IBM WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition V7.0.3 is enhanced to support Web 2.0, REST, and extends connectivity

At a glance

WebSphere® MQ File Transfer Edition V7.0.3 enhances the IBM® managed file transfer solution for both distributed platforms and z/OS® on IBM System z®. These enhancements add new web transfer capabilities and further increase the connectivity of this offering. WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition leverages the proven WebSphere MQ transport to transfer files with auditiability, visibility, and reliability. Enhancements include:

- New capability for ad-hoc web transfers between end users

- Enables web transfers between end users and file transfer agents

- Includes new Representational State Transfer (REST) interface for Web 2.0 applications

- Allows you to convert files to messages and messages to files

- Includes enhanced integration with WebSphere Message Broker for file transformation, enrichment, and mediation

- Includes enhanced viewing capability of available agents and determine status from both the graphical user interface and command line

- Includes enhanced Database Logger component that allows it to be deployed to a JEE runtime environment

- Includes new capability to facilitate automatic start-up of agents on Microsoft® Windows®

- Includes enhanced integration with WebSphere Message Broker for file transformation, enrichment, and mediation

- Includes enhanced capabilities to encrypt file data in transit when combined with WebSphere MQ Advanced Message Security V7.0.1

- Extends platform support including: AIX® on Power7, Linux® on Power7, Oracle Solaris 10 on Intel® x86 and virtualized platforms

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Overview

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition products deliver a managed file transfer solution for moving files with auditability, visibility, and reliability. These products leverage WebSphere MQ messaging as its reliable transport mechanism for moving files and enable files to be moved regardless of size.

An audit log of file movements enables organizations to demonstrate that business data in files is transferred with integrity from source to target file system. Graphical configuration tooling, supplied with the product on distributed platforms and integrated with WebSphere MQ Explorer, enables quick and easy definition of transfers remotely from Microsoft Windows or Linux on x86 machines without the need for programming.

On distributed platforms, WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition includes a copy of WebSphere MQ, the license of which is limited for use on the same machine as the product. It entitles the client to use its full WebSphere MQ messaging functionality.

Trade-up licenses are available for existing clients who want to upgrade machines running WebSphere MQ to WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition. Clients who upgrade can continue to use the full messaging capabilities of the limited license copy of WebSphere MQ that is supplied with WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition. Machines running WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition provide a multipurpose connectivity solution for files and messages.

WebSphere MQ for z/OS is a prerequisite for WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition for z/OS. A separate license of WebSphere MQ for z/OS is required for this product on the System z platform.

Organizations can use WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition to reduce and consolidate the infrastructure needed to move their files and messages onto a single, reliable transport capable of handling both kinds of traffic. Using a single reliable backbone can help achieve these operational efficiencies by reducing the need to deploy and manage separate parallel networks for messages and files.

Key prerequisites

For details, refer to the Hardware requirements and Software requirements sections.

Planned availability date

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition V7.0.3

- November 19, 2010 (electronic software delivery)
- November 26, 2010 (media and documentation)

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition for z/OS V7.0.3

- November 26, 2010 (media and documentation)

Description

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition delivers a managed file transfer solution for moving files regardless of their size. It adds file transfer services to the WebSphere MQ backbone to enable movement of files in a managed way with auditability, visibility, and reliability.

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition delivers a service-oriented architecture (SOA)-ready managed file transfer solution that can replace "home-grown" and FTP-based approaches to file movement.

The enhancements in WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition V7.0.3 are compatible with previous releases.

What's new

- Web transfers

  This V7.0.3 update offers a new capability for Web transfers between end users and agents. This enables end users to send files to a WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition network, or receive files from a WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition network, via web Browsers. This style of file transfers is often referred to as "ad hoc" because there is no need for the end user to install local WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Server or Client code in advance in order to transfer files. It provides a "zero footprint" approach to managed file transfer, where only a web browser is needed on a given machine in order to transmit and receive files. This feature makes use of a new RESTful API.

  This web transfer feature also enables files to be sent and received from a web browser to a WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition agent. It provides access to a range of transfer options such as selecting binary or text transfer or setting transfer priority level. It also enables end users to query the outcome of file transfers.

  Web transfer support is provided by a new component - the Web Gateway. This component comprises a JEE application which when combined with a WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition agent can transfer files between a HTTP client (for example an end-user's web browser) and other file transfer agents. The JEE application may also be used to retrieve status information about a user's transfers. The Web gateway requires a Java™ Platform, Enterprise Edition 5-compliant application server such as WebSphere Application Server (not provided) such as WebSphere Application Server. For a list of supported application servers please consult the *Specified Operating Environment* section.

  File transfer activities that occur via the Web Gateway using end-user's browsers are captured into the audit trail log.

  The Web Gateway is useful for situations where files need to be transferred to and from a machine where a WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition agent cannot be deployed but where a HTTP client can be deployed or is already available.

  The Web Gateway supports the following tasks:

  – Sending files to a WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition agent, using a Web page that is running in a Web browser
  – Receiving files that have been sent to the Web Gateway by WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition agents, using a Web page that is running in a Web browser.
  – Monitoring the outcome of Web transfers, using a Web page running in a Web browser
  – Sending or receiving files from a portable device such as a Smart phone or tablet computer that is not capable of running a local WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition agent but already has HTTP capabilities

- Sending or receiving files from an operating system where WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition agents are not available or supported on, but where HTTP capabilities are available
- Administering the Web Gateway to determine policies such as those which control the amount of file data that each user can store, or controlling the level of access that individual Web Gateway users have

The Web Gateway provides file spaces that can be used for the purpose of file storage by Web Gateway users. Access to the file space is restricted to users with authorization to read from it or write to it. The file space is provided in the form of a "mail box" for Web users so that files can be sent for their attention and held until they are online and able to retrieve these.

Files can be sent to an end user's file space for their attention. The files are stored at the Web Gateway and can be downloaded by the recipient using an HTTP client, such as a web browser. File space managed by the Web Gateway, can be used to get files to users who do not have access to a system hosting an agent. Transfers into or out of the file space managed by a Web Gateway are logged in the same way as a normal file transfer.

A sample web application for end users is included in this update. The sample web application uses the RESTful Web Gateway API to submit a file transfer and view the status of file transfers. This sample can be extended and customized to help customers and business partners develop web applications for their end users to use when sharing files.

