

# AddressBase Islands Products September 2021 Epoch 87

Release Note version 1.1

*Northern Ireland, Isle of Man and Channel Islands coverage*

Version	Change
1.0	Initial release.
1.1	Updates to statistics.

## Introduction

This release note provides information about the September 2021 release of the AddressBase Islands products. These products were released to customers on **16 September 2021**.

## Record counts

Product	Full Supply record count	Change-Only Update record count
AddressBase Plus	1 109 469	1,928
AddressBase Premium	See rows below	See rows below
Street	47 154	238
Street Descriptor	47 154	71
BLPU	1 183 429	3,212
Classification	1 183 429	2,230
LPI	1 191 772	2,547
Organisation	42 100	33
Delivery Point Address	937 085	854
Application Cross Ref.	1 251 302	2,318
Successor	0	0

## 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 following tables detail the counts of these records.

### AddressBase Plus

Change type	Count
Inserts	848
Updates	999
Deletes	81

### AddressBase Premium

AddressBase Premium table	Inserts	Updates	Deletes
Street	71	167	0
Street Descriptor	71	0	0
BLPU	2,048	1,088	76
Classification	2,048	106	76
LPI	2,048	423	76
Organisation	0	0	33
Delivery Point Address	476	286	92
Application Cross Ref.	1,977	236	105

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 8 of the [Getting Started Guide – AddressBase, AddressBase Plus and AddressBase Plus Islands](#) on the AddressBase Product Support page on the OS website.

## Source data currency

The following information relates to the currency of the source data used in the creation of Epoch 87:

Data source	Date
Pointer (Northern Ireland)	02 August 2021
DigiMap (Channel Islands)	28 July 2021
Isle of Man	27 July 2021
Royal Mail PAF	12 August 2021

## 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 mentioning AddressBase version 2.1 to 2.0 in the GML headers.

Changes are highlighted in yellow below:

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
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  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: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
http://namespaces.geoplace.co.uk/addressbaseplus/2.1
http://www.geoplace.co.uk/addressbase/schema/2.1/addressbaseplus.xsd"
  gml:id="FC1">
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Should read:

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  xmlns:gts="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gts"
  xmlns:gsr="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gsr"
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## Affected output formats: CSV and GML

### b. Missing Parent UPRNs

In total, 1,292 records which exist in AddressBase Plus Islands declare a Parent UPRN which cannot be found in the product. This is because of the background logic used to create the product. This issue will be reviewed in the future.

## AddressBase Premium Islands issues

### Affected output formats: GML

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  xmlns:gss="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gss"
  xmlns:gts="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gts"
  xmlns:gssr="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gssr"
  xmlns:abpr="http://namespaces.geoplace.co.uk/addressbasepremium/2.1"
  xmlns:gmlxbt="http://www.opengis.net/gml/3.3/xbt"
  xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.opengis.net/gml/3.2
http://schemas.opengis.net/gml/3.2.1/gml.xsd
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### b. 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.

## Next release

The next release of AddressBase, Epoch 88, is scheduled for release on Thursday 28 October 2021.