the current time stamp minus the purge criteria's retention days.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 225. Inventory Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	INVENTORYPRG
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 226. Inventory Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	The inventory organization for which the Inventory Purge needs to be run.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 227. Inventory Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumInventoryDemandsPurged	Number of inventory demands purged.
NumInventoryNodeControlsPurged	Number of inventory node controls purged.
NumInventoryReservationsPurged	Number of inventory reservations purged.
NumInventoryTagsPurged	Number of inventory tags purged.
NumItemBasedAllocationTriggers Purged	Number of item based allocation triggers purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the total number of records that can be purged from the YFS_Inventory_Supply, YFS_Inventory_Demand, YFS_Inventory_Tag, YFS_Inventory_Reservation, YFS_IBA_Trigger, and YFS_Inventory_Node_Control tables.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_IBA_TRIGGER

YFS_INVENTORY_DEMAND

YFS_INVENTORY_TAG

YFS_INVENTORY_RESERVATION

YFS_INVENTORY_SUPPLY

YFS_INVENTORY_NODE_CONTROL

Inventory Supply Temp Purge

The Inventory Supply Temp purge agent cleans up the contents in the temporary inventory tables generated by the process of synchronizing the Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation inventory picture with the actual inventory picture at the nodes.

The node inventory picture is stored during the loading process into the YFS_INVENTORY_SUPPLY_TEMP table. Once the synchronization phase is complete and the YFS_INVENTORY_SUPPLY table has been updated, the YFS_INVENTORY_SUPPLY_TEMP table needs to be purged, which is done through this agent.

For more information about configuring the synchronization with node inventory, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Global Inventory Visibility Configuration Guide*.

The Inventory Supply Temp purge agent is used to purge all records in the YFS_INVENTORY_SUPPLY_TEMP table whose modify timestamp is less then current time minus the purge criteria's retention days for a group of `YantraMessageGroupID`.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 228. Inventory Supply Temp Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	SUPPLYTEMPPRG
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 229. Inventory Supply Temp Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. The inventory organization for which the Inventory Supply Temp Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_INVENTORY_SUPPLY_TEMP table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 230. Inventory Supply Temp Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumInventorySupplyTempsPurged	Number of entries in the YFS_INVENTORY_SUPPLY_TEMP table purged.

Pending Job Count

Number of unique YantraMessageGroupIDs from YFS_INVENTORY_SUPPLY_TEMP table whose maximum modify timestamp is less than current timestamp minus purge criteria's lead day.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_INVENTORY_SUPPLY_TEMP

Item Audit Purge

This purge removes the YFS_AUDIT table data from the system, which reduces the load on frequently accessed tables. It purges records in the YFS_AUDIT and the YFS_AUDIT_HEADER tables that meet the following conditions:

- YFS_AUDIT records that have 'modifyts' greater than the retention days specified and the records have the table name as 'YFS_ITEM'.
- The last modified time is before the lead time (in days) setup.

When the enterprise modifies records in the YFS_ITEM table through the Applications Manager, the YFS_ITEM is audited and the audit records are inserted in the YFS_AUDIT table. In order to clean up the audit records, this purge transaction can be used.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions accordingly.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 231. Item Audit Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	YFS_ITEM_AUDIT_PURGE
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 232. Item Audit Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, the value defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), this value defaults to 5000.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Production mode. Deletes records from the regular tables. • N - Test mode.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_AUDIT and YFS_AUDIT_HEADER tables may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 233. Item Audit Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumItemAuditRecords Purged	Number of item audit records purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_AUDIT table that match the criteria values.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_AUDIT, YFS_AUDIT_HEADER

Load History Purge

This purge deletes the load data from history tables after it completes its typical lifecycle. This reduces the load on frequently accessed tables.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the last modification made to the load is before the lead time (in days) is met, a load is picked up for purge.

Before you run this transaction, ensure to purge loads and move them to history tables. For more information about purging loads, see "Load Purge" on page 268.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 234. Load History Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	LOADHISTPRG
Base Document Type	Load
Base Process Type	Load Execution
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 235. Load History Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Load Purge needs to be run. If not passed, all enterprises are monitored.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
Purge Code	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 236. Load History Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumLoadHistoriesPurged	Number of load histories purged.
NumLoadShipment HistoriesPurged	Number of load shipment histories purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_Load_H table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_LOAD_H

YFS_LOAD_STOP_H

YFS_LOAD_SHIPMENT_CHARGE_H

YFS_LOAD_STATUS_AUDIT_H

YFS_SHIPMENT_CONTAINER_H

YFS_CONTAINER_ACTIVITY_H

YFS_LOADED_CONTAINER_H

YFS_LOAD_SHIPMENT_H

YFS_ADDITIONAL_DATE_H

YFS_LOAD_HOLD_TYPE_H

YFS_LOAD_HOLD_TYPE_LOG_H

Load Purge

This purge removes load data from the system. It picks up all loads that have been marked as 'Closed' and purges them. Empty Loads (for example, loads with no shipments) are not considered for purge. As a part of this purge, the associated child tables are also purged.

This is not a pipeline transaction. It also does not work from the task queue.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following condition is met, a load is picked up for purge:

• The Load's last modification should fall before the lead time (in days) setup.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 237. Load Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	LOADPRG
Base Document Type	Load
Base Process Type	Load Execution
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 238. Load Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.

Table 238. Load Purge Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Load Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 239. Load Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumLoadShipmentsPurged	Number of load shipments purged.
NumLoadsPurged	Number of loads purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_Load table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_ADDITIONAL_DATE

YFS_LOAD

YFS_LOAD_HOLD_TYPE

YFS_LOAD_HOLD_TYPE_LOG

YFS_LOAD_STOP

YFS_LOAD_SHIPMENT

YFS_LOAD_SHIPMENT_CHARGES (charges that pertain to this load)

YFS_LOAD_STATUS_AUDIT

YFS_LOADED_CONTAINER

YFS_SHIPMENT_CONTAINER

YFS_CONTAINER_ACTIVITY

Negotiation History Purge

This purge deletes negotiation history data from the system. This reduces the load on frequently accessed tables. It purges data from the order negotiation history tables.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following condition is met, a negotiation is picked up for history purge:

• The last modified date of the negotiation exceeds the retention day period.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 240. Negotiation History Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	NEGOTIATIONHISTPRG
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Negotiation
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 241. Negotiation History Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Negotiation History Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.

Table 241. Negotiation History Purge Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 242. Negotiation History Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumNegotiationHistoriesPurged	Number of negotiation histories purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_Negotiation_Hdr_H table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_AUDIT

YFS_NEGOTIATION_HDR_H

YFS_NEGOTIATION_LINE_H

YFS_RESPONSE_H

YFS_RESPONSE_HDR_H

YFS_RESPONSE_LINE_H

YFS_RESPONSE_LINE_DTL_H

Negotiation Purge

This purge archives data into history tables after it completes its typical lifecycle. This reduces the load on frequently accessed tables. It works from the task queue (YFS_TASK_Q) table.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following condition is met, a negotiation is picked up for purge:

- The last modification performed on the negotiation falls before the lead time (in days) setup.
- The negotiation is in pickable status.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 243. Negotiation Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	ORD_NEGOTIATION_PURGE
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Negotiation
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 244. Negotiation Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Negotiation Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
Next Task Queue Interval	Optional. Specifies in hours how long a failed task should be suspended before it is considered for reprocessing. Defaults to 5 hours.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 245. Negotiation Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumOrderNegotiationsPurged	Number of order negotiations purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

None

Tables Purged

YFS_AUDIT

YFS_NEGOTIATION_HDR

YFS_NEGOTIATION_LINE

YFS_RESPONSE

YFS_RESPONSE_HDR

YFS_RESPONSE_LINE

YFS_RESPONSE_LINE_DTL

Opportunity History Purge

This transaction deletes tasks previously archived by the Opportunity Purge. See "Opportunity Purge" on page 275.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following conditions are met, an opportunity that is previously purged by the opportunity purge agent is picked up for history purge:
- The last modified date of the opportunity should exceed the retention day period.
- The quote history is purged.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 246. Opportunity History Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	OPPORTUNITYHISTPRG
Base Document Type	Opportunity
Base Process Type	Opportunity Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 247. Opportunity History Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Defaults to N. • Y - Default value. Removes qualifying records from the history tables listed under Tables Purged. • N- Test mode. Determines the rows that are removed without actually removing them.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Opportunity History Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored. When the EnterpriseCode is blank, the purge criteria configured for the DEFAULT enterprise is used; not the purge criteria configured for the opportunity's enterprise.
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to "N", the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 248. Opportunity History Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumOpportunityHistory Purged	Number of opportunity histories purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_OPPORTUNITY_H table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_OPPORTUNITY_H

YFS_OPPORTUNITY_H_EXTENSION

Opportunity Purge

This time-triggered transaction purges all the opportunities for a period greater than the retention days specified in the Opportunity Purge criteria, and those which are either in the status of cancelled or completed.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following conditions are met, an opportunity is picked up for purge:
* The last modified date of the opportunity should exceed the retention day period.
* The quote associated with the opportunity should be purged.
* The opportunity should be in pickable status by the purge transaction.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 249. Opportunity Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	OPPORTUNITYPRG
Base Document Type	Opportunity
Base Process Type	Opportunity Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 250. Opportunity Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Defaults to Y. • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.

Table 250. Opportunity Purge Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Opportunity Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored. When the EnterpriseCode is blank, the purge criteria configured for the DEFAULT enterprise is used; not the purge criteria configured for the opportunity's enterprise.
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to "N", the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 251. Opportunity Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumOpportunityPurged	Number of opportunities purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_OPPORTUNITY table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_OPPORTUNITY

YFS_OPPORTUNITY_EXTENSION

Order History Purge

This purge deletes data from history tables after it completes its typical lifecycle. This reduces the load on frequently accessed tables.

The order should have been purged and moved into the history tables before you can run this transaction. For more information about this, see "Order Purge" on page 279.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following condition is met, an order is picked up for history purge:

- The last modified date of the order exceeds the retention day period.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

For more information about Additional Purge Criteria Based on Line Type, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Distributed Order Management Configuration Guide*.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 252. Order History Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	ORDERHISTPRG
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 253. Order History Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Order History Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Removes qualifying records from the history tables listed under Tables Purged. • N- Test mode. Determines the rows that are removed without actually removing them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 254. Order History Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumOrderHistoriesPurged	Number of order histories purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_Order_HEADER_H table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_ANSWER_SET_TRAN_H

YFS_ANSWER_TRAN_H

YFS_CHARGE_TRAN_DIST_H

YFS_CHARGE_TRAN_REQUEST_H

YFS_CHARGE_TRAN_RQ_MAP_H

YFS_CHARGE_TRANSACTION_H

YFS_CREDIT_CARD_TRANSACTION_H

YFS_ENTITY_ADDRESS_H

YFS_HEADER_CHARGES_H

YFS_INSTRUCTION_DETAIL_H

YFS_INVOICE_COLLECTION_H

YFS_LINE_CHARGES_H

YFS_NOTES_H

YFS_ORDER_AUDIT_DETAIL_H

YFS_ORDER_AUDIT_H

YFS_ORDER_AUDIT_LEVEL_H

YFS_ORDER_DATE_H

YFS_ORDER_HEADER_H

YFS_ORDER_HEADER_H_EXTENSION

YFS_ORDER_HOLD_TYPE_H

YFS_ORDER_HOLD_TYPE_LOG_H

YFS_ORDER_INVOICE_DETAIL_H

YFS_ORDER_INVOICE_H

YFS_ORDER_KIT_LINE_H

YFS_ORDER_KIT_LINE_SCHEDULE_H

YFS_ORDER_LINE_H

YFS_ORDER_LINE_H_EXTENSION

YFS_ORDER_LINE_OPTION_H

YFS_ORDER_LINE_REQ_TAG_H

YFS_ORDER_LINE_SCHEDULE_H

YFS_ORDER_PROD_SER_ASSOC_H

YFS_ORDER_RELEASE_H

YFS_ORDER_RELEASE_STATUS_H

YFS_ORDER_SER_PROD_ITEM_H

YFS_PAYMENT_H

YFS_PROMOTION_AWARD_H

YFS_PROMOTION_H

YFS_RECEIVING_DISCREPANCY_DTL_H

YFS_RECEIVING_DISCREPANCY_H

YFS_REFERENCE_TABLE_H

YFS_TAX_BREAKUP_H

YIC_BOM_HEADER_H

YIC_BOM_LINE_H

YIC_BOM_MESSAGE_H

YIC_BOM_PROP_H

Order Purge

This purge archives data into history tables after it completes its typical lifecycle. To purge orders from history tables, see "Order History Purge" on page 276. This reduces the load on frequently accessed tables. It works on a task queue. It picks up the orders from YFS_TASK_Q table that are available for the transaction PURGE.

If purge criteria are not met, AVAILABLE_DATE is calculated based on the modify time stamp of the order in YFS_ORDER_HEADER table as well as the YFS_TASK_Q table, whichever is maximum. To this value, retention days is added to the new AVAILABLE_DATE.

This transaction depends on all lines of an order being in a status pickable by the Purge transaction.

The following statuses are available for configuration to be picked up by Order Purge:

* Draft Created (1000) and all extended Draft Created Statuses.
* Created (1100) and all extended Created statuses. These statuses are available only for document types Sales Order, Purchase Order and Transfer Order.
* Released (3200) and all extended Released statuses.
* Shipped (3700) and all extended Shipped statuses.
* Completed (3700) and all extended Completed statuses. These statuses are available only for the document type Master Order.
* Received (3900) and all extended Received statuses.
* Cancelled (9000) and all extended Cancelled statuses.
* Shorted (9020) and all extended Shorted statuses.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following conditions are met, an order is picked up for purge:

* All open child orders (derived, chained, return, exchange, procurement, or refund fulfillment) for the order must already be purged.
* No pending transfer-out charges to another order exceeding the transfer-ins.
* No pending adjustment invoices.

An order is purged immediately if it meets the above three criteria and is completely cancelled with payment collection complete.

For the purge agent to pick up a cancelled order, the payment status of the order must be one of the following:

* Paid
* Not Applicable

If an order does not meet any of the above criteria, continue checking for the criteria given below:

* No order release status record that does not meet the retention days.
* It should be in the correct status for purge. For example,
  – All service requests for the order should have Shipped or extended Shipped status.
  – The payment status for the order should be Paid or Not Applicable.
  – It must not have any unpurged negotiations.
* For all order lines other than service request lines:
  – If the Seller inventory update is required, the Status Inventory Type has the "Update Seller Supply" option turned on, and the Seller Supply Type is "Onhand", or blank. (The Seller Supply Type can also be a custom seller supply type with the "Onhand Supply" checkbox enabled.)
  – If the Seller Demand Type is blank.
  – If the Buyer inventory update is required and the Buyer Supply Type is "Onhand", or blank.
* The order's last modification should fall before the lead time (in days) setup.
* Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.
* The order must not have a undelivered service line.

- In the case of an exchange order for processing a return order, the exchange order should be purged from history before the return order can be purged.

With no change to status inventory type, a in Shipped (3700) status or its extended status is purged if the Buyer is not passed.

An order in Shipped status or extended Shipped status in the default pipeline is not purged if the Buyer passed on the is tracking inventory. This prevents the purging of the order relating to the pending supply for the Buyer tracking inventory.

To purge such orders, the status inventory type for the Shipped or extended Shipped status should be configured such that the Buyer Supply Type is ONHAND for the status inventory type.

When the purge agent is run, the draft order without lines are purged to the order history table. Once the purge history agent is run, the draft orders without lines gets deleted permanently.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 255. Order Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	PURGE
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 256. Order Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Next Task Queue Interval	Optional. Specifies in hours how long a failed task should be suspended before it is considered for reprocessing. Defaults to 5 hours.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Order Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored. When the EnterpriseCode is blank, the purge criteria configured for the DEFAULT enterprise is used; not the purge criteria configured for the order's enterprise.