- RESTful interfaces

The WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Web gateway provides a RESTful HTTP API. This RESTful interface can be used to exchanging files between end users and agents, view the status of submitted transfers and to administer the Web Gateway using HTTP requests and responses. This RESTful interface can be used by Web 2.0 applications. The API maps file transfer tasks to RESTful HTTP verbs.

- HTTP POST - Uploads a file or files to a file space, or updates a administrative property of the Web Gateway
- HTTP GET - Retrieves the status of a previous transfer, retrieves a list of files in a file space, downloads a file from a file space, or retrieves information about the current configuration of the Web Gateway
- HTTP DELETE - Delete, and optionally download, a file from a file space or revoke access rights for an end user to the Web Gateway function

Access to these RESTful interfaces is controlled using the access control mechanisms provided by the JEE application server to which the Web Gateway component is deployed. Role based access control can be used to determine which users have access to specific RESTful interface functions using the security mechanisms provided by the JEE server.

- Converting payloads between files and messages

This V7.0.3 update enables file-orientated and message-orientated systems to readily exchange information helping bring together organisation's messaging and file domains. For example, this feature can help modernize an existing solution in stages by enabling file-oriented applications to exchange data with messaging-based applications and services that are part of SOAs.

The new file-to-message feature enables WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition to load data from a file onto a WebSphere MQ queue as a single message, or as multiple messages. The resulting messages can be read and used by MQ-enabled applications just like any other regular WebSphere MQ messages.

This V7.0.3 update provides the following types of file-to-message transfer:

- From a single file to a single message
- From a single file to multiple messages, by splitting the file into messages of a given length

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- From a single file to multiple messages, by splitting a text file at a regular expression delimiter
- From a single file to multiple messages, by splitting a binary file at a hexadecimal delimiter

Correspondingly, this new update also provides conversion from message-to-file. This new feature enables WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition to transfer data from one or more messages that are on a WebSphere MQ queue to a file. Applications that are already MQ-enabled can use this new capability to transfer messages and have these arrive as files on any system within a WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition network.

This V7.0.3 update provides the following types of message-to-file transfer:

- From a single message to a single file
- From multiple messages to a single file
- From multiple messages with the same WebSphere MQ group ID to a single file
- From multiple messages to a single file, including a text or binary delimiter between the data from each message written to the file

This V7.0.3 update extends the existing WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition capability to automatically 'trigger' a file transfer when a condition is met to include queue-based conditions. This can, for example, be used to initiate a message-to-file transfer when a complete group of messages is available on a WebSphere MQ queue. Using this capability to automatically initiate message-to-file transfers provides a way to integrate with existing MQ-based applications without requiring changes to these applications or manual intervention to initiate the transfer of data.

- Enhanced integration with WebSphere Message Broker

WebSphere Message Broker is an ESB built for universal connectivity and transformation in heterogeneous IT environments. It builds on the WebSphere MQ messaging layers with ESB capabilities that add transformation, intelligent routing, and information flow modelling. WebSphere Message Broker offers additional file processing capabilities to enable transformation, mediation, and enrichment specifically designed for file data.

WebSphere Message Broker provides native support for large file processing to simplify processing of large, repeating, complex file records without using excessive storage. Files can be delivered to WebSphere Message Broker using FTP or with reliability by using WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition.

WebSphere Message Broker V7.0.0.1 provides new nodes for exchanging files with WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition called FTEOutput and FTEInput.

- FTEInput node - enables WebSphere Message Broker to receive a file using WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition and then process that file as part of a Message Broker flow
- FTEOutput node - enables WebSphere Message Broker to transfer a file that has been output by a message broker flow to another location in the network using WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition

These new nodes effectively embed WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition agent capabilities into WebSphere Message Broker enabling it to participate direct in Managed File Transfers across a WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition network. These new nodes also enable WebSphere Message Broker to apply its ESB capabilities to files.

- Enhancements to viewing available agents and their status

This V7.0.3 update provides GUI and command-line enhancements to display additional information about the agent processes in a WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition network. This includes the capability to remotely determine the status of agent processes, and remotely determine, for example, whether or not these are currently active.

- Support for additional platforms

  V7.0.3 adds support for the following new hardware and software platforms:

  – IBM AIX running on Power7 hardware
  – Red Hat Enterprise Linux (RHEL) running on Power7 hardware
  – SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) running on Power7 hardware
  – Oracle Solaris 10 running on Intel x86 hardware (System x®)

  Support is also added for the following virtualization platforms:

  – PR/SM™ with z/OS
  – PR/SM with Linux for System z
  – z/VM® with z/OS
  – z/VM with Linux for System z
  – PowerVM™ with AIX
  – VMWare ESX with Microsoft Windows
  – VMWare ESX with Linux for System x

  Defect support is available for the above virtualization environments when used to run a software configuration which is described in the *Specified Operating Environment* section. WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Support is unable to assist in issues related to configuration and setup, or issues that are directly related to the virtualization environment itself.

- Enhancements to the Database Logger component

  This V7.0.3 update allows the component responsible for archiving audit log data to a database (the Database Logger component) to be deployed to a JEE server runtime. This can help simplify administration of the Database Logger component.

  When used in conjunction with the Web Gateway functionality, deploying the Database Logger component to a JEE server can help reduce the complexity of the overall deployment required to build Web 2.0 applications that use REST APIs provided by the Web Gateway component.

- Integration with IBM WebSphere MQ Advanced Message Security

  WebSphere Advanced Message Security expands the industry-standard security provided by WebSphere MQ with end-to-end data protection for your applications. It enables enterprise-wide, remote management of security policies on your MQ network and can be deployed to existing production environments without changes to existing WebSphere MQ applications.

  This V7.0.3 update adds the capability to use WebSphere MQ Advanced Message Security V7.0.1 to provide end-to-end protection for file data as it flows between WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition agents. This can offer an alternative to using SSL-based encryption which is more efficient for transferring file data through complex WebSphere MQ networks, as data is encrypted/decrypted only once per transfer - rather than on each hop through the WebSphere MQ network.

- Automatic start-up of agents on Microsoft Windows

  This V7.0.3 update allows WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition agents to run automatically on the Microsoft Windows Platform when the system starts up. This enhances the availability of WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition on the Microsoft Windows platform.

- SupportPacs

  In addition to the new capabilities provided by this update, IBM SupportPacs extend the capabilities of WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition.

