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Introduction

This document describes the items deployed in the 24.1.0 CAMS Enterprise Update Release.

Enhancements, modifications and system corrections are included and categorized primarily by module.

Those items needing CAMS Manager attention have been noted as such. For detailed information and instructions on functionality additions and changes, refer to the online help files located in the CAMS Enterprise application.

Note that portal updates are <u>not</u> automatically installed on your site and must be applied by your institution.

Important CAMS Manager Actions

Service Broker

It is necessary to re-register the Service Broker assembly required for web service access to CAMS Enterprise if the release contains updates to the Service Broker code.

This release does <u>not</u> contain updated Service Broker Code.

If portals are not on a separate portal server, follow these instructions:

- On the CAMS IIS Server, open an elevated Command Prompt window.
- Change your current directory to the CAMS Enterprise installation directory.
- Change your current directory to CAMSServices\ServiceBroker and run reg.bat.
- Type "Exit" and press enter to close the Command Prompt window.

If portals are on a separate portal server, follow these instructions:

- Copy the CAMSServices\ServiceBroker\ServiceBroker.* and reg.bat files to the portal server's Service Broker folder (replacing the previous version).
- Follow the same steps noted above to register the Service Broker on the portal server.



Portal Files Download

Updated Portal files will be downloaded to your CAMS Enterprise\Portal Updates directory.

This release does *not* contain updated Portal files.

If you do not (or have not yet) customized your portals, follow these instructions:

• Move all files from the CAMS Enterprise\Portal Updates\PortalName\ (Faculty, Student, etc.) to the installation directory for the matching portal. Ensure that you also move files from subfolders to the corresponding subfolder.

If you do customize your portals, follow these instructions:

- Make a backup of your customized portal pages.
- Move all files from the CAMS Enterprise\Portal Updates\PortalName\ (Faculty, Student, etc.) to the installation directory for the matching portal. Ensure that you also move files from subfolders to the corresponding subfolder.
- Apply your customizations to the updated "stock" portal files.

Report SSI Files Download

Updated Report SSI files will be downloaded to your CAMS Enterprise\TRSRptSSI directory.

This release does <u>not</u> contain updated Report SSI files.

If you do not (or have not yet) customized your report SSI files, follow these instructions:

• Copy the updated rptSSIFile.ssi file(s) from the CAMS Enterprise\TRSRptSSI\ to the folder you have configured for report SSI files (SSI, SSI1, SSI2).

If you do customize your report SSI files, follow these instructions:

- Make a backup of your customized report SSI file(s).
- Copy the updated rptFile.ssi file(s) from the CAMS Enterprise\TRSRptSSI\ to the folder you have configured for report SSI files (SSI, SSI1, SSI2).
- Apply your customizations to the updated "stock" report SSI file(s).



Changes Included in This Release:

Financial Aid

- Financial Award Lifetime Limits can now be updated for 2024-2025 and prior Financial Aid years.
- Financial Aid status records can be manually created for students without Financial Aid status records.
- The Dependent Status/Dependency Model discrepancy on the Financial Status Summary page has been resolved.
- The previous degree is now showing correctly on Financial Status pages.
- The totaling and calculation of remaining funds for awards in prioritized packaging has been corrected.
- The Financial Awards page now refreshes when awards are manually added and deleted in Financial Aid > Maintenance.
- The ISIR Comment Code import process has been updated. The complete Comment Code text is imported and no longer truncated at the first occurrence of a comma. The 2024-2025 comment codes can be imported again by navigating to Financial Aid > Setup > Yearly Setup > ISIR CC.

Tools

- The ISIR import process has been updated to check for numeric data on certain fields since some ISIR numeric fields are populated with non-numeric values like "N/A" and blank.
- When the "Set all Active" button on the records tab was pressed, it would also drop and recreate
 the holding table, causing a blank grid on the holding tab for its direct import. This issue has been
 resolved for all award years.
- To support upcoming 2024-2025 COD System changes, we've implemented COD Common Record XML Schema 5.0b. To avoid errors please be sure to run the 5.0b schema, the 2024-2025 academic year and select program year 2025 in the COD export criteria page. Continue to use the Schema 5.0a for 2023-2024 academic year.
- The multiple Financial Aid year selection issue raised during COD Export has been corrected.
- The rounding issue with Origination Fee Percent, Interest Rebate Percent and Program Length has been corrected, and the values are displayed up to three decimal places in COD Export file.
- Improved performance of ISIR Direct Import process.



SQL Objects

Functions

None

Stored Procedures

- CAMS_EDEISIRImportDirectProcess.sql
- CAMS_FinancialLifeTimeMaxUpdate.sql
- CAMS_FinancialLifeTimeMaxUpdateOLD.sql
- CANS_FinancialPriorityPackageAwards.sql
- CAMS_ToolsFinCODExportBuildCODXML.sql
- CAMS_ToolsFinCODExportBuildCODXML5b.sql
- CAMS_ToolsFinCODExportValidateCODData.sql

Tables

- CODResponseAwards
- CODResponseDisbursement
- CODResponseStudent
- FinancialISIRHolding

Triggers

• CAMS_TRG_InsertStudentISIR.sql

Views

None

Reports

None

Report SSI

None