Table 256. Order Purge Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria. You can set this parameter to the following values: • DRAFTORDERHISTPRG to purge draft order information from the order history tables. • DRAFTORDERNOLINEHISTPRG to purge draft orders without order lines from the order history tables. • DRAFTORDERNOLINEPRG to purge draft orders that have no order lines. • DRAFTORDERPRG to purge draft order information and archive it in the order history tables. PurgeCode cannot be set to the value ORDER_RELEASE_STATUS_PURGE.
AdditionalPurgeCode	Optional. To purge order release status records, set this parameter to ORDER_RELEASE_STATUS_PURGE. For more information, see "Order Release Status Purge" on page 284.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 257. Order Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumOrdersProcessed	Number of order processed.
NumOrdersPurged	Number of orders purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_ACTIVITY_DEMAND

YFS_ANSWER_SET_TRAN

YFS_ANSWER_TRAN

YFS_CHARGE_TRANSACTION

YFS_CHARGE_TRAN_DIST

YFS_CHARGE_TRAN_REQUEST

YFS_CHARGE_TRAN_RQ_MAP

YFS_CREDIT_CARD_TRANSACTION

YFS_ENTITY_ADDRESS

YFS_HEADER_CHARGES

YFS_INSTRUCTION_DETAIL

YFS_INVOICE_COLLECTION

YFS_LINE_CHARGES

YFS_MONITOR_ALERT

YFS_NOTES

YFS_ORDER_AUDIT

YFS_ORDER_AUDIT_DETAIL

YFS_ORDER_AUDIT_LEVEL

YFS_ORDER_HEADER

YFS_ORDER_HEADER_EXTENSION

YFS_ORDER_HOLD_TYPE

YFS_ORDER_HOLD_TYPE_LOG

YFS_ORDER_INVOICE

YFS_ORDER_INVOICE_DETAIL

YFS_ORDER_KIT_LINE

YFS_ORDER_KIT_LINE_SCHEDULE

YFS_ORDER_LINE

YFS_ORDER_LINE_EXTENSION

YFS_ORDER_LINE_OPTION

YFS_ORDER_LINE_REQ_TAG

YFS_ORDER_LINE_RESERVATION

YFS_ORDER_LINE_SCHEDULE

YFS_ORDER_LINE_SRC_CNTRL

YFS_ORDER_PROD_SER_ASSOC

YFS_ORDER_RELEASE

YFS_ORDER_RELEASE_STATUS

YFS_ORDER_SER_PROD_ITEM

YFS_ORDER_DATE

YFS_PAYMENT

YFS_PMNT_TRANS_ERROR

YFS_PROMOTION

YFS_PROMOTION_AWARD

YFS_RECEIVING_DISCREPANCY

YFS_RECEIVING_DISCREPANCY_DTL

YFS_REFERENCE_TABLE

YFS_TAX_BREAKUP

YIC_BOM_HEADER

YIC_BOM_LINE

YIC_BOM_MESSAGE

YIC_BOM_PROP

Order Release Status Purge

The Order Release Status Purge agent extends the Order Purge agent's capabilities by purging order release status records before the Order Purge agent completely purges data to history tables.

If an order meets the criteria for purging, the order release status records with quantities of 0 are deleted from the YFS_ORDER_RELEASE_STATUS table and are not put into the history table.

When the Order Release Status Purge agent has completed, the task queue's AVAILABLE_DATE is reset to the date specified by the purge criteria for Order Purge. This enables the Order Purge agent to pick up and process an order as necessary. Order Purge will continue to purge order release status records as usual.

If the following conditions are met, the Order Purge agent purges order release status records:

* All conditions for Order Purge have been met. See "Order Purge" on page 279 for information about conditions for Order Purge.
* Order release records have 0 quantity.
* AdditionalPurgeCode in the Order Purge criteria is set to ORDER_RELEASE_STATUS_PURGE.
* The order has been modified within the Order Purge lead days AdditionalPurgeCode.

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for Order Release Status Purge:

Table 258. Order Release Status Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Next Task Queue Interval	Optional. Specifies in hours how long a failed task should be suspended before it is considered for reprocessing. Defaults to 5 hours.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Order Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored. When the EnterpriseCode is blank, the purge criteria configured for the DEFAULT enterprise is used; not the purge criteria configured for the order's enterprise.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. To extend the Order Purge agent to purge order release status records, set to ORDERPRG. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. You must also set AddtionalPurgeCode.
AdditionalPurgeCode	Required. To purge order release status records, set this parameter to ORDER_RELEASE_STATUS_PURGE.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

None.

Pending Job Count

The pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by Order Purge with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_ORDER_RELEASE_STATUS

Order Status Audit Purge

This purge removes order status audit data from the system. This reduces the load on frequently accessed tables.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following condition is met, an order status audit is picked up for history purge:

- The last modified time falls before the lead time (in days) setup.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

This transaction needs to be run after negotiation is completed.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 259. Order Status Audit Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	STATUSAUDITPRG
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 260. Order Status Audit Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.

Table 260. Order Status Audit Purge Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Order Status Audit Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_STATUS_AUDIT Table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 261. Order Status Audit Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumStatusAuditsPurged	Number of status audits purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_Status_Audit table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_STATUS_AUDIT

Organization Audit Purge

This purge removes the YFS_AUDIT table data from the system, which reduces the load on frequently accessed tables. It purges records in the YFS_AUDIT and the YFS_AUDIT_HEADER tables that meet the following conditions:
• The YFS_AUDIT records that have 'modifyts' greater than the retention days specified and the records have the table name as 'YFS_ORGANIZATION'.
• The last modified time is before the lead time (in days) setup.

When the enterprise modifies records in the YFS_ORGANIZATION table through the Applications Manager, the YFS_ORGANIZATION is audited and the audit records are inserted in the YFS_AUDIT table. In order to clean up the audit records, this purge transaction can be used.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 262. Organization Audit Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	YFS_ORGANIZATION_AUDIT_PURGE
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 263. Organization Audit Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, the value defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), this value defaults to 5000.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Production mode. Deletes records from the regular tables. • N - Test mode.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds to the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_AUDIT and YFS_AUDIT_HEADER tables may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 264. Organization Audit Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumOrganizationAudit RecordsPurged	Number of organization audit records purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_AUDIT table that match the criteria values.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_AUDIT

YFS_AUDIT_HEADER

Person Info Purge

This purge gets a list of dates with the person info record count and sorts them by date in ascending order. Then, based on the specified number of records to buffer and the modify timestamp, it purges the applicable records and places them in the YFS_PERSON_INFO_H table.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 265. PersonInfo Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	PERSONINFOPRG
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 266. PersonInfo Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. • If left blank or the number specified is less than 10000, it defaults to 10000. • If the number specified is greater than 10000, then that value is used.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.

Table 266. PersonInfo Purge Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to "N", the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the PersonInfo Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
TableType	Required in a multi schema deployment when YFS_Person_Info table may exist in multiple schemas. Valid Values: CONFIGURATION, TRANSACTION, MASTER. If set to CONFIGURATION, purge runs for the YFS_Person_Info records associated with tables that have TableType as CONFIGURATION; for example, YFS_Organization, YFS_Ship_Node, and so forth. If set to TRANSACTION, purge runs for the YFS_Person_Info records associated with tables that have TableType as TRANSACTION; for example, YFS_Order_Header, YFS_Shipment, and so forth. Note that purge would run for all TableTypes that exist in the same schema as the one passed. For example, if set to TRANSACTION, purge would also run for YFS_Person_Info records associated with tables that have TableType as MASTER, since they reside in the same schema.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_PERSON_INFO table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

If it is left blank or any number less than 10,000 is specified, then it defaults to 10,000. But if any number > 10,000 is specified, then that value would be used.

Table 267. PersonInfo Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumPersonInfoPurged	Number of person info records purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_PERSON_INFO table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_PERSON_INFO

Person Info History Purge

This purge deletes records from the YFS_PERSON_INFO_H table based on the purge criteria.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 268. PersonInfo History Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	PERSONINFOHISTPRG
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 269. PersonInfo History Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. • If left blank or the number specified is less than 10000, it defaults to 10000. • If the number specified is greater than 10000, then that value is used.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to "N", the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the PersonInfo Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.

Table 269. PersonInfo History Purge Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
TableType	Required in a multi schema deployment when YFS_Person_Info table may exist in multiple schemas. Valid Values: CONFIGURATION, TRANSACTION, MASTER. If set to CONFIGURATION, purge runs for the YFS_Person_Info records associated with tables that have TableType as CONFIGURATION; for example, YFS_Organization, YFS_Ship_Node, and so forth. If set to TRANSACTION, purge runs for the YFS_Person_Info records associated with tables that have TableType as TRANSACTION; for example, YFS_Order_Header, YFS_Shipment, and so forth. Note that purge would run for all TableTypes that exist in the same schema as the one passed. For example, if set to TRANSACTION, purge would also run for YFS_Person_Info records associated with tables that have TableType as MASTER, since they reside in the same schema.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_PERSON_INFO_H table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 270. PersonInfo History Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumPersonInfoHIstoryRecords Purged	Number of person info history records purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_PERSON_INFO_H table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_PERSON_INFO_H

Picklist Purge

This purge picks up all picklists that have been existing for a period greater than the retention days specified in the criteria parameters and those that do not have any shipments.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following conditions are met, a picklist is picked up for purge:

- The picklist should exist for more than the specified retention period.
- The picklist should not be associated with any shipment.

All shipments associated with the picklists should have been purged before running this purge agent.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 271. Picklist Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	PICKLISTPRG
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Delivery
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 272. Picklist Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: - Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. - N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_PICK_LIST table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 273. Picklist Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumPickListsPurged	Number of picklists purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_PICK_LIST table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_PICK_LIST

Price List Purge

This purge removes price list data from the system. This reduces the load on frequently accessed tables.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following condition is met, a price list is picked up for purge:

* The price list has valid date less than the current date minus the purge criteria's retention days.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 274. Price List Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	PRICELISTPRG
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 275. Price List Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 276. Price List Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumPriceSetsPurged	Number of price sets purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_Price_Set table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_PRICE_SET table with VALID_TILL_DATE less than or equal to (CurrentDate - LeadDays)

YFS_PRICE_PROGRAM_DEFN

YFS_ITEM_PRICE_SET

YFS_ITEM_PRICE_SET_DTL

Purge Catalog Mass Audits

This purge removes old audit records from the YFS_CATALOG_MASS_AUDIT table. This table contains data about changes to the catalog due to assignment of attributes and attribute values to categories and items. It also contains information about inherited attributes and attribute values. The purge transaction finds mass audit records that have not been modified in a specified number of days and removes those records from the database.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 277. Purge Catalog Mass Audits Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	CATALOG_MASS_AUDIT_PURGE
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 278. Purge Catalog Mass Audits Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_CATALOG_MASS_AUDIT table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 279. Purge Catalog Mass Audits Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumCatalogMassAuditsPurged	Number of mass audit records purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the total number of records that can be purged from the YFS_CATALOG_MASS_AUDIT table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

The YFS_CATALOG_MASS_AUDIT table is purged when MODIFYTS < (CurrentDate - LeadDays)

Receipt History Purge

This transaction deletes receipts previously archived by the Receipt Purge. See "Receipt Purge" on page 299.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following conditions are met, a receipt that is previously purged by the receipt purge agent is picked up for history purge:
* The last modified date of the receipt should exceed the retention day period.
* The shipment associated with the receipt should be purged from the history table.

To purge a receipt history, ensure that the Receipts are closed and Shipments are purged.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 280. Receipt History Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	RECEIPTHISTPRG
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 281. Receipt History Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Receipt History Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Removes qualifying records from the history tables listed under Tables Purged. • N- Test mode. Determines the rows that are removed without actually removing them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 282. Receipt History Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumReceiptLineHistoriesPurged	Number of receipt line histories purged.
NumReceiptHistoriesPurged	Number of receipt histories purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_Receipt_Header_H table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_RECEIPT_HEADER_H

YFS_RECEIPT_LINE_H

YFS_RECEIPT_STATUS_AUDIT_H

YFS_INSTRUCTION_DETAIL_H

Receipt Purge

This purge removes receipt data from the system. This reduces the load on frequently accessed tables. This transaction picks up all receipts that are not open and not pending inspection and archives them into their history tables. See "Receipt History Purge" on page 297. It also archives and purges the receipt's child tables.

This is a pipeline transaction and works from a task queue.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following conditions are met, a receipt is picked up for purge:
* The last modified date of the receipt should exceed the retention day period.
* The shipment associated with the receipt should be purged.
* The receipt should be in pickable status for the purge transaction.
* The value of the OpenReceiptFlag field should be set to "N".
* The receipt should not have pending inspections.
* There is no inventory in the warehouse for the receipt.

To purge a receipt, ensure that the receipts are closed and Shipments are purged.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 283. Receipt Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	RECEIPTPRG
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 284. Receipt Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Receipt Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.

Table 284. Receipt Purge Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 285. Receipt Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumReceiptLinesPurged	Number of Receipt Lines purged.
NumReceiptsPurged	Number of receipts purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records available to be processed by the transaction with the AVAILABLE_DATE value less than or equal to (<=) the current date value in the YFS_Task_Q table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_RECEIPT_HEADER

YFS_RECEIPT_LINE

YFS_RECEIPT_STATUS_AUDIT

YFS_INSTRUCTION_DETAIL

Reprocess Error Purge

This purge deletes reprocess errors from the system. This reduces the load on frequently accessed tables.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following conditions are met, a YFS_REPROCESS_ERROR table is picked up for purge:

• YFS_REPROCESS_ERROR records with State = Fixed or Ignored is processed.

• The last modified time is earlier than the lead time (in days) setup.

This purge reads only the rules defined by the hub. Enterprise overridden rules are not considered.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 286. Reprocess Error Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	REPROCESSPRG
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 287. Reprocess Error Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_REPROCESS_ERROR table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 288. Reprocess Error Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumReprocessErrorsPurged	Number of reprocess errors purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_REPROCESS_ERROR table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_REPROCESS_ERROR

Reservation Purge

This purge deletes expired inventory reservations from the system. This reduces the load on frequently accessed tables as well as free up demands that are consumed by expired reservations.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following condition is met, all records in the YFS_INVENTORY_RESERVATION tables are picked up for purge:

- EXPIRATION_DATE is earlier than the current date or quantity is less than or equal to 0

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 289. Reservation Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	RESERVATIONPRG
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 290. Reservation Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.

Table 290. Reservation Purge Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_INVENTORY_RESERVATION table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 291. Reservation Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumReservationsPurged	Number of reservations purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_INVENTORY_RESERVATION table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_INVENTORY_RESERVATION

Shipment History Purge

This transaction deletes shipments previously archived by the Shipment Purge. See "Shipment Purge" on page 305.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following condition is met, all records archived in the history table are picked up for purge:
• The last modification performed on the shipment falls before the lead time (in days) setup.

Orders related to the shipments should have been purged by order purge. Shipments should have been closed by the Close Shipment transaction. See "Close Shipment" on page 192.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 292. Shipment History Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	SHIPMENTHISTPRG
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Delivery
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 293. Shipment History Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Shipment History Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Removes qualifying records from the history tables listed under Tables Purged. • N- Test mode. Determines the rows that are removed without actually removing them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 294. Shipment History Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumShipmentHistoriesPurged	Number of shipment histories purged.
NumShipmentLineHistoriesPurged	Number of shipment line histories purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_Shipment_H table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_ADDITIONAL_ATTRIBUTE_H

YFS_ADDITIONAL_DATE_H

YFS_AUDIT

YFS_CONTAINER_DETAILS_H

YFS_CONTAINER_STS_AUDIT_H

YFS_INSTRUCTION_DETAIL_H

YFS_SHIPMENT_CONTAINER_H

YFS_SHIPMENT_H

YFS_SHIPMENT_LINE_H

YFS_SHIPMENT_LINE_REQ_TAG_H

YFS_SHIPMENT_STATUS_AUDIT_H

YFS_SHIPMENT_TAG_SERIAL_H

YFS_CONTAINER_ACTIVITY_H

Shipment Purge

This purge removes shipment data from the system. This reduces the load on frequently accessed tables. This transaction picks up all shipments that have been marked as 'Closed' and archives them into their history tables. See "Shipment History Purge" on page 303. It also archives and purges the shipment's child tables.

This is not a pipeline transaction. It also does not work from the task queue.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

Orders related to the shipments should have been purged by order purge. Shipments should have been closed by the Close Shipment transaction. For more information, see "Close Shipment" on page 192.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following conditions are met, a shipment is picked up for purge:
• The last modification performed on the shipment should fall before the lead time (in days) setup.
• The value of the ShipmentClosedFlag field should be set to "Y".
• The order record should already be purged for all shipment lines.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 295. Shipment Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	SHIPMENTPRG
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Delivery
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 296. Shipment Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Number of Days To Execute	Optional. Maximum number of days before the lead days the agent will look for shipment records to purge.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Shipment Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 297. Shipment Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumShipmentsPurged	Number of Shipments purged.
NumShipmentLinesPurged	Number of Shipment Lines purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_Shipment table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_ADDITIONAL_ATTRIBUTES

YFS_ADDITIONAL_DATE

YFS_AUDIT

YFS_CONTAINER_DETAILS

YFS_LOAD_SHIPMENT_CHARGE

YFS_MONITOR_ALERT

YFS_SHIPMENT_CONTAINER

YFS_SHIPMENT_STATUS_AUDIT

YFS_SHIPMENT

YFS_INSTRUCTION_DETAIL

YFS_SHIPMENT_MONITOR_ALERT

YFS_HEADER_CHARGES

YFS_LINE_CHARGES

YFS_TAX_BREAKUP

YFS_SHIPMENT_HOLD_TYPE

YFS_SHIPMENT_HOLD_TYPE_LOG

YFS_SHIPMENT_TAG_SERIALS

YFS_SHIPMENT_LINE

YFS_SHIPMENT_LINE_REQ_TAG

YFS_ACTIVITY_DEMAND

YFS_CONTAINER_STS_AUDIT

YFS_CONTAINER_ACTIVITY

Shipment Statistics Purge

This transaction deletes the shipment statistics from the table older than the specified retention days.