  SupportPac™ FA01 can help govern the Agent infrastructure of WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition. It provides a plug-in to the IBM SOA Repository, WebSphere Service Registry and Repository. Using this plug-in, information about file transfer

agents and queue manager connections can be retrieved from WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition and SOA assets generated to represent these in WebSphere Service Registry & Repository. This can enable administrators to analyse the relationships between agents and the underlying MQ network, and determine the impact to agents of any changes made to the WebSphere MQ configuration. In addition, it enables SOA governance policies to be applied to managed file transfer agents.

The graphical tooling Eclipse plug-ins supplied for the WebSphere MQ Explorer can be installed into the separately downloadable WebSphere MQ Explorer package that is available as SupportPac MS0T.

For details about SupportPacs for WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition, visit

http://ibm.com/webspheremq/support/

Accessibility by people with disabilities

You can request a U.S. Section 508 Voluntary Product Accessibility Template (VPAT) containing details on accessibility compliance at

http://www.ibm.com/able/product_accessibility/index.html

Section 508 of the U.S. Rehabilitation Act

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition V7.0.3 products are capable, as of November 19, 2010, when used in accordance with IBM's associated documentation, of satisfying the applicable requirements of Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act, provided that any assistive technology used with the product properly interoperates with it. You can request a U.S. Section 508 Voluntary Product Accessibility Template (VPAT) from

http://www.ibm.com/able/product_accessibility/index.html

Value Unit-based pricing

Value Unit pricing for eligible IBM System z IBM International Program License Agreement (IPLA) programs enables a lower cost of incremental growth and enterprise aggregation. Each System z IPLA product with Value Unit pricing has a single price per Value Unit and a conversion matrix, called Value Unit Exhibit, for converting from some designated measurement to Value Units. Most commonly, Millions of Service Units (MSUs) is the measurement designated by IBM to be converted to Value Units. Some other measurements are engines or messages. Since MSUs are the most common measurement, that measurement will be used for the remainder of this description.

Value Unit pricing offers price benefits for you. For each System z IPLA program with Value Unit pricing, the quantity of that program needed to satisfy applicable IBM terms and conditions is referred to as the **required license capacity**. Each of the various Value Unit Exhibits stipulate that the larger your required license capacity, the fewer Value Units per MSU you will need. Value Unit Exhibits are uniquely identified by a three digit code and referred to using the nomenclature VUExxx, where xxx is the three digit code.

Subsequent acquisitions of Value Unit priced programs offer additional price benefits. The quantity of each System z IPLA program that you have acquired is referred to as **entitled license capacity**. If you wish to grow your entitled license capacity for a System z IPLA program, the calculation to determine additional needed Value Units is based upon the number of Value Units already acquired.

For each System z IPLA program with Value Unit pricing, you should:

- Determine the required license capacity, in MSUs
- Aggregate the MSUs across the enterprise
- Convert the total MSUs to Value Units, using the applicable Value Unit Exhibit
- Multiply the price per Value Unit by the total number of Value Units to determine the total cost

To simplify conversion from the designated measurement to Value Units or vice-versa, use the Value Unit Converter Tool. For additional information or to obtain a copy of the Value Unit Converter Tool, visit the Value Unit Converter Tool website

http://ibm.com/zseries/swprice/vuctool

Note that Value Units of a given product cannot be exchanged, interchanged, or aggregated with Value Units of another product.

To determine the required license capacity for the System z IPLA program you selected, refer to the Terms and conditions section.

Product positioning

The WebSphere MQ family provides a universal messaging backbone for SOA. It is complemented by skills, services, and offerings from more than 1500 IBM Business Partners and more than 9000 certified developers worldwide.

- WebSphere MQ, the core of application integration, is the reliable, proven messaging backbone for SOA connectivity, as the universal, multipurpose data transport. It connects virtually any commercial IT system, with support for more than 80 platform configurations. WebSphere MQ supports industry-standard Java Message Service (JMS) and offers a choice of APIs. WebSphere MQ interoperates with the JMS messaging services embedded in WebSphere Application Server, extending its reach to non-JEE environments. WebSphere MQ delivers a flexible connectivity solution that can grow incrementally with changing business needs.
- WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition adds file-specific features to the proven WebSphere MQ transport. It provides a managed file transfer solution that enables the movement of files between IT systems with reliability and without the need for programming.
- WebSphere MQ for z/OS exploits the platform-specific capabilities of the IBM System z platform to deliver a messaging powerhouse.
- WebSphere MQ for HP OpenVMS, WebSphere MQ for HP NonStop Server, and WebSphere MQ for z/VSE™ all extend the reach of WebSphere MQ to these specific computing platforms.
- WebSphere MQ Advanced Message Security expands the industry-standard security provided by WebSphere MQ with end-to-end data protection for your applications. It enables enterprise-wide, remote management of security policies on your MQ network and can be deployed to existing production environments without changes to existing WebSphere MQ applications.
- WebSphere MQ Low Latency Messaging extends the WebSphere MQ product family with low-latency, high-throughput delivery. It is optimized for the high-volume, low-latency requirements typical of financial market firms and other industries where speed of data delivery is paramount.
- WebSphere MQ Telemetry extends the universal messaging backbone provided by WebSphere MQ to a wide range of remote sensors, actuators, and telemetry devices. It extends WebSphere MQ so that it can now interconnect intelligent enterprise applications, services, and decision makers with networks of instrumented devices.

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition enables a transport layer for moving files that an ESB can build on with mediation, transformation, and routing services for files.

- WebSphere Message Broker is an ESB built for universal connectivity and transformation in heterogeneous IT environments. It builds on the WebSphere MQ messaging layers with ESB capabilities that add transformation, intelligent routing, and information flow modelling. WebSphere Message Broker offers additional file processing capabilities to enable transformation, mediation, and enrichment specifically designed for file data.

  It provides native support for large file processing to simplify processing of large, repeating, complex file records without using excessive storage. Files can be delivered to WebSphere Message Broker using FTP or with reliability by using WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition.

