

AddressBase® Islands Products January 2021 Epoch 81 Release



Release Note Version 1.0

Northern Ireland, Channel Islands and Isle of Man Coverage.

Introduction

This release note provides information about the January 2021 release of AddressBase Islands. This product was released to customers on **January 7th 2021**.

1. Product counts

The following are product counts for the non-geographic chunked release of the AddressBase Islands products:

Product	Full Supply record count*	Change Only Update record count*
AddressBase Plus Islands	1,103,695	3,334
AddressBase Premium Islands		
Street	46,787	94
Street Descriptor	46,787	34
BLPU	1,175,226	3,786
Classification	1,175,226	1,260
LPI	1,183,446	1,527
Organisation	42,294	41
Delivery Point Address	928,957	1,676
Application Cross Ref.	1,243,722	1,453
Successor	0	0

*these counts are based on a Managed Islands Set (MIS).

2. Changed Records

If you receive a Change Only Update (COU) supply for your AddressBase Islands product, you will receive Insert, Update and Delete records within the supplied file. The counts of these records can be found below –

AddressBase Plus Islands -

Change Type	Count
Inserts	1,276
Updates	1,961
Deletes	97

AddressBase Premium Islands -

	Inserts	Updates	Deletes
Street	34	60	0
Street Descriptor	34	0	0
BLPU	1,091	2,619	76
Classification	1,091	93	76
LPI	1,091	360	76
Organisation	6	4	31
Delivery Point Address	1,282	271	123
Application Cross Ref.	1,279	51	123

3. Source data currency

The following information relates to the currency of the source data used in the creation of Epoch 81:

Data Source	Date
Pointer (Northern Ireland)	12 October 2020
DigiMap (Channel Islands)	9 October 2020
Isle of Man	2 October 2020
Royal Mail PAF	16 October 2020

4. Data Issues

AddressBase Plus Islands Issues

Affected output formats: GML

a. Incorrect namespace for specification version

We have identified that the namespaces relating to the AddressBase schema have accidentally been replaced for AddressBase Islands. This is due to the specification for AddressBase having changed, though this change did not affect AddressBase Islands.

Further consultation since the last release has resulted in our position changing in terms of misaligning the schema versions for AddressBase and AddressBase Islands. Our intention now is to increment the schema version used for AddressBase Islands to 2.1 as is currently, albeit wrongly, the case.

We will issue further communications alongside the amended specification for this. Please note that aside from a new schema specification number there will be no breaking change in the update. RPC code values will remain identical to current ones, though their definition wording will change.

As the change is not a breaking one, loading processes can safely ignore the version change for the time being or edit the GML files manually and change all references to mentioning AddressBase versions 2.1 to 2.0 in the GML headers.

Changes are highlighted below:

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<abpl:AddressBaseSupplySet xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
  xmlns:xs="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema"
  xmlns:gml="http://www.opengis.net/gml/3.2"
  xmlns:xlink="http://www.w3.org/1999/xlink"
  xmlns:gmd="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gmd"
  xmlns:gco="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gco"
  xmlns:gss="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gss"
  xmlns:gts="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gts"
  xmlns:gsr="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gsr"
  xmlns:abpl="http://namespaces.geoplace.co.uk/addressbaseplus/2.1"
  xmlns:gmlxht="http://www.opengis.net/gml/3.3/xht"
  xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.opengis.net/gml/3.2
  http://schemas.opengis.net/gml/3.2.1/gml.xsd
  http://namespaces.geoplace.co.uk/addressbaseplus/2.1
  http://www.geoplace.co.uk/addressbase/schema/2.1/addressbaseplus.xsd"
  gml:id="FC1">
<gml:description>Ordnance Survey (c) Crown Copyright. All rights reserved, 2018 and
produced by GeoPlace</gml:description>
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Should read

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  xmlns:xlink="http://www.w3.org/1999/xlink"
  xmlns:gmd="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gmd"
  xmlns:gco="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gco"
  xmlns:gss="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gss"
  xmlns:gts="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gts"
  xmlns:gsr="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gsr"
  xmlns:abpl="http://namespaces.geoplace.co.uk/addressbaseplus/2.0"
  xmlns:gmlxht="http://www.opengis.net/gml/3.3/xht"
  xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.opengis.net/gml/3.2
  http://schemas.opengis.net/gml/3.2.1/gml.xsd
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  http://www.geoplace.co.uk/addressbase/schema/2.0/addressbaseplus.xsd"
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Affected output formats: CSV and GML

a. Missing Parent UPRNs

1,212 records which exist in AddressBase Plus Islands declare a Parent UPRN which cannot be found in product. This is because of the background logic used to create the product and this will be reviewed in the future.

AddressBase Premium Islands Issues

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  xmlns:gmd="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gmd"
  xmlns:gco="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gco"
  xmlns:gss="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gss"
  xmlns:gts="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gts"
  xmlns:gsr="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gsr"
  xmlns:abpr="http://namespaces.geoplace.co.uk/addressbasepremium/2.1"
  xmlns:gmlxبت="http://www.opengis.net/gml/3.3/xبت"
  xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.opengis.net/gml/3.2
http://schemas.opengis.net/gml/3.2.1/gml.xsd
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  xmlns:gsr="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gsr"
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  xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.opengis.net/gml/3.2
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a. Street Incorrect Coordinates –

There are 143 Streets which have incorrect start or end coordinates of 000000. The unique identifiers can be provided upon request through your Relationship Manager.

5. Next release

The next release of AddressBase, Epoch 82, will be delayed by a week from 18th February 2021 to 25th February 2021. This is due to a system architecture change that is occurring at Ordnance Survey during January.