This agent should be used whenever shipment statistics records need to be removed, such as after application server restart.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following condition is met, the shipment statistics are picked up for purge:

- The last modification performed on the shipment statistics should fall before the lead time (in days) setup.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 298. Shipment Statistics Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	PRG_SHIP_STATS
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Delivery
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 299. Shipment Statistics Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Shipment Statistics Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_SHIPMENT_STATISTICS table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Parameters

The following are the statistics parameters for this transaction:

Table 300. Shipment Statistics Purge Statistics

Parameter	Description
NumShipmentStatisticsPurged	Number of shipment statistics purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_SHIPMENT_STATISTICS table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_SHIPMENT_STATISTICS

User Activity Purge

This purge deletes the user activity data from the system. It purges all records older than the specified retention days, and those records which have a logged out status. This purge must be single threaded when you run it in batch delete mode (BatchDelete=Y).

The following limitation is assumed when purging records:

This purge do not purge any record if the Application server goes down abruptly because the audit records of users connected to the application server at the time when the server went down cannot be updated. As a result, the last activity time or the logout time is not populated. The purge does not know whether the user has logged out or still logged in. Therefore, you need to manually delete these records.

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 301. User Activity Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	USERACTIVITYPRG
Base Document Type	None
Base Process Type	None
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 302. User Activity Purge Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to "N", the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.
Number of Records To Buffer	Required. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 100.
BatchDelete	Required. The method by which all records are deleted from the table. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Records are deleted in batches. • N - Records are deleted one by one.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_USER_ACTIVITY table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 303. Statistics Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumStatisticsPurged	Number of statistics purged

Pending Job Count

None.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_USER_ACTIVITY

User Activity Audit Purge

This purge removes user activity audit data from the system. It purges all records older than the specified retention days. It purges only those records which have a logged out status (records with a Login_Type of 'T' or 'N'). This purge should be single threaded when you run it in batch delete mode(BatchDelete=Y).

The following limitation is assumed when purging records:

- This purge does not purge any records if the Application server goes down abruptly because the audit records of users connected to application servers at the time the server went down cannot be updated. As a result, the last activity time or the logout time does not get populated and the purge does not know whether the user was logged out or was still logged in. These records have to be deleted manually.

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 304. User Activity Audit Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	USERACTAUDPURGE
Base Document Type	None
Base Process Type	None
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 305. User Activity Audit Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to "N", the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.
Number of Records To Buffer	Required. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 100.

Table 305. User Activity Audit Purge Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
BatchDelete	Required. The method by which all records are deleted from the table. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Records are deleted in batches. • N - Records are deleted one by one.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_USER_ACT_AUDIT table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 306. Statistics Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumStatisticsPurged	Number of statistics purged

Pending Job Count

None.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_USR_ACT_AUDIT

Work Order History Purge

This transaction deletes tasks previously archived by the Work Order Purge. See "Work Order Purge" on page 314.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the last modified date of the work order exceeds the retention day period, a work order that is previously purged by the work order purge agent is picked up for history purge.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 307. Work Order History Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	WORK_ORDER_HISTORY_PURGE
Base Document Type	Work Order
Base Process Type	VAS
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 308. Work Order History Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Defaults to N. • Y - Default value. Removes qualifying records from the history tables listed under Tables Purged. • N- Test mode. Determines the rows that are removed without actually removing them.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Node	Optional. Node for which the Work Order History Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all nodes are monitored.
AgentCriteriaGroup	Optional. Used to classify nodes. This value can be accepted by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation time-triggered transactions that only perform their tasks on the nodes with a matching node transactional velocity value. Valid values are: LOW, HIGH, and any additional values defined by the Hub from Application Platform > System Administration > Agent Criteria Groups.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 309. Work Order History Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumWorkOrderHistoriesPurged	Number of work order histories purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_WORK_ORDER_H table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_AUDIT

YFS_WO_APPT_USER_H

YFS_WORK_ORDER_H

YFS_WORK_ORDER_APPT_H

YFS_WORK_ORDER_ACTIVITY_H

YFS_WORK_ORDER_ACTY_DTL_H

YFS_WORK_ORDER_AUDT_DTL_H

YFS_WORK_ORDER_COMPONENT_H

YFS_WORK_ORDER_COMP_TAG_H

YFS_WORK_ORDER_HOLD_TYPE_H

YFS_WORK_ORDER_HOLD_TYPE_LOG_H

YFS_WORK_ORDER_PROD_DEL_H

YFS_WORK_ORDER_SERVICE_LINE_H

YFS_WORK_ORDER_STS_AUDIT_H

YFS_WORK_ORDER_TAG_H

Work Order Purge

This time-triggered transaction purges all the work orders for a period greater than the retention days specified in the Work Order Purge criteria and those, which are either in the status of cancelled or completed.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges. If the following conditions are met, a work order is picked up for purge:

- The last modified date of the work order should exceed the retention day period.
- The order associated with the work order should be purged.
- The work order should be in pickable status by the purge transaction.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 310. Work Order Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	WORK_ORDER_PURGE
Base Document Type	Work Order
Base Process Type	VAS

Table 310. Work Order Purge Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Value
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 311. Work Order Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Defaults to Y. • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Node	Optional. Node for which the Work Order Purge needs to be run. If not passed, then all nodes are monitored.
AgentCriteriaGroup	Optional. Used to classify nodes. This value can be accepted by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation time-triggered transactions that only perform their tasks on the nodes with a matching node transactional velocity value. Valid values are: LOW, HIGH, and any additional values defined by the Hub from Application Platform > System Administration > Agent Criteria Groups.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 312. Work Order Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumWorkOrdersPurged	Number of work orders purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_WORK_ORDER table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_AUDIT

YFS_WO_APPT_USER

YFS_WORK_ORDER

YFS_WORK_ORDER_ACTIVITY

YFS_WORK_ORDER_ACTY_DTL

YFS_WORK_ORDER_HOLD_TYPE

YFS_WORK_ORDER_HOLD_TYPE_LOG

YFS_WORK_ORDER_APPT

YFS_WORK_ORDER_AUDT_DTL

YFS_WORK_ORDER_COMPONENT

YFS_WORK_ORDER_COMP_TAG

YFS_WORK_ORDER_PROD_DEL

YFS_WORK_ORDER_SERVICE_LINE

YFS_WORK_ORDER_STS_AUDIT

YFS_WORK_ORDER_TAG

YFS Audit Purge

This purge removes the YFS_AUDIT table data from the system, which reduces the load on frequently accessed tables. It purges records in the YFS_AUDIT and the YFS_AUDIT_HEADER tables that meet the following conditions:

- YFS_AUDIT records that have 'modifyts' greater than the retention days specified and the value of table name matches in the YFS_AUDIT table.
- The last modified time is before the lead time (in days) setup.

The way you configure the YFS Audit Purge may have some effect on the functioning of the Configuration Data Versioning Tool. For more information about configuration of the Data Versioning Tool, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Deployment Tool Guide*.

When the enterprise extends the entities and sets the extended entities attribute AuditTable="Y", the extended tables are audited and the audit records are inserted in the YFS_AUDIT table. In order to clean up the audit records, this purge transaction can be used.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 313. YFS Audit Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	YFS_AUDIT_PURGE
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	YFSBeforePurgeUE

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 314. YFS Audit Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, this value defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), this value defaults to 5000.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Production mode. Deletes records from the regular tables. • N - Test mode.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
Table Name	Required. The table name for which the audit records need to be purged.
TableType	Required in a multischema deployment when YFS_AUDIT table may exist in multiple schemas. Valid Values: CONFIGURATION, TRANSACTION, MASTER. If set to CONFIGURATION, the agent runs for the YFS_AUDIT records associated with tables that have TableType as CONFIGURATION; for example, YFS_Organization, YFS_Ship_Node, and so forth. If set to TRANSACTION, the agent runs for the YFS_AUDIT records associated with tables that have TableType as TRANSACTION; for example, YFS_Order_Header, YFS_Shipment, and so forth. Note that the agent would run for all TableTypes that exist in the same schema as the one passed. For example, if set to TRANSACTION, the agent would also run for YFS_AUDIT records associated with tables that have TableType as MASTER, since they reside in the same schema.

Table 314. YFS Audit Purge Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_AUDIT and YFS_AUDIT_HEADER tables may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 315. YFS Audit Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumAuditRecordsPurged	Number of audit records purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the YFS_AUDIT table that match the criteria values.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_AUDIT, YFS_AUDIT_HEADER

YFSInventoryOwnershipAudit Purge

This transaction purges all the records from YFS_INV_OWN_TRANSFER_RCD prior to the lead days specified in criteria parameters.

Attributes

Following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 316. YFSInventoryOwnership Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	PURGE_INV_TRANSFR_RECORD
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	None

Criteria Parameters

Following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 317. YFSInventoryOwnership Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, this value defaults to Get, which is the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), this value defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. The inventory organization for which the YFSInventoryOwnership Audit Purge needs to run. If not passed, all the enterprises are monitored.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Production mode. Deletes records from the regular tables. • N - Test mode.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds to the PurgeCode used in the Business Rules Purge Criteria.
Lead Days	Number of days before the present date, the agent will purge the records.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the YFS_INV_OWN_TRANSFER_RCD table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

None.

Pending Job Count

None.

Tables Purged

YFS_INV_OWN_TRANSFER_RCD

Password Reset Request Purge

This purge deletes password reset request data from the system.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 318. Password Reset Request Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	None
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 319. Password Reset Request Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the PLT_PWD_REQ table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 320. Password Reset Request Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumPasswordRequestPurged	Number of password requests purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the PLT_PWD_REQ table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

PLT_PWD_REQ

User Login Failure Purge

This purge deletes data on number of failed login attempts of users from the system.

You can use purge codes pseudo-logic to analyze purges.

Any enterprise using the Console must schedule purge transactions.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 321. User Login Failure Purge Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	None
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None
User Exits Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 322. User Login Failure Purge Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
Live	Optional. Mode in which to run. Valid values are: • Y - Default value. Moves qualifying records from the regular tables listed under Tables Purged to the corresponding history tables. • N - Test mode. Determines the rows that are moved to history tables without actually moving them.
PurgeCode	Required. Cannot be modified. Used for internal calculations, such as determining retention days. Corresponds with the PurgeCode used in Business Rules Purge Criteria.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where the PLT_USER_LOGIN_FAILED table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 323. User Login Failure Purge Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumUserLoginFailPurged	Number of failed login attempts purged.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction, the pending job count is the number of records that can be purged from the PLT_USER_LOGIN_FAILED table.

Events Raised

None.

Tables Purged

PLT_USER_LOGIN_FAILED

Task Queue Syncher Time-Triggered Transactions

Many transactions use the task queue as their work repository. The workflow manager automatically creates tasks for transactions to handle the next processing step, as configured in your pipeline.

In some situations, the task queue repository may become out of date. For example, when reconfiguring the processing pipeline while the pipeline is active, the queue may go out of synch with the new pipeline configuration.

Alerts that indicate a halt in the lifecycle of a business document may indicate an outdated task queue repository.

The task queue syncher transactions are designed to update the task queue repository with the latest list of open tasks to be performed by each transaction, based on the latest pipeline configuration.

Some of the statistics collected and tracked in Release 9.1 for time-triggered transactions, monitors, and integration and application servers may change with the next release.

Load Execution Task Queue Syncher

This transaction synchronizes the task queue for the load execution process type.

You can use the following pseudo-logic to analyze this time-triggered transaction. If the following conditions are met, a task queue for the load execution process type is synchronized:
* LOAD_CLOSED_FLAG of Load should not be 'Y'.
* Load should be in a status that is pickable by a transaction in the pipeline.

- There should not be any Task Q record for the load, transaction combination in the Task Q table. In this case, the system inserts one Task Q record for this load, transaction combination with the current database time as the available date.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 324. Load Execution Task Queue Syncher Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	TASK_QUEUE_SYNCHER_L_D
Base Document Type	Load
Base Process Type	Load Execution
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 325. Load Execution Task Queue Syncher Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 326. Load Execution Task Queue Syncher Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumTasksCreated	Number of tasks created.

Pending Job Count

None.

Events Raised

None.

Order Delivery Task Queue Syncher

This transaction synchronizes the order delivery process type.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 327. Order Delivery Task Queue Syncher Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	TASK_QUEUE_SYNCHER_O_D
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Delivery
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 328. Order Delivery Task Queue Syncher Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 329. Order Delivery Task Queue Syncher Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumTasksCreated	Number of tasks created.

Pending Job Count

None.

Events Raised

None.

Order Fulfillment Task Queue Syncher

This transaction synchronizes the order fulfillment process type.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 330. Order Fulfillment Task Queue Syncher Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	TASK_QUEUE_SYNCHER_O_F
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 331. Order Fulfillment Task Queue Syncher Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 332. Order Fulfillment Task Queue Syncher Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumTasksCreated	Number of tasks created.

Pending Job Count

None.

Events Raised

None.

Order Negotiation Task Queue Syncher

This transaction synchronizes the order negotiation process type.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 333. Order Negotiation Task Queue Syncher Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	TASK_QUEUE_SYNCHER_O_N
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Negotiation
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 334. Order Negotiation Task Queue Syncher Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 335. Order Negotiation Task Queue Syncher Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumTasksCreated	Number of tasks created.

Pending Job Count

None.

Events Raised

None.

Quote Fulfillment Task Queue Syncher

This transaction synchronizes the quote fulfillment process type.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 336. Quote Fulfillment Task Queue Syncher Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	TASK_QUEUE_SYNCHER_Q_F
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Quote Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 337. Quote Fulfillment Task Queue Syncher Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 338. Quote Fulfillment Task Queue Syncher Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumTasksCreated	Number of tasks created.

Pending Job Count

None.

Events Raised

None.

Monitors

Monitors are transactions that watch for processes or circumstances that are out of bounds and then raise alerts.

Some of the statistics collected and tracked in Release 9.1 for time-triggered transactions, monitors, and integration and application servers may change with the next release of Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation.

All Monitors have a CollectPendingJobs criteria parameter. If this parameter is set to N, the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for that monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console. By default, CollectPendingJobs is set to Y. It can be helpful to set it to N if one monitor is performing a significant amount of getPendingJobs queries and the overhead cost is too high.

Availability Monitor

This time-triggered transaction monitors inventory availability. The Availability Monitor raises global alerts when the available inventory falls below the configured quantities on the current day, on subsequent days within the ATP time frame, and on subsequent days outside of the ATP time frame. The quantities for the days outside of the ATP time frame are determined by the maximum monitoring days. Unlike the schedule and release transactions, the Availability Monitor calculates the actual availability beyond the ATP horizon and does not assume infinite inventory.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 339. Availability Monitor Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	ATP_MONITOR
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this monitor:

Table 340. Availability Monitor Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
MonitorOption	Optional. Specifies how to monitor inventory. Valid values are: • 1 - current inventory • 0 - inventory within and outside of the ATP time frame. This is the default value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
InventoryOrganizationCode	Optional. Valid owner inventory organization. Organization to process in this run. If not passed, all inventory organizations are processed.

Table 340. Availability Monitor Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to N, the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.
Status	The negotiation status you are monitoring.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

None.

Pending Job Count

None.

Events Raised

No events are raised. Individual actions associated with the monitoring rule are run.

Data published to the actions is AVAILABILITY_MONITOR_dbd.txt.

Exception Monitor

This time-triggered transaction monitors exceptions in your system as noted below. It monitors the exceptions logged in the system and escalates these exceptions:
* If an exception has not been assigned to a user by a certain time
* If an exception has not been resolved by a certain time
* If the active size of the queue is more than a certain maximum size

In order to prevent re-alerts on exceptions during every run of the Exception Monitor, specify a re-alert interval through Alert Management in the Applications Manager. This attribute is associated with a queue and can be configured for each queue.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 341. Exception Monitor Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	EXCEPTION_MONITOR
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this monitor:

Table 342. Exception Monitor Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
QueueID	Optional. Defines the Alert Queue into which exceptions from this monitor are stored.
OrganizationCode	Optional. Organization to process in this run. If not passed, all inventory organizations are processed.
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to N, the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.
QueueGroup	Optional. Defines the set of Queues for which the exceptions will be monitored. If both QueueId and QueueGroup are supplied, QueueId is ignored.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 343. Exception Monitor Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumInboxProcessed	Number of alerts processed.
NumExceededQueueSizeAlerts	Number of actions raised when the number of unresolved alerts exceeds the queue's maximum active size.
NumUnResolvedAlerts	Number of actions raised when the unresolved alert time of an alert exceeds the queue's resolution time.
NumUnAssignedAlerts	Number of actions raised when the unassigned alert time of an alert exceeds the queue's assignment time.