  - WebSphere Message Broker Starter Edition is an entry-level starting point for deploying an ESB with the ability to grow as the client's business needs increase.
  - WebSphere Message Broker for Remote Adapter Deployment enables deployment of adapters with a compact and efficient runtime at an affordable price.
- WebSphere ESB leverages Web services standards and builds on the embedded messaging in WebSphere Application Server. WebSphere MQ extends the reach of this ESB to non-JEE environments and a broader range of platforms.
- WebSphere DataPower® Integration Appliance XI50 offers an ESB in an appliance form factor. It is a 1U (1.75-in thin) rack-mountable network device capable of transforming between disparate message formats, including binary, legacy, and XML, and providing message routing and security. XI50 delivers client connectivity into the WebSphere MQ backbone.
- WebSphere DataPower B2B Appliance XB60 delivers purpose-built business-to-business (B2B) hardware that provides AS2 and AS3 messaging and trading-partner profile management in a high-performance, demilitarized zone (DMZ)-ready appliance.
- WebSphere Partner Gateway enables trading partner B2B integration. It provides centralized and consolidated B2B trading partner and transaction management to enable and manage process and data integration with trading partners. It supports standards-based transport protocols such as EDIINT AS1, AS2 or AS3, RosettaNet RNIF 1.1 and 2.0, cXML, CIDX Chem eStandards 4.0, ebXML Messaging Service (ebMS) 2.0 to support the connectivity needs of various trading partners, and FIPS 140-2 enablement to be compliant with the FIPS standard.

In addition, the Tivoli® portfolio offers systems management for large-scale WebSphere MQ solutions. Tivoli OMEGAMON® XE for Messaging can help improve the availability and performance of WebSphere MQ solutions. It can identify common problems and automate corrective actions using predefined industry best-practice situations, while monitoring key WebSphere MQ metrics.

Tivoli OMEGAMON XE for Messaging can help improve management of Service Level Agreements (SLAs) by monitoring availability and capacity using real-time and historical data analysis. Out-of-the box capabilities, such as auto-discovery and monitoring of complex WebSphere MQ environments, can improve IT staff productivity and reduce administration costs.

SupportPac product extensions, which enable additional function are available, visit

http://www.ibm.com/webspheremq

Program number

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5655-U80    7.0.3   WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition for z/OS
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5655-U80	5655-U81	WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition for z/OS V7.0.3

Business Partner information

If you are a Direct Reseller - System Reseller acquiring products from IBM, you may link directly to Business Partner information for this announcement. A PartnerWorld® ID and password are required (use IBM ID).

https://www.ibm.com/partnerworld/mem/sla.jsp?num=210-311

Additional information

Consulting and services

Professional Services are available to help you get into production quickly and, if desirable, to assist with planning and growing into full-blown business integration solutions. These services can be provided through our IBM Business Partner community or through IBM Global Services or IBM Software Services for WebSphere consulting teams. More information about these services is available at

http://www.ibm.com/websphere/services

IBM Software Services for WebSphere (SSW)

IBM Software Services for WebSphere (SSW or Lab Services) has the breadth, depth, and reach to manage your services needs. You can leverage the deep technical skills of the IBM lab-based software services team and the business consulting, project management, and infrastructure expertise of the IBM Global Services team. Also, IBM extends its services reach through IBM Business Partners to provide an extensive portfolio of capabilities. Together, they provide the global reach, intellectual capital, industry insight, and technology leadership to support a wide range of critical business needs.

SSW (Lab Services) is adept at building effective teams consisting of your staff and IBM Global Business Services® personnel, or with a global systems integrator of your choice to support the successful deployment of WebSphere Managed File Transfer Edition. Lab Services brings product, technology, and best practices expertise that can make any implementation team more effective. As specialists in WebSphere products, IBM has the collective experience of hundreds of live customer implementations and hundreds of consultants globally to help ensure success.

Lab Services professionals complement the project delivery team by providing deep insight into product technology and architecture as well as linkages back to the software development organization. Its services offerings are tailored to your

individual needs, with services that range from a full outsourced deployment to focused specialist services packages that enable a project team or client to address specific challenges.

Lab Services can also assist with upgrading from earlier versions of WebSphere products. Any migration of applications involves proper planning, estimation, and timed execution. Lab Services can assist by precisely assessing and evaluating your existing infrastructure and support system. Lab Services has extensive, proven experience in successful product migrations.

Lab Services consultants:

- Can help make WebSphere products successful
- Minimize your migration risks. We have harnessed years of field experiences into a migration services program to help successfully migrate applications
- Offer extensive technical skills on WebSphere integration products
- Bring tried-and-true best practices expertise to every engagement.

Packaged and custom service offerings are available, including specific predefined services offerings to get you off to a running start with WebSphere process integration products.

Migration Assessment Services Offering

Do you need to migrate from Axway, Proginet, Metastorm Process Manager for Data (PM4Data), or other vendor offerings to WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition? Engage the experts. Skilled Lab Services consultants can assist in successfully planning migration with the Migration Assessment Services Offering. Lab Services consultants will host a workshop which will assess a current WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition environment and provide guidance on the best approach for migrating. For more details, contact your Lab Services sales representative.

Visit the following websites to learn more about Lab Services capabilities, and how to contact your Lab Services sales specialist for specific information about services offerings for WebSphere products.

To find your Lab Services sales specialist, visit

http://www.ibm.com/WebSphere/developer/services/contacts.html

To learn more about WebSphere Software Services or to contact a Software Services sales specialist, visit

http://www.ibm.com/software/sw-services

IBM Technology Assessment and Consulting Services

IBM Technology Assessment and Consulting Services for WebSphere MQ healthcheck gives you an assessment of your WebSphere MQ environment and recommendations for improvement and to address identified problems or issues. The IBM offering includes:

A requirements workshop to:

- Gather and review your WebSphere MQ business requirements
- Agree on the WebSphere MQ systems and applications to be assessed
- Identify any specific WebSphere MQ problem areas to be assessed
- Document the findings in the Healthcheck Requirements document

A healthcheck assessment to assess your current WebSphere MQ environment, including aspects of WebSphere MQ:

- Product installation and configuration
- Systems

- Networking
- Performance
- Resilience
- Security
- Systems management
- Applications
- Backup and recovery
- Operational procedures
- Recommendations to address identified problems or issues
- Findings and recommendations in the Healthcheck Report

IBM Implementation Services

IBM Implementation Services for WebSphere MQ offers planning and installation services for WebSphere MQ Solutions to ensure that clients' WebSphere MQ commercial messaging environment is quickly up and running. An IBM specialist spends a week or longer (depending on your requirements) working with your technical and programming staff to increase productivity and accelerate implementation of WebSphere MQ licensed software in your business environment.

