

INTERPRETATION OF DATA DISTRIBUTION REPORT FIELD NAMES

INTRODUCTION

There are discrepancies in the description of certain fields and tabs between the USPS technical specifications, guides and the Data Distribution Dashboard. All descriptions need to clearly convey the same messages when referring to these fields.

The Informed Visibility program recently standardized terminology for trays and containers in order to align field names in training documents and technical specifications. Therefore, this terminology standardization should be followed.

INTERIM SOLUTION

This document serves as a guide for the correct interpretation of the below fields on the Data Distribution Dashboard reports:

- The field “Handling Units” should be interpreted as “Tray Visibility”.
- The field “Pieces” should be interpreted as “Bundle Visibility” and only on the search page
- The field “Container/Handling Unit” should be interpreted as “Container/Tray”.
- The field “Parent Handling Unit barcode” should be interpreted as “Parent Tray Barcode”.
- The field “Handling Unit List” should be interpreted as “Tray List”

FUTURE SOLUTION

Field name updates will be implemented in the April 2013 Release.

Below are the functional April updates.

1. The *PostalOne!* system will update the search page of the Data Distribution/Informed Visibility Dashboard to change the search criterion “Containers” to “Container Visibility”
2. The *PostalOne!* system will update the search page of the Data Distribution/Informed Visibility Dashboard to change the search criterion “Handling Units” to “Tray Visibility”.
3. The *PostalOne!* system will update the search page of the Informed Visibility Report on the Data Distribution/Informed Visibility Dashboard to change the search criterion “Pieces” to “Bundle Visibility”

Search Criteria

[Change to Tray Visibility](#) [Change to Bundle Visibility](#)

Results Options ¹

Download Online ²

Containers Handling Units Pieces

[Change to Container Visibility](#)

Search By: ID Number: Search With:

Barcode Number ²:

Induction Facility: Event Type:

Full-Service Indicator:

* Start Date: 11/08/2012 * End Date: 11/08/2012 [do not change](#)

Please limit the Date Range to 1 day.

Bundles only

Bundle/Package ID: Mailer ID on the Piece: Bundle Scan Type:

¹ Choose whether to download the results or view the results online, and select whether to include results for at least one of the following: Containers, Handling Units, Pieces.

² IMcb, IMtb, or IMb value.

³ A maximum of 1000 records will be returned for an Online query.

[Change to Container Visibility](#) [Change to Bundle Visibility](#) [Change to Tray Visibility](#)

4. The *PostalOne!* system will update the Appointment Summary Information Report on the Data Distribution/Informed Visibility Dashboard to change the field “Container/Handling Unit” to “Container/Tray”.
5. The *PostalOne!* system will update the Job Summary Information Report on the Data Distribution/Informed Visibility Dashboard to change the field “Container/Handling Unit” to “Container/Tray”.
6. The *PostalOne!* system will update the Piece Visibility Information Report on the Data Distribution/Informed Visibility Dashboard to change the field “Parent Handling Unit barcode” to “Parent Tray Barcode”.

Container Summary Information

Facility:	BARRIGADA	Facility Locale Key:	Z17891	Barcode Type:	Mcb
Barcode:	99M003457490988123BGN	Initial Scan Date:	2012-10-05 01:50:17	Latest Scan Date:	2012-10-05 01:50:17
Full-Service Avail. Date:	2012-10-05				

 [Change to Tray](#)

Handling Unit List

Facility	Facility Locale Key	Barcode Type	Barcode	Initial Scan Date	Full-Service Avail. Date
No data found					