Pending Job Count

None.

Events Raised

No events are raised. Individual actions associated with the monitoring rule are run.

Inventory Monitor

This time-triggered transaction monitors inventory availability at ship node level. It raises alerts at the ship node level when the available inventory exceeds or drops below the configured quantities.

This monitor uses the OPEN_ORDER demand type to calculate available inventory at a given node. All supplies assigned to a supply type that is considered by the OPEN_ORDER demand type are considered. For more information about configuring inventory supply and demand considerations, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Global Inventory Visibility Configuration Guide*.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 344. Inventory Monitor Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	INVENTORY_MONITOR
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	`checkAvailability()`

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this monitor:

Table 345. Inventory Monitor Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
InventoryOrganizationCode	Optional. Valid inventory owner organization. Organization to process in this run. If not passed, all inventory organizations are processed.
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to N, the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.

AllowedOverriddenCriteria	If this parameter is set to Y, the overriding value for the agent criteria parameters can be provided in the command line in the following format when triggering the agent:
	
	`<AgentCriteriaAttribute>`
	`<OverriddenValue>`
	
	For more information about passing these attributes, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Installation Guide*

Table 345. Inventory Monitor Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
ShipNodes	Optional. Comma-separated list of valid ship nodes that should be processed in this run. If not passed, all the ship nodes are processed.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

None.

Pending Job Count

None.

Events Raised

No events are raised. Individual actions associated with the monitoring rule are run.

Data published to the actions is `<INSTALL_DIR>/xapidocs/api_javadocs/dbd/INVENTORY_MONITOR_dbd.txt`.

Negotiation Monitor

This time-triggered transaction alerts the Enterprise when a negotiation remains in a particular status for a specific amount of time. This also monitors the negotiation expiration date. This time-triggered transaction invokes the actions configured against the negotiation statuses. Configure status Expired (2000) to monitor negotiation expiration date.

Use this monitor in environments where Order or order release has to go through a negotiation phase and you want to monitor the negotiation.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 346. Negotiation Monitor Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	ORD_NEGOTIATION_MONITOR
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Negotiation
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this monitor:

Table 347. Negotiation Monitor Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Negotiation Monitor needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to N, the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.
Status	The negotiation status you are monitoring.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 348. Negotiation Monitor Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumNegotiationsProcessed	Number of negotiations processed.
NumNegotiationsRequiringAlert	Number of negotiations which have at least one alert raised.

Pending Job Count

None.

Events Raised

This invokes the actions configured against the negotiation statuses.

Key Data - Not Applicable.

Data Published - `YCP_getNegotiationDetails_output.xml`

Enhanced Order Monitor

The enhanced order monitor enables you to monitor the following situations:
* Milestone x has not been reached y hours before a given date type.
* Milestone x has not been reached within y hours of a given date type.
* Milestone x has not been reached within y hours of milestone z.
* Milestone x has been reached y hours before a given date type.
* Milestone x has been reached within y hours of a given date type.
* Milestone x has been reached within y hours after milestone z.

- The order has been in status x for y hours.
- Date type x is y hours before date type z.
- Date type x is y hours after date type z.
- The order has been in hold type x for y hours.
- The order has been in hold type x for y hours before date type z.

The order monitor can be configured to monitor the following system date types for and Purchase Order document types:

- Actual Order Date - Read from the ORDER_DATE column of the YFS_ORDER_HEADER table.
- Actual Next Iteration Date - Read from the NEXT_ITER_DATE column of the YFS_ORDER_HEADER table.
- Requested Ship Date - If there is an order release, read from the REQ_SHIP_DATE column of the YFS_ORDER_RELEASE table. Otherwise, read from the REQ_SHIP_DATE of the YFS_ORDER_LINE table.
- Expected Ship Date - Read from the EXPECTED_SHIPMENT_DATE column of the YFS_ORDER_LINE_SCHEDULE table. If it is null, uses the same logic as Requested Ship Date.
- Actual Ship Date - If the date is before 01/01/2500, read from he EXPECTED_SHIPMENT_DATE column of the YFS_ORDER_LINE_SCHEDULE table. If the date is on or after 01/01/2500, this date type is returned as null.
- Requested Delivery Date - If there is a release, read from the REQ_DELIVERY_DATE column of the YFS_ORDER_RELEASE table.
- Expected Delivery Date - Read from the EXPECTED_DELIVERY_DATE column of the YFS_ORDER_LINE_SCHEDULE table. If it is null, uses the same logic as Requested Delivery Date.
- Actual Delivery Date - If the date is before 01/01/2500, read from he EXPECTED_DELIVERY_DATE column of the YFS_ORDER_LINE_SCHEDULE table. If the date is on or after 01/01/2500, this date type is returned as null. For Order Fulfillment, Planned Order Execution, Reverse Logistics, and Purchase Order Execution pipelines, the system defined dates such as Shipment and Delivery are stored without a time component. Therefore when you configure a rule using these dates, all time computations are carried out assuming they are always 12:00:00 AM.

For more information about milestones, date types, and monitoring rules, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Supply Collaboration Configuration Guide*, the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Distributed Order Management Configuration Guide*, and the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Reverse Logistics Configuration Guide*.

If you run the Enhanced Order Monitor, you must configure and run the Close Order time-triggered transaction in all applicable pipelines. For more information about the Close Order time-triggered transaction, see "Close Order" on page 189.

The same relog interval is used for all document types.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 349. Enhanced Order Monitor Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	ORDER_MONITOR_EX
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this monitor:

Table 350. Enhanced Order Monitor Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Order Monitor needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this monitor:

Table 351. Enhanced Order Monitor Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumOrdersProcessed	Number of orders processed.
NumAlertsRaised	Number of alerts raised.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of open orders with the value of NEXT_ALERT_TS less than or equal to (<=) the current date.

Events Raised

The Enhance Order Monitor transaction raises the ON_AUTO_CANCEL event, but does not cancel the order. A service on this event should be configured to cancel the order.

Table 352. Events Raised by the Enhanced Order Monitor Transaction

Transaction/Event	Key Data	Data Published*	Template Support?
ON_AUTO_CANCEL	ORDER_ MONITOR _dbd.txt	YFS_ORDER_MONITOR_EX.ON_ AUTO_CANCEL.html	Yes
* These files are located in the following directory: `<INSTALL_DIR>/xapidocs/api_javadocs/XSD/HTML`			

Monitor Rule's Condition Template

If a monitor rule contains a condition, the `<INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/template/source/smcfs/monitor/ORDER_MONITOR_EX_CONDITION.xml` template file is used to obtain both the order details and the evaluating monitor rule details. See the provided `<INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/template/source/smcfs/monitor/ORDER_MONITOR_EX_CONDITION.xml.sample` file for more details.

If the `<INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/template/source/smcfs/monitor/ORDER_MONITOR_EX_CONDITION.xml` template file does not exist, the MonitorConsolidation->Order element of the default monitor template, the `<INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/template/source/smcfs/monitor/ORDER_MONITOR_EX.xml` file, is used.

If the default monitor template is used, the MonitorConsolidation-> Order->OrderStatuses-> OrderStatus-> MonitorRule element is ignored and is not passed into the condition.

Enhanced Quote Monitor

The enhanced quote monitor enables you to monitor the following situations:
- Milestone x has not been reached y hours before a given date type.
- Milestone x has not been reached within y hours of a given date type.
- Milestone x has not been reached within y hours of milestone z.
- Milestone x has been reached y hours before a given date type.
- Milestone x has been reached within y hours of a given date type.
- Milestone x has been reached within y hours after milestone z.
- The order has been in status x for y hours.
- Date type x is y hours before date type z.
- Date type x is y hours after date type z.

The quote monitor can be configured to monitor the following system date types:
- Actual Expiration Date - Read from the EXPIRATION_DATE column of the YFS_ORDER_HEADER table.

For more information about milestones, date types, and monitoring rules, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Distributed Order Management Configuration Guide*.

If you run the Enhanced Quote Monitor, you must configure and run the Close Order time-triggered transaction in all applicable pipelines. For more information about the Close Order time-triggered transaction, see "Close Order" on page 189.

The same relog interval is used for all document types.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 353. Enhanced Quote Monitor Attributes

Attribute	Value
Transaction ID	ORDER_MONITOR_EX.0015
Document Type	Quote
Process Type	Quote Fulfillment
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this monitor:

Table 354. Enhanced Quote Monitor Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Quote Monitor needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to N, the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this monitor:

Table 355. Enhanced Quote Monitor Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumOrdersProcessed	Number of quotes processed.
NumAlertsRaised	Number of alerts raised.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of open orders with the value of NEXT_ALERT_TS less than or equal to (<=) the current date.

Events Raised

No events are raised. Individual actions associated with the monitoring rule are run.

The data published is ORDER_MONITOR_EX.0015.xml.

Monitor Rule's Condition Template

If a monitor rule contains a condition, the `<INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/template/source/smcfs/monitor/ORDER_MONITOR_EX_CONDITION.xml` template file is used to obtain both the order details and the evaluating monitor rule details. See the provided `<INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/template/source/smcfs/monitor/ORDER_MONITOR_EX_CONDITION.xml.sample` file for more details.

If the `<INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/template/source/smcfs/monitor/ORDER_MONITOR_EX_CONDITION.xml` template file does not exist, the MonitorConsolidation->Order element of the default monitor template, the `<INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/template/source/smcfs/monitor/ORDER_MONITOR_EX.xml` file, is used.

If the default monitor template is used, the MonitorConsolidation-> Order->OrderStatuses-> OrderStatus-> MonitorRule element is ignored and is not passed into the condition.

Enhanced Return Monitor

The enhanced return monitor allows you to monitor the following situations:
- Milestone x has not been reached y hours before a given date type.
- Milestone x has not been reached within y hours of a given date type.
- Milestone x has not been reached within y hours of milestone z.
- Milestone x has been reached y hours before a given date type.
- Milestone x has been reached within y hours of a given date type.
- Milestone x has been reached within y hours after milestone z.
- The order has been in status x for y hours.
- Date type x is y hours before date type z.
- Date type x is y hours after date type z.

The enhanced return monitor can be configured to monitor the following system date types:
- Actual Order Date - Read from the ORDER_DATE column of the YFS_ORDER_HEADER table
- Requested Ship Date - If there is an order release, read from the REQ_SHIP_DATE column of the YFS_ORDER_RELEASE table. Otherwise, read from the REQ_SHIP_DATE of the YFS_ORDER_LINE table.
- Expected Ship Date - Read from the EXPECTED_SHIPMENT_DATE column of the YFS_ORDER_LINE_SCHEDULE table. If it is null, uses the same logic as Requested Ship Date.
- Actual Ship Date - If the date is before 01/01/2500, read from he EXPECTED_SHIPMENT_DATE column of the YFS_ORDER_LINE_SCHEDULE table. If the date is on or after 01/01/2500, this date type is returned as null.

- Requested Delivery Date - If there is a release, read from the REQ_DELIVERY_DATE column of the YFS_ORDER_RELEASE table. Otherwise, read from the REQ_DELIVERY_DATE of the YFS_ORDER_LINE table.
- Expected Delivery Date - Read from the EXPECTED_DELIVERY_DATE column of the YFS_ORDER_LINE_SCHEDULE table. If it is null, uses the same logic as Requested Delivery Date.
- Actual Delivery Date - If the date is before 01/01/2500, read from he EXPECTED_DELIVERY_DATE column of the YFS_ORDER_LINE_SCHEDULE table. If the date is on or after 01/01/2500, this date type is returned as null. For Order Fulfillment, Planned Order Execution, Reverse Logistics, and Purchase Order Execution pipelines, the system defined dates such as Shipment and Delivery are stored without a time component. Therefore when you configure a rule using these dates, all time computations are carried out assuming they are always 12:00:00 AM.

For more information about milestones, date types, and monitoring rules, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Supply Collaboration Configuration Guide*, the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Distributed Order Management Configuration Guide*, and the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Reverse Logistics Configuration Guide*.

If you run the Enhanced Return Monitor, you must configure and run the Close Order time-triggered transaction in all applicable pipelines. For more information about the Close Order time-triggered transaction, see "Close Order" on page 189.

The same relog interval is used for all document types.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 356. Enhanced Order Monitor Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	RETURN_MONITOR_EX
Base Document Type	Return Order
Base Process Type	Reverse Logistics
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this monitor:

Table 357. Enhanced Order Monitor Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Order Monitor needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.

Table 357. Enhanced Order Monitor Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
FromStatus	Optional. Statuses to monitor that are greater than or equal to the passed status.
ToStatus	Optional. Statuses to monitor that are less than or equal to the passed status.
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to N, the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this monitor:

Table 358. Enhanced Order Monitor Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumOrdersProcessed	Number of orders processed.
NumAlertsRaised	Number of alerts raised.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of open orders with the value of NEXT_ALERT_TS less than or equal to (<=) the current date.

Events Raised

No events are raised. Individual actions associated with the monitoring rule are run.

The data published is RETURN_MONITOR_EX.xml.

Monitor Rule's Condition Template

If a monitor rule contains a condition, the <INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/ template/source/smcfs/monitor/ORDER_MONITOR_EX_CONDITION.xml template file is used to obtain both the order details and the evaluating monitor rule details. See the provided <INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/template/source/smcfs/monitor/ ORDER_MONITOR_EX_CONDITION.xml.sample file for more details.

If the <INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/template/source/smcfs/monitor/ ORDER_MONITOR_EX_CONDITION.xml template file does not exist, the MonitorConsolidation->Order element of the default monitor template, the <INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/template/source/smcfs/monitor/ ORDER_MONITOR_EX.xml file, is used.

If the default monitor template is used, the MonitorConsolidation-> Order-> OrderStatuses-> OrderStatus-> MonitorRule element is ignored and is not passed into the condition.

Real-time Availability Monitor

The Real-time Availability Monitor time-triggered transaction monitors the inventory availability of inventory items. It can be configured to raise the REALTIME_AVAILABILITY_CHANGE event when the inventory level for a given item changes between the thresholds defined in the Applications Manager in the Global Inventory Visibility module.

It can be run in three modes:
- Activity Based: Raises the event in real time every time an item goes above or below one of the thresholds.
- Quick Sync: Re-sends the most recently published inventory availability information.
- Full Sync: Monitors all of the items regardless of activity and publishes the inventory information for all of the items.

In all cases, the percentage of future inventory availability is used for considering inventory availability at retrieval time. For more information about future inventory availability, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Global Inventory Visibility Configuration Guide*.

Demand of type OPEN_ORDER is used in getting the inventory availability picture. If sourcing is maintained, the Real-time Availability Monitor can either monitor the total availability across nodes or the availability at individual nodes. Inventory items without an Availability Monitor rule, or with a rule that is disabled, are unable to be processed by this time-triggered transaction.

If item information is not available on the system, such as when inventory between databases is not in sync, default inventory monitor rules can be configured so that monitoring will proceed. Setting these default inventory monitor rules also ensures that inventory activity will be recorded when the system is running in activity-based mode.

When monitoring the total availability across nodes, the Real-time Availability Monitor monitors all nodes in the default distribution group of the inventory organization.

When monitoring the availability at individual nodes, the Real-time Availability Monitor monitors all nodes in a specified distribution group. For more information about configuring distribution groups and node-level inventory monitoring, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Global Inventory Visibility Configuration Guide*.

If configured, the Real-time Availability Monitor also considers the onhand and future inventory availability safety factor during monitoring. For more information about the inventory availability safety factors and the findInventory() API, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Global Inventory Visibility Configuration Guide* and the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

When the onhand quantity is greater than the configured low threshold, the REALTIME_ONHAND alert type is raised, and the alert level is based on the onhand quantity.

When the onhand quantity falls below the configured low threshold, the REALTIME_FUTURE_MAX alert type is raised, and the alert level is based on the total

future supply (`FutureAvailableQuantity`) with `FirstFutureAvailableDate` set to the date on which the first future supply is available, and `FutureAvailableDate` set to the date on which the maximum future supply is available.