IBM Planning Services for WebSphere MQ Solutions

IBM Planning Services for WebSphere MQ Solutions is a customizable service designed to help implement a WebSphere MQ Solution within your organization. With this service, you can customize the plan. IBM can create the plan by collecting the necessary business requirements and infrastructure information, or can work with staff to create the WebSphere MQ plan. In addition, IBM Planning Services for WebSphere MQ Solutions assists in designing the system network architecture, developing deployment and application migration plans, and planning for recovery of WebSphere MQ objects and data.

IBM Design Services for WebSphere MQ Applications

IBM Design Services for WebSphere MQ Applications helps produce high- and low-level designs for WebSphere MQ applications, including assistance in modifying or writing applications, to take full advantage of the WebSphere MQ environment. This offering can be customized and may include assistance in evaluating test plans and making sure applications perform effectively.

IBM High Availability Services

IBM High Availability Services for WebSphere MQ is designed to assist clients with an assessment of, and recommendation for, your WebSphere MQ High Availability environment, including WebSphere MQ and WebSphere Message Broker products.

The offering includes:

- An understanding of the client's WebSphere MQ business and high-availability requirements
- An assessment of the client's current WebSphere MQ environment
- Recommendations on implementing a WebSphere MQ high-availability resilient environment to help ensure that the client's WebSphere MQ high-availability requirements are met and messages are delivered and handled promptly

For additional information on these offerings and service capabilities, contact an IBM Global Services representative. For further information, visit

http://www.ibm.com/services

Offering Information

Product information is available via the Offering Information website

http://www.ibm.com/common/ssi

Publications

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition for z/OS

A *Program Directory* (GI13-0530) and *License Information booklet* (GC34-6980) are shipped with this program.

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition

A Quick Start Guide is shipped with this program. No other printed publications are shipped.

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Technical information

Specified operating environment

Hardware requirements

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition for z/OS

Any System z processor, capable of running the required level of operating system, that has enough storage to meet the combined requirements of the programming prerequisites, WebSphere MQ for z/OS, the access methods, and the application programs.

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition

Any hardware that is explicitly compatible and fully capable of running the specified operating system, all the corresponding supporting software, and any associated applications unmodified. Responsibility to provide a statement of full compatibility between machines lies with the original equipment provider (if not IBM).

Software requirements

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition for z/OS

z/OS V1.6, V1.7, V1.8, V1.9, or V1.10
WebSphere MQ for z/OS V7.0, with at least the following fix: PK74350
WebSphere MQ for z/OS V6.0, with at least the following fix: PK67851 (6.0.2.5 MQ Java)

To run the WebSphere MQ Explorer plug-in:

> Linux for System x (32-bit): Red Hat Enterprise Linux (RHEL) V5.0, V5.1, V5.2, and V5.3
> Linux for System x (32-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V10 with Service Pack 1, or later
> Linux for System x (32-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V11
> Linux for System x (64-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V11
> Windows Server 2003 (32-bit) with Service Pack 2 (Standard or Enterprise Edition), or later
> Windows Server 2008 (32-bit) (Standard or Enterprise Edition)
> Windows XP Professional (32-bit) with Service Pack 2, or later
> Windows Vista (32-bit) Business Edition
> Windows Vista (64-bit) Business Edition

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Server platforms:

- AIX V5.3, with TL04 and appropriate firmware
- AIX V6.1
- HP-UX 11i V2 (11.23) on Itanium®
- HP-UX 11i V3 (11.31) on Itanium
- HP-UX 11.11 on PA-RISC
- i5/OS® V5R4
- i5/OS V6R1
- Linux for System x (32-bit): Red Hat Enterprise Linux (RHEL) V5.0, V5.1, V5.2, V5.3, and V5.4
- Linux for System x (32-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V9 with Service Pack 4, or later
- Linux for System x (32-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V10 with Service Pack 1, or later
- Linux for System x (32-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V11
- Linux for System x (64-bit): Red Hat Enterprise Linux (RHEL) V5.3, V5.4
- Linux for System x (64-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V9 with Service Pack 4, or later
- Linux for System x (64-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V10 with Service Pack 1, or later
- Linux for System x (64-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V11
- Linux for System P (64-bit): Red Hat Enterprise Linux (RHEL) V5.0, V5.1, V5.2, V5.3, V5.4
- Linux for System P (64-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V9 with Service Pack 3
- Linux for System P (64-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V10 with Service Pack 2
- Linux for System x (64-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V11
- Linux for System z (64-bit): Red Hat Enterprise Linux (RHEL) V5.0, V5.1, V5.2, V5.3, V5.4
- Linux for System z (64-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V10 with Service Pack 1, or later
- Linux for System z (64-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V11
- Oracle Solaris V10 on SPARC
- Oracle Solaris V10 (32-bit) on x86 (System x)
- Windows Server 2003 (32-bit) Standard or Enterprise Edition, (Service Pack 2, or later)

- Windows Server 2003 RC2 (32-bit) Standard or Enterprise Edition, (Service Pack 1, or later)
- Windows Server 2008 (32-bit) Standard or Enterprise Edition
- Windows Server 2003 (64-bit) Standard or Enterprise Edition, (Service Pack 2, or later)
- Windows Server 2003 RC2 (64-bit) Standard or Enterprise Edition, (Service Pack 1, or later)
- Windows Server 2008 (64-bit) Standard or Enterprise Edition
- Windows Server 2008 RC2 (64-bit) Standard or Enterprise Edition

Client platforms (in addition to the server platforms)

- AIX 5.2 with Maintenance Level 3
- Linux for System x (32-bit): Red Hat Enterprise Linux (RHEL) V4.0 Update 8, or later
- Linux for System x (64-bit): Red Hat Enterprise Linux (RHEL) V4.0 Update 3, or later
- Oracle Solaris V8 (with SunSolve-recommended Patch Cluster level) on SPARC
- Oracle Solaris V9 (with SunSolve-recommended Patch Cluster level) on SPARC
- Microsoft Windows 2000 (32-bit) Server
- Microsoft Windows 2000 (32-bit) Professional
- Microsoft Windows 7 (64-bit) Professional
- Microsoft Windows 7 (64-bit) Ultimate Edition
- Microsoft Windows Vista (32-bit) Business Edition
- Microsoft Windows Vista (64-bit) Business Edition
- Microsoft Windows XP Professional (32-bit) (Service Pack 2, or later)

Databases supported for stand-alone audit log archiving capability:

