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eAF Release Notes

This document lists and briefly describes the new features and fixed issues included in the release of the electronic application form: *Notice to Applicants* - *Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: Administrative information.*

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| Functionality / use case | Comments |
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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: Notice to Applicants - | This release note 1.23.1.0 is for high priority bug fixes. (No |
| Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1.2: Administrative | change requests are included) |
| information, February 2018, Revision 13. | |

| Id | Description | Comments |
|----------|--|--|
| EAF-2785 | Section 2.5.3 - copy contact button details not copied to second section instead replacing first part. | In the MAA Human & MAA Vet forms – In sections 2.5.2 and 2.5.3; when pressing the button "copy contact details from 2.5.1.a" – if there are multiple sections\addresses present they shall all now be correctly copied into the respective sections. |
| EAF-2786 | Section 4.2 - "Procedure number for MRP/DCP (if applicable)" caused validation errors however it says "if applicable". | In the MAA Human & MAA Vet forms – In sections 4.2; when the user selects the checkbox "Withdrawn (by applicant before authorisation)" The "Procedure number for MRP/DCP" has now been corrected to be an optional field rather than a mandatory field. |
| EAF-2814 | Initial maa eaf form bug - section 4.1.3/4.2. | In the MAA Human form – In sections 4.1.3; If the user selects "Yes" to "Is there another Member State(s) where an authorisation was refused/suspended/revoked by competent authorities for the same product" and then enters any combination of values in section 4.2 (Authorised\Submitted\Refused\Withdrawn (by applicant before authorisation)\Withdrawn (by applicant after authorisation)\Suspended/revoked). The selection shall be retained after saving, closing and reopening the form. |
| EAF-3003 | XML Import Bug | This change is a minor change to the XML import process for correctly importing country codes – there is no visible change in the form. |

| Id | Description | Comments |
|-----------|--|---|
| SD-183493 | UAT_eAF_1.23_Base/active Moiety mandatory | In the MAA Human & MAA Vet forms – In sections 2.6.1; If the active substance is a base without any salt or hydrate, there is no need to provide the base/active moiety again i.e. The base/active moiety fields (including the strength & unit fields) are now optional. |
| SD-184890 | UAT_eAF_1.23_ 2.5.3 section MAA_H - ASMF EU number val error | In the MAA Human form – In sections 2.5.3; when the user selects "Yes" for "Is a Active Substance Master File to be used for the active substance(s)" The field "EU ASMF reference number if available" has been fixed so it is no longer mandatory. |

| Id | Description | Workaround/Comment |
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| SD-35463 | Adobe Reader displaying forms as not being locked down and with red fields. | The applicant/MAH must use Adobe Reader to sign and lock the forms. If the form has been locked using Adobe Acrobat and the receiving regulator views the form using Adobe Reader this issue is experienced. If the regulator views the form using Adobe Acrobat there is no issue. |
| SD-47398 | To allow 'superscript' in Section 2.6.1 - Overage and Quantity/Unit boxes. | To add superscript use the 'symbols' menu (from Insert menu) in word to select the relevant superscript numbers and copy and paste this to the eAF. |
| | When importing xml from v1.20.0.5 or previous version to latest version (1.23.0.0/1.21.0.1/1.22.0.0) additional digits are added to terms selected from controlled terminology. | Always 'trust' the form prior to importing xml from previous forms. |

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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: Notice to Applicants - | This release note is for the 1.23.0.0 release, for the eAF forms. |
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| information, February 2018, Revision 13. | |

| Id | Description | Comments |
|-----------|--|---|
| SD-145156 | NTA changes for All 4 eAF forms. | All changes described in the NTA form specification have been implemented. Please refer to the user guide and Release Notes summary for detailed changes. |
| SD-159756 | In section 2.5.1.b - Add Switzerland (CH) to drop-down countries list. | In section 2.5.1.b - Switzerland has been added to the drop-down country list. |
| SD-165173 | In Section 4.1.2 when completing this section and saving\closing\reopening form. The contents of this section shall remain unchanged. | In Section 4.1.2 – Values are saved after reopen the form. |
| SD-182135 | In All OMS address sections - "Org-modified date' field is required only in xml and should not be visible in pdf. | This issue has now been resolved now by hide the field in the pdf. |
| SD-156002 | In All Address section - format of the email address is not recognized and invalid if the name of the company is more than 9 characters. | Email address can be entered more than 9 characters of company name. |
| SD-184881 | In section 1.6.1 note numbers are not aligned to the text. | In section 1.6.1 – Note numbers are aligned accordingly to NTA change. |
| SD-184876 | In section 1.4 – "Note 1" is missing in the pdf. | In section 1.4 – "Note 1" has been added. |
| SD-186883 | Remove\Hide OMS entry related fields from eAFs where no OMS data exists | In section 2.4.1 - payment section and 2.5.4 section - OMS address search is hidden, only manual entry is allowed in this section. |