When the Real-time Availability Monitor is run in activity based mode, changing one of the thresholds of an inventory item does not cause the agent to monitor it unless there is a change in activity. For example, if item I with available quantity 700 is being monitored with a low threshold of 600, and the low threshold is then changed to 1000, no event is published unless there is change in I's activity. In order to ensure that in such a scenario I is not left unmonitored, call the `createInventoryActivity` API when changing a monitoring rule for an item.

Computing and Publishing the Maximum Ship Dates for Available Quantities

If enabled, the Real-Time Availability Monitor computes and publishes a matrix of maximum ship dates for available quantities, which includes the following information:

- Available Quantity - Refers to the number of items that are available for shipping on the maximum ship date.
- Maximum Ship Date - Refers to the time and date when available quantities are shipped by.
- Effective Until Date - Refers to the last time and date that an order can be placed if it is to be shipped by the maximum ship date.

The matrix is published to the REALTIME_AVAILABILITY_CHANGE event and stored in XML format in the AVAILABILITY_INFO field of the YFS_INVENTORY_ALERTS table. The `monitorItemAvailability()` API can be used to update the matrix. For more information about the `monitorItemAvailability()` API, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

For information about using the Real-Time Availability Monitor to calculate and publish a matrix of maximum ship dates for available quantities, refer to the chapter on Configuring Inventory Rules in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Global Inventory Visibility Configuration Guide*.

Computing the Maximum Ship Date

The maximum ship date is equal to the maximum expected ship date across all the nodes being considered. For information about calculating the expected ship date, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Product Concepts Guide*. Additionally, the following options can be configured as part of the maximum ship date:

- Maximum Ship Date Time
- Number of Days To Offset the Maximum Ship Date

Maximum Ship Date Time - If you specify a time for the maximum ship date, the Real-Time Availability Monitor calculates the maximum ship date, as described earlier, and then applies the following logic:

- If the time specified for the maximum ship date occurs later in the day than the calculated ship date, the Real-Time Availability Monitor resets the maximum ship date to the specified time. For example, if the Real-Time Availability

Monitor calculates the maximum ship date to be 10 a.m. on July 21 and Maximum Ship Date Time is set to 11 a.m., the maximum ship date is recalculated to be 11 a.m. on July 21.

- If the time specified for the maximum ship date occurs earlier in the day than the calculated ship date, the maximum ship date is incremented by one day and reset to the specified time. For example, if the maximum ship date is calculated to be 11 a.m. on July 21 and Maximum Ship Date Time is set to 10 a.m., the Real-Time Availability Monitor recalculates the maximum ship date to be 10 a.m. on July 22.

Number of Days To Offset the Maximum Ship Date - You can specify a number of days to offset the maximum ship date. The Real-Time Availability Monitor calculates the maximum ship date, including the maximum ship date time, and then increments the maximum ship date by the number of days specified by the offset number. For example, if the Real-Time Availability Monitor has calculated a maximum ship date to be 11 a.m. on July 19 and Number of Days to Offset the Maximum Ship Date is set to 1, the maximum ship date is recalculated to be 11 a.m. on July 20.

Calculating the Effective Until Date

The Real-Time Availability Monitor calculates the effective until date by subtracting the node's minimum notification time from the maximum ship date and then adjusting for the preceding notification time on the node's notification schedule. The effective until date is only valid while supplies are available at the node.

For example, if an available quantity has a maximum ship date of 4 p.m. on July 19 and the shipping node has the following notification schedule, the effective until date is calculated to be 3 p.m. on July 18:

- 24-hour minimum notification time
- 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. notification times

In this example, the effective until date is calculated by first subtracting the 24-hour minimum notification time from the 4 p.m., July 19 maximum ship date and then adjusting for the 3 p.m. notification time. If an order is not placed before 3 p.m. on July 18, the July 19 maximum ship date is no longer available because the node must be notified at least 24 hours before shipping the items, by 4 p.m. on July 19. Also, if a different order reduces available quantities at the node before the order is placed at 3 p.m. on July 19, the maximum ship date cannot be met and the effective until date becomes invalid.

Additionally, offset days are not considered when calculating the effective until date. Thus, if the maximum ship date in the earlier example is updated to 4 p.m. July 20 by setting Number of Days to Offset Maximum Ship Date to 1, the effective until date is updated to 3 p.m., July 19.

Example 1: Computing Maximum Ship Dates for Available Quantities

Node 1 has the following supply picture:
- 24-hour minimum notification time
- Notification times are 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. daily
- Work Days are 24 hours-a-day, 7 days-a-week

Node 2 has the following supply picture:

- 48-hour minimum notification time
- Notification times are 2 p.m. and 5 p.m. daily
- Work Days are 24 hours-a-day, 7 days-a-week

The following table shows the availability matrix for Node 1 and Node 2, where the following conditions are true:

- Current date is July 19
- Estimated time of arrival (ETA) equals the date that the quantity is expected to be available at the node
- Maximum Ship Date Time is set to 4 p.m.
- Number of Days to Offset the Maximum Ship Date is set to 0

Table 359. Example: Availability Matrix of Maximum Ship Dates for Available Quantities

ETA	Quantity	Maximum Ship Date	Effective Until Date
Node 1			
7/19/2010	80	4 p.m., July 20	3 p.m., July 19
7/22/2010	10	4 p.m. July 22	3 p.m., July 21
Node 2			
7/19/2010	100	4 p.m., July 21	2 p.m., July 19
7/22/2010	20	4 p.m., July 22	2 p.m., July 20

In this example, July 19 is the ETA for a quantity of 80 items at Node 1 and 100 items at Node 2. The matrix shows a 4 p.m., July 20 maximum ship date for the 80 available items from Node 1 and a 4 p.m., July 21 maximum ship date for the 100 available items from Node 2. For Node 1, the maximum ship date is calculated by adding the 24-hour minimum notification time to the 3 p.m. notification time on July 19, and then adjusting for the 4 p.m. maximum ship date time. The effective until date is calculated by subtracting the 24-hour minimum notification time from the maximum ship date and then adjusting for the 3 p.m. notification time. For Node 2, the maximum ship date and effective until date are calculated similarly, with the exception that Node 2 has a 48-hour minimum notification time and a 2 p.m. notification time.

Additionally, the example shows July 22 as the ETA for a quantity of 10 items at Node 1 and 20 items at Node 2. The maximum ship date is 4 p.m., July 22 for the 10 items at Node 1 and 4 p.m., July 22 for the 20 items at Node 2. If the difference between the current date and the ETA is greater than the node's minimum notification time, the ETA date is used for the maximum ship date. In this example, the difference between the current date, July 19, and the ETA date, July 22, is greater than the minimum notification times at both nodes. Thus, the maximum ship date is set to the maximum ship date time on the ETA date at the nodes, which is 4 p.m., July 22 at Node 1 and 4 p.m., July 22 at Node 2.

Example 2: Computing the Maximum Ship Date at Nodes With Non-Working Days

The following table displays the availability matrix for Node 1 and Node 2 when the supply picture and conditions from Example 1 are applied. However, in this scenario, July 19 and July 20 are nonworking days.

Table 360. Example: Availability Matrix for Nodes with Non-Working Days

ETA	Quantity	Maximum Ship Date	Effective Until Date
Node 1			
7/19/2010	80	4 p.m., July 22	3 p.m., July 21
Node 2			
7/19/2010	100	4 p.m., July 23	2 p.m., July 21

In the example, Node 1 has an available quantity of 80 on July 19 and a minimum notification time of 24 hours. Because July 19 and July 20 are nonworking days at Node 1, the 80 items are not considered available until July 21. In this case, the maximum ship date is calculated by adding the 24-hour minimum notification time to July 21 and adjusted for the 4 p.m. maximum ship date time. For Node 2, the maximum ship date is calculated similarly, with the exception of a 48-hour minimum notification time.

Example 3: Offsetting the Maximum Ship Date

The following table displays the availability matrix for Node 1 and Node 2 when the supply picture and conditions from Example 2 are applied. However, in this scenario, Number of Days To Offset the Maximum Ship Date is set to 1.

Table 361. Example: Availability Matrix When Offsetting the Maximum Ship Date

ETA	Quantity	Maximum Ship Date	Effective Until Date
Node 1			
7/19/2010	80	4 p.m., July 23	3 p.m., July 22
Node 2			
7/19/2010	100	4 p.m., July 24	2 p.m., July 22

In the example, the maximum ship dates for Nodes 1 and 2 are calculated similarly to Example 2. However, the maximum ship dates are incremented by 1 because Number of Days to Offset the Maximum Ship Date is set to 1. In this example, the effective until date is set to 3 p.m., July 22 for Node 1 and 2 p.m., July 22 for Node 2 because the offset days are not considered when calculating the effective until date.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 362. Real-time Availability Monitor Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	REALTIME_ATP_MONITOR
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	FindInventory

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this monitor:

Table 363. Real-time Availability Monitor Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to `Get`, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as `0` (zero), it defaults to `5000`.
InventoryOrganizationCode	Inventory organization code to use when `MonitorOption` is passed as 3. The inventory organization has to be an enterprise.
	If this is not passed, the monitor runs for all inventory organizations.
MonitorOption	1 - Activity Based (Monitor based on distinct inventory items in `YFS_INVENTORY_ACTIVITY` table).
	2 – Quick Sync (Re-raise event to publish information from the YFS_INVENTORY_ALERTS table).
	3 – Full Sync (Monitor based on all inventory items maintained by the inventory organization provided. If no InventoryOrganizationCode is provided, all inventory item is monitored).
	If not provided, default value is 1.
ItemStatuses	List of valid statuses of items to be processed. Statuses must be separated by a `,` for example `3000,2000`. This is only used when `MonitorOption` is passed as 2 or 3. If provided, only items with the matching statuses is monitored.
FromAlertTimestamp	This is only used when `MonitorOption` is passed as 2. If provided, the agent raises the REALTIME_AVAILABILITY_CHANGE event to republish inventory availability information which was published between the time that the agent started and FromAlertTimestamp.
	If not provided, all inventory availability information published before the time that the agent started is republished.
AllowedOverriddenCriteria	If set to Y, the overridden value for the agent criteria parameters can be provided at the command line while triggering the agent in the following format:
	`<AgentCriteriaAttribute> <OverriddenValue>`
	For more information about passing these attributes, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Installation Guide*.

Table 363. Real-time Availability Monitor Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
FromLastNumberOfHours	This is only used when MonitorOption is passed as 2 to calculate the FromAlertTimestamp parameter, if necessary. If the FromAlertTimestamp parameter is not provided, it is calculated as current timestamp minus FromLastNumberOfHours.
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to N, the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.
RaiseEventsOnAllAvailability Changes	When set to Y, REALTIME_AVAILABILITY_CHANGE event is raised on all availability changes regardless of whether availability exceeds or falls below specified thresholds. This is only used when MonitorOption is passed as 1. Valid values: Y or N. Default value: N.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Note: Distribution Rule Id is used for internal purposes and should be left blank.

Statistics Tracked

None.

Pending Job Count

None.

Events Raised

The following events are raised by this time-triggered transaction:

Table 364. Events Raised by the Realtime Availability Monitor Transaction

Transaction/Event	Key Data	Data Published*	Template Support?
REALTIME_ AVAILABILITY_ CHANGE	None	YFS_REALTIME_ATP_MONITOR. REALTIME_AVAILABILITY _CHANGE.html	Yes
* These files are located in the following directory: `<INSTALL_DIR>/xapidocs/api_javadocs/XSD/HTML`			

Although described as 'real time', availability changes may not be triggered immediately as inventory changes occur if the agent has a backlog of messages to process. Furthermore, this monitor exists as a time-triggered transaction, and thus monitors availability of inventory items only when the monitor is triggered based on the configured runtime properties.

Shipment Monitor

This time-triggered transaction reports the states of a shipment, based on rules in the YFS_MONITOR_RULE table. This transaction enables you to monitor the following situations:

- If the Shipment has been in a status for more than a specified amount of time.
- If a specified date that is associated with the shipment is:
  - n hours before another specified date
  - n hours after another specified date
  - n hours not before another specified date
  - n hours not after another specified date
- If the Shipment has been in a hold type for a specified amount of time.
- If the Shipment has been in a hold type for n hours before a specified date.

Monitoring rules can be configured for shipment's origin and destination points.

Monitoring rules cannot be configured for a shipment's intermediate pickup and drop off points. A shipment has intermediate pickup or drop off only if it has multiple pickup or drop off points. For example, a shipment has more than one loads carrying it. The shipment status on first load deposit, second load deposit, and so forth cannot be monitored. Once the last load deposits the shipment at its destination, then the shipment status can be marked and monitored.

This is not a pipeline transaction. It also does not work from the task queue.

For more information about milestones, date types, and monitoring rules, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Supply Collaboration Configuration Guide*, the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Distributed Order Management Configuration Guide*, and the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Reverse Logistics Configuration Guide*.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 365. Shipment Monitor Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	SHIPMENT_MONITOR
Base Document Type	Order
Base Process Type	Order Delivery
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this monitor:

Table 366. Shipment Monitor Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.

Table 366. Shipment Monitor Criteria Parameters (continued)

Parameter	Description
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Shipment Monitor needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to N, the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 367. Shipment Monitor Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumShipmentsMonitored	Number of shipments monitored.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of open shipments with the value of NEXT_ALERT_TS less than or equal to (<=) the current date.

Events Raised

This invokes the actions configured against shipment statuses.

Key Data - Not Applicable.

Data Published - `SHIPMENT_MONITOR.xml`

Monitor Rule's Condition Template

If a monitor rule contains a condition, the `<INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/template/source/smcfs/monitor/SHIPMENT_MONITOR_CONDITION.xml` template file is used to obtain the shipment details and the evaluating monitor rule details. See the provided `<INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/template/source/smcfs/monitor/SHIPMENT_MONITOR_CONDITION.xml.sample` file for more details.

If the `<INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/template/source/smcfs/monitor/SHIPMENT_MONITOR_CONDITION.xml` template file does not exist, the MonitorConsolidation->Shipment element of the default monitor template, the `<INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/template/source/smcfs/monitor/SHIPMENT_MONITOR.xml` file, is used.

If the default monitor template is used, the MonitorConsolidation->Shipment->MonitorRule element is ignored and is not passed into the condition.

Work Order Monitor

This time-triggered transaction alerts the enterprise when a work order remains in a particular state or hold type for a specific amount of time.

Use this monitor to track how long work orders stay in a particular state or hold type.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 368. Work Order Monitor Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	WORK_ORDER_MONITOR
Base Document Type	Work Order
Base Process Type	VAS Process
Abstract Transaction	No

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this monitor:

Table 369. Work Order Monitor Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
EnterpriseCode	Optional. Enterprise for which the Work Order Monitor needs to be run. If not passed, then all enterprises are monitored.
Node	Optional. Node for which the Work Order Monitor needs to be run. If not passed, then all nodes are monitored.
CollectPendingJobs	If this parameter is set to N, the agent does not collect information on the pending jobs for this monitor. This pending job information is used for monitoring the monitor in the System Management Console.
ColonyID	Required in a multi schema deployment where a table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 370. Work Order Monitor Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumWorkOrdersMonitored	Number of work orders monitored.

Pending Job Count

For this transaction the pending job count is the number of Work Orders that are monitored, where NEXT_ALERT_TS less than or equal to (<=) current date.

Events Raised

No events are raised. Individual actions associated with the monitoring rule are run. Data published to the actions is workOrder_dbd.txt.

Monitor Rule's Condition Template

If a monitor rule contains a condition, the <INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/ template/source/smcfs/monitor/monitor/WORK_ORDER_MONITOR_CONDITION.xml template file is used to obtain the work order details and the evaluating monitor rule details. See the provided <INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/template/source/ smcfs/monitor/WORK_ORDER_MONITOR_CONDITION.xml.sample file for more details.

If the <INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/template/source/smcfs/monitor/ WORK_ORDER_MONITOR_CONDITION.xml template file does not exist, the MonitorConsolidation->WorkOrder element of the default monitor template, the <INSTALL_DIR>/repository/xapi/template/source/smcfs/monitor/ WORK_ORDER_MONITOR.xml file, is used.

If the default monitor template is used, the MonitorConsolidation-> WorkOrder-> MonitorRule element is ignored and is not passed into the condition.