- AIX 6.1: IBM DB2® V9.5 or Oracle 11g
- AIX 5.3: IBM DB2 V9.1
- Microsoft Windows 2003 (32-bit) Standard or Enterprise Edition: DB2 9.1, DB2 9.5, or Oracle 10.2
- Microsoft Windows XP (32-bit): DB2 9.1, DB2 9.5, or Oracle 10.2
- Linux for System x (32-bit): Red Hat Enterprise Edition Linux (RHEL) V5.3 with DB2 9.5, or Oracle 11 Linux for System z (64-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V10 with Service Pack 1 or later, with Oracle 10.2
- Oracle Solaris V10 on SPARC: Oracle 11g
- z/OS: DB2 8.1, DB2 9.1

Databases and JEE servers supported for JEE audit log archiving capability

- Microsoft Windows XP Professional (32-bit) with SP2, with WebSphere Application Server V7.0.0.11 or later, with DB2 V9.5 or DB2 V9.7
- Linux for System x (32-bit): Red Hat Enterprise Linux (RHEL) V5.2, V5.3, V5.4, with WebSphere Application Server V7.0.0.11 or later, with DB2 V9.5 or DB2 V9.7
- Linux for System x (32-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V10 with Service Pack 1, or later with WebSphere Application Server V7.0.0.11 or later, with DB2 V9.5 or DB2 V9.7
- Linux for System x (32-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V11 with WebSphere Application Server V7.0.0.11 or later, with DB2 V9.5 or DB2 V9.7
- Microsoft Windows XP (32-bit) Professional: with WebSphere Application Server Community Edition V2.1 with DB2 V9.5 or DB2 V9.7
- Linux for System x (32-bit): Red Hat Enterprise Edition Linux (RHEL) V5.3, V5.4, with WebSphere Application Server Community Edition V2.1, with DB2 v9.5 or DB2 V9.7

- Linux for System x (32-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V10 with Service Pack 2 or 3, with WebSphere Application Server Community Edition V2.1, with DB2 v9.5 or DB2 V9.7
- Linux for System x (32-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V11, with WebSphere Application Server Community Edition V2.1, with DB2 v9.5 or DB2 V9.7

To run the Web Gateway capability for monitoring the outcomes of transfers:

- Microsoft Windows XP Professional (32-bit) with SP2, with WebSphere Application Server V7.0.0.11, or later
- Linux for System x (32-bit): Red Hat Enterprise Linux (RHEL) V5.2, V5.3, V5.4, with WebSphere Application Server V7.0.0.11, or later
- Linux for System x (32-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V10 with Service Pack 1, or later with WebSphere Application Server V7.0.0.11, or later
- Linux for System x (32-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V11 with WebSphere Application Server V7.0.0.11, or later
- Microsoft Windows XP (32-bit) Professional: with WebSphere Application Server Community Edition V2.1
- Linux for System x (32-bit): Red Hat Enterprise Edition Linux (RHEL) V5.3, V5.4, with WebSphere Application Server Community Edition V2.1
- Linux for System x (32-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V10 with Service Pack 2 or 3, with WebSphere Application Server Community Edition V2.1
- Linux for System x (32-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V11, with WebSphere Application Server Community Edition V2.1

Note: The Web Gateway capability for monitoring the outcomes of transfers also requires the installation of either the stand-alone audit log archiving or JEE audit log archiving capability. Refer to the preceding sections to determine the hardware and software requirements for these capabilities.

To run the Web Gateway capability for exchanging files between end-users and WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition agents:

- Microsoft Windows XP Professional (32-bit) with SP2, with WebSphere Application Server V7.0.0.11, or later, with DB2 V9.5 or DB2 V9.7
- Linux for System x (32-bit): Red Hat Enterprise Linux (RHEL) V5.2, V5.3, V5.4, with WebSphere Application Server V7.0.0.11, or later, with DB2 V9.5 or DB2 V9.7
- Linux for System x (32-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V10 with Service Pack 1, or later, with WebSphere Application Server V7.0.0.11, or later, with DB2 V9.5 or DB2 V9.7
- Linux for System x (32-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V11 with WebSphere Application Server V7.0.0.11, or later, with DB2 V9.5 or DB2 V9.7
- Microsoft Windows XP (32-bit) Professional: with WebSphere Application Server Community Edition V2.1, with DB2 V9.5 or DB2 V9.7
- Linux for System x (32-bit): Red Hat Enterprise Edition Linux (RHEL) V5.3, V5.4, with WebSphere Application Server Community Edition V2.1, with DB2 V9.5 or DB2 V9.7
- Linux for System x (32-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V10 with Service Pack 2 or 3, with WebSphere Application Server Community Edition V2.1, with DB2 V9.5 or DB2 V9.7
- Linux for System x (32-bit): SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES) V11, with WebSphere Application Server Community Edition V2.1, with DB2 V9.5 or DB2 V9.7

For the most up-to-date list of system requirements please consult the WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition system requirements web page, visit:

http://www.ibm.com/software/integration/wmq/filetransfer/requirements/

The program's specifications and specified operating environment information may be found in documentation accompanying the program, if available, such as a README file, or other information published by IBM, such as an announcement

letter. Documentation and other program content may be supplied only in the English language.

Compatibility

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition V7.0.3 products interoperate with servers and clients from any previous level of WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition.

Planning information

Direct customer support

Direct customer support is provided for WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition by IBM Operational Support Services - SoftwareXcel. This fee service enhances your productivity by providing voice and electronic access into the IBM support organization. IBM Operational Support Services - SoftwareXcel helps answer questions pertaining to usage and suspected software defects for eligible products.

Installation and technical support is provided by Global Services. For more information call 800-IBM-4YOU (426-4968).

For technical support or assistance, contact your IBM representative or visit

   http://www.ibm.com/support

Packaging

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition for z/OS V7.0.3

The package contains:

- WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition for z/OS 3480 tape cartridge (uncompressed)
- Program Directory (GI13-0530)
- License Information booklet (GC34-6980)
- Documentation and Tools DVD (LCD7-1801)
- IPLA booklet (Z125-3301)

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition V7.0.3

The package contains:

- WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition platform-specific server CDs and client CDs
- WebSphere MQ V7.0 CDs
- WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Documentation and Tools DVD
- Quick Start CD
- Printed Quick Start Guide

Security, auditability, and control

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition products use the security and auditability features of the host software. The customer is responsible for evaluation, selection, and implementation of security features, administrative procedures, and appropriate controls in application systems and communication facilities.

Software Services

IBM Software Services has the breadth, depth, and reach to manage your services needs. You can leverage the deep technical skills of our lab-based, software services team and the business consulting, project management, and infrastructure expertise of our IBM Global Services team. Also, we extend our IBM Software Services reach through IBM Business Partners to provide an extensive portfolio of capabilities.

