AddressBase Core Release 09/04/2024

Release Note version 1.0

GB coverage

Version	Change
1.0	Initial publication of this release note.

Introduction

This release note provides information about the release of the AddressBase Core product on **09 April 2024**.

Record counts

Product	Full Supply record count[1]	Change-Only Update record count
AddressBase Core	34 369 676	73 960

Product supply comparison

There is a difference in record counts between taking a national Managed Great Britain Set (MGBS) and the national 5km-tile supply. This is because the two supplies use different selection criteria. The difference in record counts is shown in the following table, allowing you to validate your data holdings once you have loaded the latest release of AddressBase Core.

Product	MGBS Full Count	National 5km tiled supply	Difference
AddressBase Core	34 369 676	34 369 669	7

A small difference in record counts is expected due to there being several features supplied in the MGBS which fall outside of the tiled area.

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[1] These counts are based on a Managed Great Britain Set (MGBS). If you ordered your national coverage via the online ordering system using a polygon outline, your counts may differ.

Changed records

If you receive a Change-Only Update (COU) supply for your AddressBase Core product, you will receive Insert, Update and Delete records within the supplied file. The following table details the numbers of these records which can be expected in the COU supply of the product:

Change type	Count
Inserts	8 278
Updates	62 920
Deletes	2 762
COU populated 5km tile count	3 948

It is important that COUs are processed with Deletes first, then Inserts and Updates. This is to ensure that updates are applied in the correct order. Guidance on this can be found in Section 5 of the AddressBase Core – Getting Started Guide available on the [AddressBase Core Product Support webpage of the OS website](https://www.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/business-government/tools-support/addressbase-core-support) (https://www.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/business-government/tools-support/addressbase-core-support).

Source data currency

The following information relates to the currency of the source data used in the creation of this release of AddressBase Core:

Data source	Date
Royal Mail Postcode Address File (PAF)	05 April 2024
National Land and Property Gazetteer	05 April 2024
One Scotland Gazetteer	25 March 2024
OS MasterMap Topography Layer	14 March 2024