Chapter 23. Order Modification Types

Order Modification Types

The following are the default order modification types and their associated modification levels:

Table 371. Order Document Modification Types

Modification Types	Description	Modification Levels
Add Component	A bundle component can be added to an order document line.	Line
Add Instruction	An instruction can be added to an order document's header, line, or shipment. For example, you may want to add an instruction stating that a line item needs to be gift wrapped.	Header Line Shipment Receipt
Add Line	A line can be added to an order document's header, release, negotiation, or shipment. Important: When adding a line to an order, the Add Line modification type does not get audited, if the prices are not configured.	Header Release Negotiation Shipment
Add Line Relationship	A line relationship type can be added to an order document line.	Line
Add Note	A note can be added to an order document's header or release.	Header Release
Add Option	An option can be added to a provided service or delivery service order line.	Line
Add Product Item For Stand Alone Service Line	A product item for a standalone service line can be added to an order document line.	Line
Add Quantity	Additional quantity can be added to an order document's line or release line.	Line Release Line

Table 371. Order Document Modification Types (continued)

Modification Types	Description	Modification Levels
Add/Remove Additional Date	A date type used for shipment monitoring (such as, Ship Date) can either be added to or removed from an order document's shipment. For example, you may want to add an additional delivery date used by your organization to monitor shipments.	Shipment
Add/Remove Charge	A charge can either be added to or removed from an order document's shipment. For example, if a shipment contains hazardous materials and your organization has an extra shipping charge for shipment of hazardous materials, you can add an extra charge to the shipment.	Shipment
Add/Remove Container	A container can either be added to or removed from an order document's shipment.	Shipment
Associate Delivery Line With Product Line	When the delivery method of a product order line is delivery, the product line can be associated to a delivery line to indicate how the product line is delivered.	Line
Associate Product Line With Delivery Line	When the delivery method of a product order line is delivery, the product line can be associated to a delivery line to indicate how the product line is delivered.	Line
Associate Product Line With Service Line	A provided service can be associated to a product line to indicate that the service is somehow dependent on the product line.	Line
Associate Service Line With Product Line	A provided service can be associated to a product line to indicate that the service is somehow dependent on the product line.	Line
Attribute Modification	A receipts attributes can be modified. For a list of attributes that can be modified, see the changeReceipt API in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.	Receipt

Table 371. Order Document Modification Types (continued)

Modification Types	Description	Modification Levels
Backorder	An order document's line, release, or release line can be backordered. For example, if an order is released to a node and the node does not have enough quantity to fulfill the order, they can backorder the release.	Line Release Release Line
Cancel	An order document's header, line, release, or release line can be manually cancelled from the Application Consoles.	Header Line Release Release Line
Change Additional Address	A modification can be made to the fields of any additional addresses that may have been configured for an order document's header or line.	Header Line
Change Answer Set	A modification can be made to an answer associated with an order document header.	Header
Change Appointment	Appointments can be taken and changed for delivery and provided service order lines.	Line
Change Bill To	A modification can be made to any bill to address field associated with an order document's header or release.	Header Release
Change Bundle Definition	The existing bundle definition can be replaced with the new bundle definition. For example, you can change an existing bundle definition by passing the 'REPLACE_BUNDLE' action to the bundle parent. All the components passed remain with order and as well as with bundle. All remaining components are deleted. Important: In addition to this, the modification type DELETE is executed on all the components getting removed and modification type ADD_LINE is executed on components getting added. This modification is applied to bundle parent's immediate components.	Line

Table 371. Order Document Modification Types (continued)

Modification Types	Description	Modification Levels
Change Bundle Parent	A modification can be made to the bundle parent associated with an order document line.	Line
Change Buyer Organization	The buyer organization associated with an order document's header can be changed. This modification can only be made in the Order Detail screen.	Header
Change Carrier	A modification can be made to the Carrier/Service or Carrier field associated with an order document's header, line, or release. For example, you can change the carrier and service from UPS Next Day Air to FedEx Express® Saver Pack. **Important:** If you want this modification type to be allowed, Change Carrier Service Code must also be allowed.	Header Line Release
Change Carrier Account No	A modification can be made to the Carrier Account # field associated with an order document's header, line, or release.	Header Line Release
Change Carrier Service Code	A modification can be made to the Carrier/Service field associated with an order document's header, line, or release. For example, you can change the carrier and service from UPS Next Day Air to FedEx Express Saver Pack. **Important:** If you want this modification type to be allowed, Change Carrier must also be allowed.	Header Line Release
Change Contact Info	A modification can be made the fields for the Buyer/Seller contact information associated with an order document's header.	Header
Change Cost	A adjustment can be made to the Unit Cost field associated with an order document's release or release line.	Release Release Line

Table 371. Order Document Modification Types (continued)

Modification Types	Description	Modification Levels
Change Currency	The currency associated with an order document's header can be changed. Upon a change to the currency, Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation automatically reprices the order. However, preexisting charges and taxes have to be converted manually.	Header
Change Custom Date	A modification can be made to the date type fields used for order monitoring associated with an order document's header, line, or release. The following custom date fields can be modified when this modification type is allowed: • Requested • Expected • Actual For example, if there is a delay in a release's processing, you can change the expected delivery date.	Header Line Release
Change Delivery Code	A modification can be made to the Delivery Code field associated with an order document's header, line, or release. For example, if you want to indicate that an order's freight charges are paid by the Enterprise, you can choose the ENTERPRISE delivery code.	Header Line Release
Change Delivery Method	A product order line indicates how the product id sent to its final destination. It can be changed to SHIP, DELIVER, or PICKUP.	Line
Change Freight Terms	A modification can be made to the Freight Terms field associated with an order document's header, line, or release. For example, you can change an order line's freight term from CIF (Cost Insurance and Freight) to CFR (Cost and Freight).	Header Line Release

Table 371. Order Document Modification Types (continued)

Modification Types	Description	Modification Levels
Change Gift Flag	A modification can be made to the Gift Flag field associated with an order document line.	Line
Change Gift Wrap	A modification can be made to the Gift Wrap fields associated with an order document line.	Line
Change Instruction	A modification can be made to an instruction associated with an order document's header, line, or shipment. The following instruction fields can be modified when this modification type is allowed: • Instruction Type • Text • URL	Header Line Shipment Receipt
Change Inventory Attributes	A modification can be made to inventory attributes associated with an order document line.	Line
Change Item Description	A modification can be made to the Description field of an item associated with an order document's line.	Line
Change Iteration	A modification can be made to the iteration fields associated with an order document's header or line. For example, you can change the next iteration date of a master order to a time in the future.	Header Line
Change Level of Service	A modification can be made to the Level of Service fields associated with an order document's header or line.	Header Line
Change Mark For	A modification can be made to the fields of the mark for address associated with an order document's header, line, or release.	Header Line Release
Change Order Name	A modification can be made to the Order Name field associated with an order document's header.	Header

Table 371. Order Document Modification Types (continued)

Modification Types	Description	Modification Levels
Change Other Attributes	A modification can be made to fields that do not have system or user-defined modification types associated with them.	Header Line Release Negotiation Negotiation Line Shipment
Change Other Relationships	Not used in this version.	Shipment
Change Payment Method	A modification can be made to the Payment Type field associated with an order document's header or release. For example, you can change an order's payment type from Check to Credit Card.	Header Release
Change Payment Rule ID	The Payment Rule field associated with an order document's header can be changed. For example, you can change the payment rule from the default rule to a custom rule that pertains to the order.	Header
Change Payment Status	The Payment Status field associated with an order document's header can be changed. For example, you can change an order's payment status from Await Authorization to Authorized.	Header
Change Pipeline	A change can be made to the pipeline associated with an order document line.	Line
Change Price	Charges can be added to an order document's header or line.	Header Line
Change Promotion	An order document's promotion can be changed at the header or line. Promotions include coupons and manual pricing rules.	Header Line

Table 371. Order Document Modification Types (continued)

Modification Types	Description	Modification Levels
Change Receiving Node	The Receiving Node field associated with an order document's line can be changed. For example, if for some reason it has been determined that an order line's original receiving node cannot receive the line, you can change it to another receiving node.	Line
Change References	A modification can be made to the name/value pair in the YFS_REFERENCE_TABLE using APIs.	Header Line
Change Requested Ship Date	A modification can be made to the Requested Ship Date associated with an order document's header, line, or release. For example, if the customer decides they want an order to be shipped on a date later than what they originally requested, you can change the requested shipment date.	Header Line Release
Change Schedule	A modification can be made to schedule attributes, such as expected ship date, expected delivery date, and lot number, associated with an order document's header, line, release, or release line.	Header Line Release Release Line
Change Schedule Rule ID	A modification can be made to the schedule rule associated with an order document's header. This allows the user to select the scheduling rule they want to use for the order from the Scheduling Rule drop-down list on the Schedule Order popup window.	Header
Change Seller Organization	The seller organization associated with an order document's header can be changed. This modification can only be made in the Order Detail screen.	Header

Table 371. Order Document Modification Types (continued)

Modification Types	Description	Modification Levels
Change Ship Node	The Ship Node field associated with an order document's header or line can be changed. For example, if for some reason it has been determined that an order line's original ship node cannot handle the order line, you can change it to another node.	Header Line
Change Ship To	A modification can be made to the fields of a ship to address associated with an order document's header, line, or release.	Header Line Release
Change Status	The order status (such as, Created) associated with an order document's header, line, release, release line, or negotiation can be changed. Only order statuses existing in process type repositories are affected by this modification type. Actions performed against order documents, such as putting an order on hold or canceling an order, are not impacted.	Header Line Release Release Line Negotiation
Change Tax	A modification can be made to the Tax Amount associated with an order document's header or line.	Header Line
Delete	An order line can be deleted.	Line
Delete Shipment	An order document's shipment can be deleted.	Shipment
Expiration Date	A modification can be made to the expiration date associated with an order document's negotiation.	Negotiation
Hold	An order document's header or release can be manually put on hold. For example, you may want to perform a security check on a particular Buyer, you can then place the order on hold until you clear the necessary information before the order is scheduled.	Header Release

Table 371. Order Document Modification Types (continued)

Modification Types	Description	Modification Levels
Hold Type Modifications	A modification can be made to the Hold Type fields associated with an order document's header or line.	Header Line
Include In Load	An order document's shipment can be included in a load document.	Shipment
Include Shipment in Delivery Plan	An order document's shipment can be included in a delivery plan.	Shipment
Pack Shipment	An order document's shipment can be packed.	Shipment
Price Program	The price program associated with an order document's header can be changed.	Header
Receipt Complete	An order document's receipt can be marked as complete.	Receipt
Release from Hold	An order document's header can be released from hold.	Header
Remove Component	A bundle component can be removed from an order document line.	Line
Remove Delivery Line From Product Line Association	Delivery lines can be removed from product order lines.	Line
Remove Order Line	A line can be removed from an order document's header, line, and shipment.	Header Line Shipment
Remove Option	Options can be removed from delivery and provided services.	Line
Remove Product Item For Stand Alone Service Line	A product item for a stand alone service line can be removed from an order document line.	Line
Remove Product Line From Delivery Line Association	Product lines can be removed from delivery lines.	Line
Remove Product Line From Service Line Association	Product lines can be removed from provided service order lines.	Line
Remove Promotion	An order document's promotion can be removed from the header or line. Promotions include coupons and manual pricing rules.	Header Line
Remove Service Line From Product Line Association	Provided service lines can be removed from product order lines.	Line

Table 371. Order Document Modification Types (continued)

Modification Types	Description	Modification Levels
Remove Shipment From Delivery Plan	An order document's shipment can be removed from a delivery plan.	Shipment
Rework Quote	A quote can be reworked.	Header
Short	An order document's header, line, release, release line, and receipt can be shorted. This occurs when there is a shortage in the expected quantity.	Header Line Release Release Line Receipt
Sourcing Control Modifications	Modifications can be made to the Sourcing Control fields associated with an order document's line.	Line
Split Line	An order document's line or release line can be split into multiple lines.	Line Release Line
Unpack Shipment	An order document's shipment can be unpacked.	Shipment
Unreceive	An order document's receipt can be fully or partially unreceived. This moves the quantity you are identifying as unreceived back to Shipped status.	Receipt
Unschedule	An order document's header or line can be unscheduled from a scheduled node. This cancels any inventory that has been reserved for the order at the scheduled node.	Header Line

Chapter 24. Condition Builder Attributes

Condition Builder Attributes

Statements in the condition builder are built using attributes that are defined throughout the Applications Manager.

These attributes are grouped as follows:

Sales Order
- Order fulfillment
- Order negotiation
- Outbound shipment
- Receipt

Planned Order
- Planed order execution
- Planned order negotiation

Return Order
- Reverse logistics
- Return shipment
- Return receipt

Template Order
- Template order

Purchase Order
- Purchase order execution
- Purchase order negotiation
- Inbound shipment
- Purchase order receipt

Transfer Order
- Transfer order execution
- Transfer order delivery
- Transfer order receipt

Master Order
- Master order fulfillment

Quote
- Quote fulfillment

Load
- Load execution

General

- General
- WMS putaway
- WMS layout definition
- WMS inventory
- Trailer loading
- Task execution
- Move request execution
- Manifesting
- Over pack build

Count

- Count execution

Container

- Pack process

Wave

- Outbound picking

Work Order

- VAS process

Opportunity

- Opportunity fulfillment

Item-Based Allocation (IBA)

- Item-based allocation (IBA) order

Sales Order

Order Fulfillment

The Condition Builder attributes for Order Fulfillment, Order Execution, Quote Fulfillment, Transfer Order Execution, and Template Order are identical.

Table 372. Order Fulfillment Condition Builder Attributes

Attribute	Description
Order Attributes	
Condition Variable 1	A variable that can be used for condition building. This is an existing field in the YFS_ORDER_LINE database table, and can be used to create conditions without extending the database.
Condition Variable 2	A variable that can be used for condition building. This is an existing field in the YFS_ORDER_LINE database table, and can be used to create conditions without extending the database.
Delivery Method	The delivery method of the order (shipment, pickup or delivery).

Table 372. Order Fulfillment Condition Builder Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Description
Disposition Code	The disposition code of the item. This field is only applicable for Reverse Logistics and Supply Collaboration.
Line Type	The type of the order line. Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation has no application logic associated with the order line type. This field can be set up as per your business practices.
Order Type	The type of the order. Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation has no application logic associated with the order type. This field can be set up as per your business practices.
Payment Status	The payment status of the order.
Sale Voided	The flag indicating whether the order is voided.
Transaction ID	The ID of the last transaction that was run on the order.
Participant Attributes	
Bill To ID	The ID of the bill to address for the order.
Buyer Organization Code	The code of the organization that is buying the goods or services.
Enterprise Code	The code of the enterprise on the order.
Receiving Node	The node that receives the shipment for the order.
Seller Organization Code	The code of the organization that is selling the goods or services.
Ship Node	The node that ships the shipment for the order.
Ship Node Interface Type	The interface type of the ship node on the order (External Application, Console, Sterling Store Inventory Management, or WMS 6.2).
Ship To ID	The ID of the ship to address for the order.
Supplier Code	The code of the supplier for the order.
Item Attributes	
Item ID	The ID of the item on the order line.
Item Group Code	The group code of the service item. For example, if the service is a provided service item, then the item group code is PS.
Product Line	The product line of the item on the order line.
Sourcing Attributes	
Fulfillment Type	The fulfillment type of the order.
Intentional Backorder	The flag indicating whether the order was intentionally dropped into backordered status at order creation.
Is Firm Predefined Node	The flag indicating whether the node on the order is a firm predefined node.
Order Sourcing Classification	The order sourcing classification of the order.
Reservation Mandatory	The flag indicating whether the reservation is mandatory.
Related Order Attributes	
Chain Type	The chain type of the order.
Is Chained Line	The flag indicating whether the order line is chained with another order line.

Table 372. Order Fulfillment Condition Builder Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Description
Is Derived Line	The flag indicating whether the order line is derived from another order line.
Order Purpose	The purpose of the order. If this is an exchange order, this field is set to EXCHANGE.
{Enter Your Own Attribute}	A customizable condition builder attribute. For more information about customizing this field, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. This field is limited only to unexposed key attributes that are predefined by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation as opposed to any XML attribute that you can enter.

Order Negotiation

The Condition Builder attributes for Order Negotiation and Planned Order Negotiation are identical.

Table 373. Order Negotiation Condition Builder Attributes

Attribute	Description
Enterprise Code	The code of the enterprise on the order.
Initiator Organization Code	The code of the organization that initiates the negotiation.
Negotiator Organization Code	The code of the organization that can accept, counter-offer, or reject the initiator's offer.
Negotiation Pipeline Key	The key of the negotiation pipeline this order is going through.
Negotiation Number	The negotiation number of this order.
Negotiation Rule Key	The key of the negotiation rule for this order.
Header Entity	The entity for which the negotiation was initiated. Currently, the only applicable entity is Order.
Negotiation Status	The status of the negotiation for this order.
Document Type	The document type for this order. Typical value is Sales Order.
Freight Terms	The freight terms for this order.
Payment Terms	The payment terms for this order.
{Enter Your Own Attribute}	A customizable condition builder attribute. For more information about customizing this field, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. This field is limited only to unexposed key attributes that are predefined by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation as opposed to any XML attribute that you can enter.