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Product group: Application and Integration Middleware
  Product Identifier Description (PID)
  WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition for z/OS   (5655-U80)
  WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition            (5724-R10)

Product category: Application Connectivity
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Charge metric

Program name	Part number or PID number	Charge metric Value Unit
WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition for z/OS V7.0.3	5655-U80	
WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition V7.0.3	5724-R10	Processor Value Unit Client Device

Processor Value Unit

Processor Value Unit (PVU) is a unit of measure by which the Program can be licensed. The number of PVU entitlements required is based on the processor technology (defined within the PVU Table by Processor Value, Brand, Type and Model Number at http://www.ibm.com/software/lotus/passportadvantage/ pvu_licensing_for_customers.html) and the number of processors made available to the Program. IBM continues to define a processor, for the purpose of PVU-based licensing, to be each processor core on a chip. A dual-core processor chip, for example, has two processor cores.

Licensee can deploy the Program using either Full Capacity licensing or Virtualization Capacity (Sub-Capacity) licensing according to the Passport Advantage Sub-Capacity Licensing Terms (see webpage below). If using Full Capacity licensing, Licensee must obtain PVU entitlements sufficient to cover all activated processor cores[i] in the physical hardware environment made available to or managed by the Program, except for those servers from which the Program has been permanently removed. If using Virtualization Capacity licensing, Licensee must obtain entitlements sufficient

to cover all activated processor cores made available to or managed by the Program, as defined according to the Virtualization Capacity License Counting Rules at

1 An Activated processor core is a processor core that is available for use in a physical or virtual server, regardless of whether the capacity of the processor core can be or is limited through virtualization technologies, operating system commands, BIOS settings, or similar restrictions.

Notes

Some programs may require licenses for the Program AND what is being managed. In that case, the following applies: In addition to the entitlements required for the Program directly, Licensee must obtain PVU entitlements for this Program sufficient to cover the processor cores managed by the Program.

Some programs may be licensed on a managed basis ONLY. In that case, the following applies: Instead of the entitlements required for the Program directly, Licensee must obtain PVU entitlements for this Program sufficient to cover the processor cores managed by the Program.

A few programs on an exception basis may be licensed on a referenced basis. In that case, the following applies: Rather than obtaining entitlements for the activated processor cores available to the Program, Licensee must obtain PVU entitlements for this Program sufficient to cover the environment made available to the Referenced Program as if the Program itself were executing everywhere the Referenced Program was executing, independent of the basis on which the Referenced Program is licensed.

Express® and Workgroup programs may be licensed with maximum use terms. In that case, the following applies: The maximum authorized use terms and conditions for PVU licensed IBM Express and Middleware Programs can be found in the IBM Express and Middleware Licensing Guide.

Client Device

Client Device is the unit of measure by which the Program can be licensed. A Client Device is a single user computing device or special purpose sensor or telemetry device that requests the execution of or receives for execution a set of commands, procedures, or applications from or provides data to another computer system that is typically referred to as a server or is otherwise managed by the server. Multiple Client Devices may share access to a common server. A Client Device may have some processing capability or be programmable to allow a user to do work.

Examples include, but are not limited to actuators, appliances, automated teller machines, automated meter reading, cash registers, disk drives, desktop computers, kiosks, notebook computers, personal digital assistant, point-of-sale terminals, sensors, smart meters, tape drives, and technical workstations.

Licensee must obtain entitlements for every Client Device which runs, provides data to, uses services provided by, or otherwise accesses the Program and for every other computer or server on which the Program is installed.

Web Gateway

This update adds a new web transfer capability enabled component called the Web Gateway which is deployed alongside a suitable, supported JEE Application Server. WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Server licenses are required wherever the Web Gateway component is deployed, regardless of whether other program components are also used on a given machine. This license includes the entitlement to deploy the Extended Transactional Client component of WebSphere MQ, as supplied with the Program.

Entitlements for WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Server are required in order to use the Web Gateway component supplied with the Program. Entitlements for WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Clients are not sufficient to use the Web Gateway. In that case, licenses for WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Server must be acquired.

No product licenses are required in order to connect web applications and web browsers into the Web Gateway.

The z/OS program in this announcement has Value Unit-based pricing.

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Program
Number      Program Name         Value Unit Exhibit

5655-U80    WebSphere MQ File    VUE007
            Transfer Edition
            for z/OS V7.0.3
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Value Unit exhibit VUE007

	MSUs minimum	MSUs maximum	Value Units/MSU
Base	1	3	1
Tier A	4	45	0.45
Tier B	46	175	0.36
Tier C	176	315	0.27
Tier D	316	+	0.2

Value Units for mainframes without MSU ratings:

Hardware	Value Units/machine
MP3000 H30	6
MP3000 H50	8
MP3000 H70	12
ESL models	2

Ordering example

The total number of Value Units is calculated according to the following example.

If your required license capacity is 1,500 MSUs for your selected System z IPLA product, the applicable Value Units would be:

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Translation from MSUs to Value Units

         MSUs    *  Value Units/MSU = Value Units
Base        3    *  1.00            =    3.00
Tier A     42    *   .45            =   18.90
Tier B    130    *   .36            =   46.80
Tier C    140    *   .27            =   37.80
Tier D  1,185    *   .20            =  237.00

Total   1,500                          343.50
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When calculating the total number of Value Units, the sum is to be rounded up to the next integer.

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition for z/OS

Ordering z/OS through the Internet

ShopzSeries provides an easy way to plan and order your z/OS ServerPac or CBPDO. It will analyze your current installation, determine the correct product migration, and present your new configuration based on z/OS. Additional products can also be added to your order (including determination of whether all product requisites are satisfied). ShopzSeries is available in the U.S. and several countries in Europe. In countries where ShopzSeries is not available yet, contact your IBM representative (or IBM Business Partner) to handle your order via the traditional IBM ordering process. For more details and availability, visit the ShopzSeries website at

http://www14.software.ibm.com/webapp/ShopzSeries/ShopzSeries.jsp

Passport Advantage trade up

Below is a list of precursor products for which you must have already acquired a license, in order to be eligible to acquire equivalent licenses using the trade-up part number.

Precursor product	Trade up product	Trade-up part number
WebSphere MQ PVU License and SW S&S 12 Months	WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Processor Value Unit (PVU)	D04XALL
Qualified Competitor Tradeup License and SW S&S 12 Months	WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Processor Value Unit (PVU)	D05DHLL
Qualified Competitor Client Device License and Software S&S 12 Months	WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Client Device	D05DILL
WebSphere MQ for Linux on System z Processor Value Unit (PVU)	WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition for Linux on System z Processor Value Unit (PVU) Trade Up from WebSphere MQ for Linux on System z Processor Value Unit (PVU) License and Software S&S 12 Months	D04XILL
Qualified Competitor Trade-up License and Software S&S 12 Months	WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Linux on System z Processor Value Unit (PVU)	D090PLL
Qualified Competitor Trade-up License and Software S&S 12 Months	WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Linux on System z Client Device	D090QLL

Consult your IBM representative if you have any questions.

Passport Advantage customer: Media pack entitlement details

Customers with active maintenance or subscription for the products listed are entitled to receive the corresponding media pack.

Entitled maintenance offerings description	Part number
WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition V7.0.3	BA0ZHML
WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Processor Value Unit License + Software S&S 12 Months	D0453LL
WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Processor Value Unit Annual Software S&S Renewal	E04VPLL
WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Processor Value Unit Software S&S Reinstatement 12 Months	D0454LL
WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Processor per Day OOCoD Temporary Use Charge	D044ELL

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WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Client      D045FLL
Device License and Software S&S 12 Months

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Client      E04VZLL
Device Annual Software S&S Renewal

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition Client      D045GLL
Device Software S&S Reinstatement 12 Months
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Cross-platform product for use on System z Integrated Facility for Linux (IFL) engines

Order the part numbers that follow when the product is intended to run on the Linux operating system on System z IFL engines. If the product is not intended to run on the Linux operating system on System z IFL engines, order from the other set of part numbers in this announcement. This set of part numbers provides the identical supply and authorization as the other set in this announcement.

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Program name/Description                       Part number

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition             D0451LL
for Linux on System z Processor Value
Unit (PVU) License + Software S&S 12 Months

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition             D0452LL
for Linux on System z Processor Value
Unit (PVU) Software S&S Reinstatement
12 Months

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition             E04VLLL
for Linux on System z Processor Value
Unit (PVU) Annual Software S&S Renewal

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition             D045HLL
for Linux on System z Client Device
License + Software S&S 12 Months

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition             D045ILL
for Linux on System z Client Device
Software S&S Reinstatement 12 Months

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition             E04W0LL
for Linux on System z Client Device
Annual Software S&S Renewal
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Basic license

On/Off Capacity on Demand (CoD)

WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition for z/OS

The product is eligible for On/Off CoD with a temporary use charge calculated based on MSUs per-day usage.

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Program name   WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition for z/OS V7.0.3
Program PID    5655-U80

Entitlement
identifier     Description          License option/Pricing metric

S0151SW        WebSphere MQ File    Basic OTC, Per MSU-day TUC
               Transfer Edition
               for z/OS V7.0.3
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WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition for z/OS

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Translation from MSUs to Value Units

          MSUs      Value Units/MSU
Base       1-3      1.00
Tier A     4-45     0.45
Tier B     46-175   0.36
Tier C     176-315  0.27
Tier D     316+     0.20
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To order, specify the program product number and the appropriate license or charge option. Also, specify the desired distribution medium. To suppress shipment of media, select the license-only option in CFSW.

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Program name: WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition
              for z/OS V7.0.3
Program PID:  5655-U80

Entitlement
identifier            Description                 License option/Pricing metric

S0151SW               WebSphere MQ File Transfer  Basic OTC, per
                       Edition for z/OS V7.0.3     Value Unit

Orderable supply ID   Language                    Distribution medium

S014VNJ               English                     3480 uncompressed
                                                  tape cartridge

S016G9H               English                     3590 Media
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Note: Additional media type selections (3480 compressed, 3490E, 3590, 3592) are offered during Custom Build Offering ordering.

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Subscription and Support PID:  5655-U81

Entitlement
identifier            Description                 License option/Pricing metric

S0151SV               WebSphere MQ File           Basic ASC, per value Unit SW S&S
                      Transfer Edition            No charge, decline SW S&S
                      for z/OS S&S                Per MSU SW S&S registration

Orderable supply ID   Language                    Distribution medium

S0151SS               English                     Hardcopy pub
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http://www.software.ibm.com/ShopzSeries

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- 3590
- 3592

Most products can be ordered in ServerPac and SystemPac the month following their availability on CBPDO. z/OS can be ordered via all three offerings at general availability. Production of software product orders will begin on the planned general availability date.

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Volume orders (IVO)

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Usage restriction

Yes

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Variable charges apply

No

Educational allowance available

Not applicable.

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License Information form number

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Limited warranty

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Volume orders (IVO)

No

Passport Advantage applies

No

Usage restriction

Yes

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Yes

System i Software Maintenance applies

No

Variable charges apply

No

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- The applicable Value Unit Exhibit
- The applicable terms
- Whether your current mainframes are full capacity or sub-capacity

For more information on the Value Unit Exhibit for the System z IPLA program you selected, refer to the Ordering information section.

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Program
number       Program name        Terms

5655-U80     WebSphere MQ File    Execution-based
             Transfer Edition
             for z/OS V7.0.3
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Full-capacity mainframes

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Reference-based: The required license capacity of a System z IPLA program with these terms equals the license capacity of the applicable monthly license charge (MLC) program. This MLC program is called the parent program.

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Sub-capacity eligibility

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- All instances of the OS/390® operating system must be migrated to the z/OS operating systems.
- Any licenses for the OS/390 operating system must be discontinued
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Sub-capacity utilization determination

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Program name/Description     number

WebSphere MQ File Transfer   BA0ZHML
Edition V7.0.3
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Program name: WebSphere MQ File Transfer Edition for z/OS V7.0.3
Program PID:  5655-U80

Entitlement
identifier    Description                License option/Pricing metric

S0151SW       WebSphere MQ File Transfer Basic OTC, per Value Unit
              Edition for z/OS V7.0.3

S0151SW       WebSphere MQ File Transfer Basic OTC, per MSU-day TUC
              Edition for z/OS V7.0.3

Subscription and Support PID: 5655-U81

Entitlement
identifier    Description                License option/Pricing metric

S0151SV       WebSphere MQ File          Basic ASC, per Value Unit SW S&S
              Transfer Edition           No charge, decline SW S&S
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