Outbound Shipment

The condition builder attributes for Outbound Shipment, Inbound Shipment, Transfer Order Delivery, and Return Shipment are identical.

Table 374. Outbound Shipment Condition Builder Attributes

Attribute	Description
Enterprise Code	The code of the enterprise on the outbound shipment.
Buyer Organization Code	The code of the organization that is buying the goods or services.
Seller Organization Code	The code of the organization that is selling the goods or services.
Ship Node	The node that ships this shipment.
Ship Node Interface Type	The interface type of the ship node on the order (External Application, Console, Sterling Store Inventory Management, or WMS 6.2).
Receiving Node	The node that receives this shipment.
Ship Mode	The shipment mode that is used for the shipment. For example, Parcel, Truck Load, Less-Than Truck Load.
Freight Terms	The freight terms for this shipment.
Carrier Type	The shipment's carrier type for this shipment.
Hazardous Materials Flag	The flag indicating whether these materials are hazardous.
ESP Check Required	The flag indicating whether an Economic Shipping Parameters check is required at shipment consolidation time.
Is Appointment Required	The flag indicating whether an appointment is required for a service execution.
Routing Guide Maintained	The flag indicating whether a routing guide is maintained for this shipment.
Carrier	The carrier for the shipment.
Real-time Integration with WMS 6.2	The flag indicating whether the node this shipment is shipping from is integrating with the Sterling Store Inventory Management. Setting this field to N means that you are integrating with WMS 6.2, or any other warehouse management system.
Manually Entered	The flag indicating whether or not the shipment was entered through the Console.
Delivery Code	The code of the entity that pays for the transportation costs.
Country/Region	The country or region that the shipment is being shipped to.
Delivery Method	The delivery method of the shipment (shipment, pickup or delivery).
Is Serial Requested	The flag indicating whether the shipment has any line with a specific serial number passed. If that is the case, a different outbound shipment process can be selected in the pipeline.
Is Provided Service	The flag indicating whether the shipment has an associated provided service item.
Shipment Type	Indicates a set of shipments that are of the same nature.

Table 374. Outbound Shipment Condition Builder Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Description
{Enter Your Own Attribute}	A customizable condition builder attribute. For more information about customizing this field, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. This field is limited only to unexposed key attributes that are predefined by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation as opposed to any XML attribute that you can enter.

Receipt

The Receipt condition builder attributes are identical to the Return Receipt attributes.

Planned Order

Planned Order Execution

The Planned Order Execution condition builder attributes are identical to the Order Fulfillment attributes.

Planned Order Negotiation

The Planned Order Negotiation condition builder attributes are identical to the Order Negotiation attributes.

Return Order

Reverse Logistics

Table 375. Return Fulfillment Condition Builder Attributes

Attribute	Description
Order Attributes	
Condition Variable 1	A variable that can be used for condition building. This is an existing field in the YFS_ORDER_LINE database table, and can be used to create conditions without extending the database.
Condition Variable 2	A variable that can be used for condition building. This is an existing field in the YFS_ORDER_LINE database table, and can be used to create conditions without extending the database.
Delivery Method	The delivery method of the return (shipment, pickup or delivery).
Disposition Code	The disposition code of the item.
Line Type	The type of the return line. Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation has no application logic associated with the return line type. This field can be set up as per your business practices.

Table 375. Return Fulfillment Condition Builder Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Description
Order Type	The type of the return. Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation has no application logic associated with the return type. This field can be set up as per your business practices.
Payment Status	The payment status of the return.
Sale Voided	The flag indicating whether the return is voided.
Transaction ID	The ID of the last transaction that was run on the return.
Participant Attributes	
Bill To ID	The ID of the bill to address for the return.
Buyer Organization Code	The code of the organization that is buying the goods or services.
Enterprise Code	The code of the enterprise on the return.
Receiving Node	The node that receives the shipment for the return.
Seller Organization Code	The code of the organization that is selling the goods or services.
Ship Node	The node that be ships the shipment for the return.
Ship Node Interface Type	The interface type of the ship node on the return (External Application, Console, Sterling Store Inventory Management, or WMS 6.2).
Ship To ID	The ID of the ship to address for the return.
Supplier Code	The code of the supplier for the return.
Item Attributes	
Item ID	The ID of the item on the return line.
Item Group Code	The group code of the service item. For example, if the service is a provided service item, then the item group code is PS.
Product Line	The product line of the item on the return line.
Sourcing Attributes	
Fulfillment Type	The fulfillment type of the return.
Intentional Backorder	The flag indicating whether the return was intentionally dropped into backordered status at return creation.
Is Firm Predefined Node	The flag indicating whether the node on the return is a firm predefined node.
Order Sourcing Classification	The order sourcing classification of the return.
Reservation Mandatory	The flag indicating whether the reservation is mandatory.
Related Order Attributes	
Chain Type	The chain type of the return.
Is Chained Line	The flag indicating whether the return line is chained with another return line.
Is Derived Line	The flag indicating whether the return line is derived from another return line.
Order Purpose	This field is only applicable to sales orders.

Table 375. Return Fulfillment Condition Builder Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Description
{Enter Your Own Attribute}	A customizable condition builder attribute. For more information about customizing this field, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. This field is limited only to unexposed key attributes that are predefined by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation as opposed to any XML attribute that you can enter.

Return Shipment

The Return Shipment condition builder attributes are identical to the Outbound Shipment attributes.

Return Receipt

The Condition Builder attributes for Receipt, Purchase Order Receipt, Return Receipt, Transfer Order Receipt are identical.

Table 376. Return Receipt Condition Builder Attributes

Attribute	Description
Document Type	The document type on the receipt. Typical value is Return Order.
Enterprise Code	The code of the enterprise that owns the receipt.
Seller Organization Code	The code of the organization that is selling the goods or services.
Ship Node	The node where the shipment was shipped out of.
Buyer Organization Code	The code of the organization that is buying the goods or services.
Receiving Node	The node where the shipment was received.
Receiving Node Interface Type	The interface type of the receiving node on the order (External Application, Console, Sterling Store Inventory Management, or WMS 6.2).
Ship Mode	The shipment mode that is used for the shipment. For example, Parcel, Truck Load, Less-Than Truck Load.
Freight Terms	The freight terms on the receipt.
Carrier Type	The carrier type on the receipt.
Is Hazardous Material	The flag indicating whether there are hazardous materials that are being received.
Is Inspection Pending	The flag indicating whether there is an inspection pending on this return.
Is Receiving Node Integrated Real Time	The flag indicating whether the receiving node is integrating with WMS 6.2, or with another WMS system.

Table 376. Return Receipt Condition Builder Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Description
{Enter Your Own Attribute}	A customizable condition builder attribute. For more information about customizing this field, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. This field is limited only to unexposed key attributes that are predefined by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation as opposed to any XML attribute that you can enter.

Template Order

The Template Order condition builder attributes are identical to the Order Fulfillment attributes.

Purchase Order

Purchase Order Execution

Table 377. Purchase Order Execution Condition Builder Attributes

Attribute	Description
Order Attributes	
Condition Variable 1	A variable that can be used for condition building. This is an existing field in the YFS_ORDER_LINE database table, and can be used to create conditions without extending the database.
Condition Variable 2	A variable that can be used for condition building. This is an existing field in the YFS_ORDER_LINE database table, and can be used to create conditions without extending the database.
Delivery Method	The delivery method of the inbound order (shipment, pickup or delivery).
Disposition Code	The disposition code of the item.
Line Type	The type of the inbound order line. Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation has no application logic associated with the inbound order line type. This field can be set up as per your business practices.
Order Type	The type of the inbound order. Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation has no application logic associated with the inbound order type. This field can be set up as per your business practices.
Payment Status	The payment status of the inbound order.
Sale Voided	The flag indicating whether the inbound order is voided.
Transaction ID	The ID of the last transaction that was run on the inbound order.
Participant Attributes	
Bill To ID	The ID of the bill to address for the inbound order.
Buyer Organization Code	The code of the organization that is buying the goods or services.

Table 377. Purchase Order Execution Condition Builder Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Description
Enterprise Code	The code of the enterprise on the inbound order.
Receiving Node	The node that receives the shipment for the inbound order.
Seller Organization Code	The code of the organization that is selling the goods or services.
Ship Node	The node that ships the shipment for the inbound order.
Ship Node Interface Type	The interface type of the ship node on the inbound order (External Application, Console, Sterling Store Inventory Management, or WMS 6.2).
Ship To ID	The ID of the ship to address for the inbound order.
Supplier Code	The code of the supplier for the inbound order.
Item Attributes	
Item ID	The ID of the item on the inbound order line.
Item Group Code	The group code of the service item. For example, if the service is a provided service item, then the item group code is PS.
Product Line	The product line of the item on the inbound order line.
Sourcing Attributes	
Fulfillment Type	The fulfillment type of the inbound order.
Intentional Backorder	The flag indicating whether the inbound order was intentionally dropped into backordered status at inbound order creation.
Is Firm Predefined Node	The flag indicating whether the node on the inbound order is a firm predefined node.
Order Sourcing Classification	The order sourcing classification of the inbound order.
Reservation Mandatory	The flag indicating whether the reservation is mandatory.
Related Order Attributes	
Chain Type	The chain type of the inbound order.
Is Chained Line	The flag indicating whether the inbound order line is chained with another inbound order line.
Is Derived Line	The flag indicating whether the inbound order line is derived from another inbound order line.
Order Purpose	This field is only applicable to sales orders.
{Enter Your Own Attribute}	A customizable condition builder attribute. For more information about customizing this field, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. This field is limited only to unexposed key attributes that are predefined by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation as opposed to any XML attribute that you can enter.

Purchase Order Negotiation

Table 378. Purchase Order Negotiation Condition Builder Attributes

Attribute	Description
Enterprise Code	The code of the enterprise on the inbound order.
Initiator Organization Code	The code of the organization that initiates the negotiation.
Negotiator Organization Code	The code of the organization that can accept, counter-offer, or reject the initiator's offer.
Negotiation Pipeline Key	The key of the negotiation pipeline this inbound order is going through.
Negotiation Number	The negotiation number of this inbound order.
Negotiation Rule Key	The key of the negotiation rule for this inbound order.
Header Entity	The entity for which the negotiation was initiated. Currently, the only applicable entity is Order.
Negotiation Status	The status of the negotiation for this inbound order.
Document Type	The document type for this inbound order. Typical value is Purchase Order.
Freight Terms	The freight terms for this inbound order.
Payment Terms	The payment terms for this inbound order.
{Enter Your Own Attribute}	A customizable condition builder attribute. For more information about customizing this field, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. This field is limited only to unexposed key attributes that are predefined by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation as opposed to any XML attribute that you can enter.

Inbound Shipment

The Inbound Shipment condition builder attributes are identical to the Outbound Shipment attributes.

Purchase Order Receipt

The Purchase Order Receipt condition builder attributes are identical to the Return Receipt attributes.

Transfer Order

Transfer Order Execution

The Transfer Order Execution condition builder attributes are identical to the Order Fulfillment attributes.

Transfer Order Delivery

The Transfer Order Delivery condition builder attributes are identical to the Outbound Shipment attributes.

Transfer Order Receipt

The Transfer Order Receipt condition builder attributes are identical to the Return Receipt attributes.

Master Order Fulfillment

Table 379. Master Order Fulfillment Condition Builder Attributes

Attribute	Description
Master Order Attributes	
Condition Variable 1	A variable that can be used for condition building. This is an existing field in the YFS_ORDER_LINE database table, and can be used to create conditions without extending the database.
Condition Variable 2	A variable that can be used for condition building. This is an existing field in the YFS_ORDER_LINE database table, and can be used to create conditions without extending the database.
Delivery Method	The delivery method of the order (shipment, pickup or delivery).
Disposition Code	The disposition code of the item. This field is only applicable for Reverse Logistics and Supply Collaboration.
Line Type	The type of the order line. Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation has no application logic associated with the order line type. This field can be set up as per your business practices.
Order Type	The type of the order. Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation has no application logic associated with the order type. This field can be set up as per your business practices.
Payment Status	The payment status of the order.
Sale Voided	The flag indicating whether the order is voided.
Transaction ID	The ID of the last transaction that was run on the order.
Participant Attributes	
Bill To ID	The ID of the bill to address for the order.
Buyer Organization Code	The code of the organization that is buying the goods or services.
Enterprise Code	The code of the enterprise on the order.
Receiving Node	The node that receives the shipment for the order.
Seller Organization Code	The code of the organization that is selling the goods or services.
Ship Node	The node that ships the shipment for the order.
Ship Node Interface Type	The interface type of the ship node on the order (External Application, Console, Sterling Store Inventory Management, or WMS 6.2).
Ship To ID	The ID of the ship to address for the order.
Supplier Code	The code of the supplier for the order.
Item Attributes	
Item ID	The ID of the item on the order line.

Table 379. Master Order Fulfillment Condition Builder Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Description
Item Group Code	The group code of the service item. For example, if the service is a provided service item, then the item group code is PS.
Product Line	The product line of the item on the order line.
Sourcing Attributes	
Fulfillment Type	The fulfillment type of the order.
Intentional Backorder	The flag indicating whether the order was intentionally dropped into backordered status at order creation.
Is Firm Predefined Node	The flag indicating whether the node on the order is a firm predefined node.
Order Sourcing Classification	The order sourcing classification of the order.
Reservation Mandatory	The flag indicating whether the reservation is mandatory.
Related Master Order Attributes	
Chain Type	The chain type of the order.
Is Chained Line	The flag indicating whether the order line is chained with another order line.
Is Derived Line	The flag indicating whether the order line is derived from another order line.
Order Purpose	The purpose of the order. If this is an exchange order, this field is set to EXCHANGE.
{Enter Your Own Attribute}	A customizable condition builder attribute. For more information about customizing this field, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. This field is limited only to unexposed key attributes that are predefined by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation as opposed to any XML attribute that you can enter.

Quote

Quote Fulfillment

The Quote Fulfillment condition builder attributes are identical to the Order Fulfillment condition builder attributes.

Load Execution

Table 380. Load Execution Condition Builder Attributes

Attribute	Description
Load Type	The type of the load document.
Enterprise Code	The code of the enterprise on the load document.
Owner Organization Code	The code of the organization that owns the load document.
Carrier	The carrier used to carry the load.
Carrier Service Code	The code of the carrier service used to carry the load.

Table 380. Load Execution Condition Builder Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Description
Ship Mode	The shipment mode that is used for the shipment. For example, Parcel, Truck Load, Less-Than Truck Load.
Hazardous Material	The flag indicating whether hazardous materials are being carried in this load.
Origin Node	The node where the load originated from.
Destination Node	The node where the load is being shipped to.
Multiple Load Stop	The flag indicating whether or not a shipment goes through multiple stops to load or unload additional shipments.
{Enter Your Own Attribute}	A customizable condition builder attribute. For more information about customizing this field, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. This field is limited only to unexposed key attributes that are predefined by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation as opposed to any XML attribute that you can enter.

General

The following Condition Builder attributes are identical to those for WMS Putaway, WMS Layout Definition, WMS Inventory, Trailer Loading, Task Execution, Move Request Execution, Manifesting, and Over Pack Build.

Table 381. General Condition Builder Attributes

Attribute	Description
Enterprise Code	The code of the enterprise.
Organization Code	The code of the organization.
Provider Organization Code	The code of the organization that provides the service.
Ship Node	The node that ships this shipment.
Supply Type	The supply type associated with the inventory status. Typical values are Onhand, Held, etc.
Item ID	The ID of the item on the order line.
Unit Of Measure	The unit of measure of the item.
Product Class	The inventory classification of an item based on the product's characteristics. Typical values are FQ - First Quality, SQ - Second Quality, etc.
Inventory Status	The inventory sub classification of the product, based on the results of the inventory control processes within the warehouse. Typical values are Good - Good Inventory, Damaged - Damaged inventory, Qlty-Hold - Quality Hold, etc.
Adjustment Type	The type of inventory adjustment. Typical values are Cycle Count, Receipt, Picking, Packing, Shipping, etc.
Alert Type	The type of alert raised when an exception occurs.
Carrier	The carrier used to carry the shipment.

Table 381. General Condition Builder Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Description
Task Type	The Task Type applicable to a task. Typical values are Receipt, QC, Count, Replenishment, Retrieval, Putaway, VAS, Pack, Shipping, and Picking.
Assigned To User ID	The ID of the user to whom the task is assigned.
Task Status	The Task Status within the pipeline that the task travels through. Typical values are Open, Suggested, In Progress, Held, Completed, Canceled, etc.
Document Type	The document type for this order. Typical values are Sales Order, Purchase Order, Transfer Order, and Return Order.
SC UI Client Version	The Rich Client Platform application version number.
Activity Group ID	The identifier for the activity group.
{Enter Your Own Attribute}	A customizable condition builder attribute. For more information about customizing this field, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. This field is limited only to unexposed key attributes that are predefined by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation as opposed to any XML attribute that you can enter.

WMS Putaway

The WMS Putaway condition builder attributes are identical to the General attributes.

WMS Layout Definition

The WMS Layout Definition condition builder attributes are identical to the General attributes.

WMS Inventory

The WMS Layout Inventory condition builder attributes are identical to the General attributes.

Trailer Loading

The Trailer Loading condition builder attributes are identical to the General attributes.

Task Execution

The Task Execution condition builder attributes are identical to the General attributes.

Move Request Execution

The Move Request Execution condition builder attributes are identical to the General attributes.

Manifesting

The Manifesting condition builder attributes are identical to the General attributes.

Over Pack Build

The Over Pack Build condition builder attributes are identical to the General attributes.

Count Execution

Table 382. Count Execution Condition Builder Attributes

Attribute	Description
Enterprise Code	The code of the enterprise for which the count request is created.
Request Type	The type of count requested.
Count Program Name	The name of the count program for which the count request is created.
Node Key	The node where the count request is processed.
Zone ID	The zone where the count must be performed.
Location Size Code	The capacity of the location where the count must be performed.
Is LPN Level	The flag indicating whether the count tasks are be performed at the LPN level.
Is Case Level	The flag indicating whether the count tasks are be performed at the case level.
Is Pallet Level	The flag indicating whether the count tasks are be performed at the pallet level.
Is Item Level	The flag indicating whether the count tasks are be performed at the item level.
Is Resolvable	The flag indicating whether variance can be resolved for this count result.
Product Class	The inventory classification of an item based on the product's characteristics. Typical values are FQ - First Quality, SQ - Second Quality, etc.
Unit Of Measure	The unit of measure of the item that was counted.
Item Classification 1	The first item classification attribute for determining the Count Strategy.
Item Classification 2	The second item classification attribute for determining the Count Strategy.
Item Classification 3	The third item classification attribute for determining the Count Strategy.
Has Variance	The flag indicating whether the count request has a variance.

Table 382. Count Execution Condition Builder Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Description
Has Absolute Variance	The flag indicating whether the count request has an absolute variance.
Variance Quantity	The difference in quantity (+/-) between the count result and system quantity.
Absolute Variance Quantity	The absolute difference between the count result and system quantity.
Variance Value	The difference in cost/value (+/-) between the count result and system quantity.
Absolute Variance Value	The absolute difference in cost/value between the count result and system quantity.
Has Variance With Previous Count	The flag indicating whether the variance between the current count result and previous count results displays.
{Enter Your Own Attribute}	A customizable condition builder attribute. For more information about customizing this field, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. This field is limited only to unexposed key attributes that are predefined by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation as opposed to any XML attribute that you can enter.

Pack Process

Table 383. Pack Process Condition Builder Attributes

Attribute	Description
Node Attributes	
Ship Node	The node that ships this shipment.
Receiving Node	The node that receives this shipment.
Ship from Ship Node Interface Type	The interface type of the ship node from which the shipment is shipped (External Application, Console, Sterling Store Inventory Management, or WMS 6.2).
Ship from Supplier Code	The code of the supplier that is shipping the shipment.
Ship from DCM Integration Real Time	The flag indicating whether the node from which the shipment is shipped uses WMS 6.2.
Ship from Country/Region	The code of the country or region from which the shipment is being shipped.
Ship to Ship Node Interface Type	The interface type of the ship node to which the shipment is shipped (External Application, Console, Sterling Store Inventory Management, or WMS 6.2).
Ship to Supplier Code	The code of the supplier to whom the shipment is being shipped.
Ship to DCM Integration Real Time	The flag indicating whether the node to which the shipment is shipped uses WMS 6.2.
Ship to Country/Region	The code of the country or region to which the shipment is being shipped.
Organization Attributes	
Enterprise Code	The code of the enterprise that owns the shipment.

Table 383. Pack Process Condition Builder Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Description
Buyer Organization Code	The code of the organization that is buying the goods or services.
Seller Organization Code	The code of the organization that is selling the goods or services.
Shipment Attributes	
Ship Mode	The shipment mode that is used for the shipment. For example, Parcel, Truck Load, Less-Than Truck Load.
Carrier	The carrier used to carry the shipment.
Freight Terms	The freight terms of the shipment.
Delivery Code	The code of the entity that pays for the transportation costs.
Pack And Hold	The flag indicating whether the shipment needs to be packed and put away for retrieval at a later date.
Shipment Container Count	The number of containers in the shipment.
Shipment Containerized Flag	The flag indicating the containerization state of the shipment. The values are: 01 - not containerized, 02 - containerization in progress and 03 - containerization completed.
Container Attributes	
Is Shipment Container	The flag indicating whether the container belongs to a shipment.
Is Load Container	The flag indicating whether the container is part of a load.
Is Inventory Pallet	The flag indicating whether the container is an inventory pallet.
Is Converted From LPN	The flag indicating whether the inventory container has been converted to a shipment container.
Is Serial Capture Pending	The flag indicating whether the serial capture is pending for the container.
Is Pack Process Complete	The flag indicating whether any more pack activities are pending for the container.
Is Product Placing Complete	The flag indicating whether placing the product into the container according to the system's suggestion has been completed.
Requires VAS	The flag indicating whether the container requires value added services.
Has Child Containers	The flag indicating whether a container is a parent container having other containers.
Number of Items	The number of items contained in the container.
Container Type	The attribute that specifies whether a shipment container is a case or pallet.
{Enter Your Own Attribute}	A customizable condition builder attribute. For more information about customizing this field, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. This field is limited only to unexposed key attributes that are predefined by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation as opposed to any XML attribute that you can enter.

Outbound Picking

Table 384. Outbound Picking Condition Builder Attributes

Attribute	Description
Activity Group ID	The identifier for the activity group.
Shipment Group ID	The identifier for the shipment group.
{Enter Your Own Attribute}	A customizable condition builder attribute. For more information about customizing this field, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. This field is limited only to unexposed key attributes that are predefined by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation as opposed to any XML attribute that you can enter.

VAS Process

Table 385. VAS Process Condition Builder Attributes

Attribute	Description
Enterprise Code	The code of the enterprise that owns the item or license plate.
Provider Organization Code	The code of the organization that provides the service.
Node Key	The node, where the work orders are run.
Purpose	The purpose for the work order (ORDER / STOCK / SHIP)
Service Item Group Code	The code of the service item group (KIT/DKIT/COMPL/ INVC/PS)
Service Item ID	The identifier for the service Item.
Segment Type	The type of segment. This may be MTO (made to order) or MTC (made to customer).
Segment	The segment to which the inventory involved in the work order belongs.
Has Components	The flag indicating whether the work order has component items.
Status	The status of the work order.
Pre Call Status	The flag indicating the status of the pre-call process.
Appt Status	The status of the appointment. This is in sync with the service order line. The appointment status is used in case of provided service work order.
Number Of Attempts	The number of attempts made to run the work order.
Number Of Hours until Appointment	The number of hours left before the appointment for the service item.
Number Of Hours After Appointment	The number of hours after the last appointment for the service item.
Number Of Hours After Last Execution	The number of hours after the last attempt to run the service.
Last Execution Success	The flag indicating whether the last attempt to run the service was successful or not.

Table 385. VAS Process Condition Builder Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Description
Open Work Order Flag	The flag indicating whether the execution of the work order has ended or not.
{Enter Your Own Attribute}	A customizable condition builder attribute. For more information about customizing this field, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. This field is limited only to unexposed key attributes that are predefined by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation as opposed to any XML attribute that you can enter.

Opportunity

Opportunity Fulfillment

Table 386. Opportunity Fulfillment Condition Builder Attributes

Attribute	Description
Opportunity Attributes	
Opportunity ID	The ID of the opportunity.
Opportunity Name	The name of the opportunity.
Status	The status of the opportunity.
Currency Value	The currency value of the opportunity.
Probable Success Rate	The likelihood of whether an order will be created from the opportunity.
Participant Attributes	
Bill To ID	The ID of the bill to address for the opportunity.
Buyer Organization Code	The code of the organization that may buy the goods or services.
Enterprise Code	The code of the enterprise for the opportunity.
Owner User ID	The user ID of the opportunity owner.
Co-Owner User ID	The user ID of the opportunity co-owner.
Customer Contact ID	The ID of the customer contact for the opportunity.
Team Code	The code of the team that manages the opportunity.
{Enter Your Own Attribute}	A customizable condition builder attribute. For more information about customizing this field, see the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Extending the Condition Builder*. This field is limited only to unexposed key attributes that are predefined by Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation as opposed to any XML attribute that you can enter.

Item Based Allocation

The Item Based Allocation transaction allocates unpromised and promised demands of existing orders to more suitable supplies based upon inventory items and nodes which have been triggered for the Item Based Allocation process in the YFS_IBA_TRIGGER table.

The Item Based Allocation agent obtains and processes all Item Based Allocation triggers from the YFS_IBA_TRIGGER table that meet the following conditions:
- IBA_RUN_REQUIRED = "Y"
- LAST_IBA_PROCESSED_TS was 'x' hours before current time, where 'x' is from the 'Item Based Allocation Agent Execution Interval (in hours)' rule in the Installation rules. For more information about installation rules, refer to the topic "System Administration Components: Defining Installation Rules" in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Configuration Guide*. This rule is used to indicate the interval that the Item Based Allocation agent should not reprocess the triggers in the YFS_IBA_TRIGGER table, which were processed earlier. This prevents the IBA agent from over-processing the item and node combination in the given time interval to avoid any high loads on the system.
- PROCESSING_BY_AGENT="N" or PROCESS_OVER_BY_TS is before the current timestamp. The PROCESSING_BY_AGENT field is used to prevent the picking up of the IBA trigger which is being processed by another instance of the agent.

If InventoryOrganizationCode is specified in the agent criteria, only the IBA trigger with inventory items of that inventory organization is retrieved.

For each triggered item and node combination, the agent finds all of the applicable order lines or order line reservations that contain the item and node and tries to move their unpromised and promised demands to more suitable available supplies based on user-configured IBA selection rules or FIFO (First-In-First-Out) IBA selection rules.

Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation creates new positive order line reservations with the matched supply's first ship date and negative order line reservations for the existing demand ship date. Once all orders are processed, they are placed on hold to be rescheduled if changes are detected in the order line reservations.

The following configuration is required for the Item Based Allocation process:
- The Use Item Based Allocation rule needs to be enabled.
- Item and node need to have Item Based Allocation Allowed enabled.
- A hold type is required to be set up for the change order line reservations modification type so that the order can be placed on hold for rescheduling. For more information, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

The 'When a line is backordered, backorder against the highest priority ship node' rule should be checked in order to reallocate backordered demand. For more information, see the Fulfillment Rules section in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Distributed Order Management Configuration Guide*.

Before processing the Item Based Allocation logic, the Item Based Allocation agent updates the following fields on the Item Based Allocation trigger:
- PROCESSING_BY_AGENT = "Y". This indicates that an instance of the agent is currently processing this trigger.

- PROCESS_OVER_BY_TS = current time + 1 hr. This indicates the expected time that the agent should finish with processing this IBA trigger. One hour is the fixed window and cannot be changed. Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation treats the PROCESSING_BY_AGENT flag as "N" regardless of the actual value when current timestamp is after this timestamp.
- IBA_RUN_REQUIRED = "N". This resets the IBA_RUN_REQUIRED flag back to "N".

Obtaining a List of Demands Based on Applicable Order Release Statuses and Order Line Reservations to be Allocated

A list of demands is derived from applicable order release statuses and order line reservations, which have the item and node in the IBA trigger. The following types of demands are retrieved:

- Demands of chained orders
- Demands of orders with chained order already created
- Demands of orders with procurement node but chained order creation is not yet created
- Demands of orders without procurement node
- Demands from order line reservations

The demand quantity is derived based on the order release status quantity with the status from the Status Inventory Type configuration that has a demand type, which considers the supply type with 'Use Consider Demand Type for Item Based Allocation' enabled. For more information, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Global Inventory Visibility Configuration Guide*.

Obtaining a List of Available Supplies for Allocation

Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation obtains the available supply based on the availability of the item at the node by ignoring unpromised and promised demands. If the inventory organization maintains its inventory externally, the external availability can be read by the YFSGetExternalInventoryUE user exit. Only the availability of supplies that consider the 'Demand Type Look for Availability during Item Based Allocation' are used in the allocation logic. For more information, refer to the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Global Inventory Visibility Configuration Guide*.

Allocated demands should be matched with the same supplies as "Demand to look for during release".

Matching Demands Against Supplies in FIFO (First-In-First-Out) Order

Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation sorts the list of available supplies in the order of the first shippable date (ETA), and matches the obtained list of demands using the top-down logic (unlike the normal matching logic for obtaining availability, where matches are based on the closest ETA). Demands are allocated in the following orders:

- Demands of chained orders - first based on user-configured sequencing rules, and then in ascending order of order creation date. (These types of demands are matched based on the closest ETA to avoid any changes in the chained orders).

- Demands of orders with a chained order already created - first based on user-configured sequencing rules, then in ascending order of product availability date. (These types of demands are matched based on the closest ETA to avoid any changes in the orders).
- Demands of orders for which procurement node and chained order creation is imminent (within the advanced notification time window) - first based on user-configured sequencing rules, then in order of order creation date.
- Demands of orders without a procurement node and within the release window (advanced notification time window) - first based on user-configured sequencing rules, then in order of order creation date.
- Demands from order line reservations on the order lines in the order of requested reservation date, and left-over demands (outside of the advanced notification time window) of orders with or without a procurement node, first based on user-configured sequencing rules and then in the order of order creation date.
- Demands from inventory reservations in the order of ship date.

Notice that different types of demands are given different priorities based on their significance. The demands of chained orders or orders related to chained orders are treated with a higher priority than the demands of normal orders. Furthermore, the demands with a ship date within the advanced notification time window also have a higher priority than the demands with a date outside of the advanced notification time window.

Updating Order Reservations for the Matched Demands

After matching the available supply and demand in user-configured sequencing and then in FIFO order, the system builds up a list of order line reservation changes and inventory demand changes (corresponding to the order line reservation changes) and summarize them to optimize the number of order reservation updates and inventory updates. Negative order line reservations are added for the matched demands. Positive order reservations are added for the matched demands with the product availability date set to the matched supplies' first ship date.

After the Item Based Allocation agent completes its tasks for an Item Based Allocation trigger, it updates the fields of the trigger with the following values:
- IBA_REQUIRED = "N"
- LAST_IBA_PROCESSED_TS = current timestamp.
- PROCESS_OVER_BY_TS = current timestamp.
- PROCESSING_BY_AGENT = "N"

The Item Based Allocation agent should be used in conjunction with the rescheduling process as the rescheduling process reschedules the affected orders by utilizing the order line reservations created by the Item Based Allocation process.

Attributes

The following are the attributes for this time-triggered transaction:

Table 387. Item Based Allocation Attributes

Attribute	Value
Base Transaction ID	ITEM_BASED_ALLOCATION

Table 387. Item Based Allocation Attributes (continued)

Attribute	Value
Base Document Type	General
Base Process Type	General
Abstract Transaction	No
APIs Called	changeOrder – for updating the order line reservations created as part of the Item Based Allocation process.
User Exits Called	None

Criteria Parameters

The following are the criteria parameters for this transaction:

Table 388. Item Based Allocation Criteria Parameters

Parameter	Description
Action	Required. Triggers the transaction. If left blank, it defaults to Get, the only valid value.
Number of Records To Buffer	Optional. Number of records to retrieve and process at one time. If left blank or specified as 0 (zero), it defaults to 5000.
InventoryOrganization Code	The inventory organization code of the inventory items which are processed by the Item Based Allocation agent. If provided, only the IBA triggers with the inventory item that belongs to this inventory organization are processed.
ColonyID	Required in a multischema deployment where the YFS_IBA_TRIGGER table may exist in multiple schemas. Runs the agent for the colony.

Statistics Tracked

The following statistics are tracked for this transaction:

Table 389. Item Based Allocation Statistics

Statistic Name	Description
NumOrdersProcessed	Number of orders processed by the Item Based Allocation agent.
NumOrdersRequiredReschedule	Number of orders required rescheduling as the result of Item Based Allocation process.

Pending Job Count

None.

Events Raised

This transaction raises events as specified under the changeOrder API in the *Sterling Selling and Fulfillment Foundation: Javadocs*.

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