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| SD-182135 | In all OMS address sections - "Org-modified date' field is required only in xml and should not be visible in pdf. | In all OMS address sections – "Org-modified date" has been added to schema and this field is not visible in the pdf. |
| EAF-2933 | Section 1.4.2 - "Copy data from above section" tooltip needs to be amended. | Section 1.4.2 - "Copy data from above section" tooltip has been amended. |
| EAF-2939 | In section1.1.1 ,Overlapping of text with outline box after locking | In section 1.1. – Layout issue regarding the text overflowing outside its display area has been fixed. |
| EAF-2943 | In section 2.6.1, one of dropdown of "Quantity/Unit" Highlights as yellow without any validation error in error section "validation error". | In section 2.6.1 – The validation error has been fixed for Quantity/Units fields. |
| EAF-2944 | In section 1.2 - Overlapping of text "Name of MA holder' with textbox while validation. | In section 1.2 - "Name of MAH" field Layout issue has been fixed. |
| EAF-2984 | In section 2.5.1 a - Space is missing between label "Manufacturing facility Telephone" and text box. | In section 2.5.1.a – "Manufacturing facility Telephone" layout issue has been resolved. |

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| SD-183493 | Base/active Moiety – Quantity/units fields should be optional. | For the Base/active Moiety field the associated Quantity/unit is mandatory when an entry is provided in this section, however currently the form validation returns an error when the Base/active Moiety is <u>not</u> provided, Users are advised to ignore this error. |
| SD-35463 | Adobe Reader displaying forms as not being locked down and with red fields. | The applicant/MAH must use Adobe Reader to sign and lock the forms. If the form has been locked using Adobe Acrobat and the receiving regulator views the form using Adobe Reader this issue is experienced. If the regulator views the form using Adobe Acrobat there is no issue. |
| SD-47398 | To allow 'superscript' in Section 2.6.1 - Overage and Quantity/Unit boxes. | To add superscript use the 'symbols' menu (from Insert menu) in word to select the relevant superscript numbers and copy and paste this to the eAF. |
| | When importing xml from v1.20.0.5 or previous version to latest version (1.23.0.0/1.21.0.1/1.22.0.0) additional digits are added to | Always 'trust' the form prior to importing xml from previous forms. |

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| | | terms selected from controlled terminology. | |

Version 1.22.0.1 (Release Date: 16/02/2018)

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| Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: Administrative information, | forms. |
| May 2013, Revision 10.1. | |

Issues fixed for this version

| Id | Description | Comments |
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| EAF-2812 | Section 2.4.1 – proof of payment - LogID/OrgID missing in the within the pdf once saved and reopen. | In section 2.4.1 – Proof of payment - LogID/OrgID is visible after saved and reopen. |
| EAF-2811 | Section 2.6 – "Clone" button - After export the XML from the EUTCT code is missing in substance and excipient sections. | In section 2.6 – when "Clone" button is clicked - EUTCT code is available in substance and excipient sections after export the XML. |
| EAF-2810 | Empty Tag <rdm:org-modifieddate> in eAF MAA should be removed.</rdm:org-modifieddate> | Empty Tag <rdm:org-modifieddate> in eAF MAA has been removed from schema.</rdm:org-modifieddate> |
| EAF-2809 | Missing timestamp in loc-modifiedDate when copy contact details button is clicked in Declaration section, section 2.4 and 2.5. | In sections Declaration, 2.4 and 2.5 – when copy contact details button is clicked – loc-modifiedDate timestamp is available. |

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| SD-35463 | Adobe Reader displaying forms as not being locked down and with red fields | The applicant/MAH must use Adobe Reader to sign and lock the forms. If the form has been locked using Adobe Acrobat and the receiving regulator views the form using Adobe Reader this issue is experienced. If the regulator views the form using Adobe Acrobat there is no issue. |
| SD-47398 | To allow 'superscript' in Section 2.6.1 - Overage and Quantity/Unit boxes. | To add superscript use the 'symbols' menu (from Insert menu) in word to select the relevant superscript numbers and copy and paste this to the eAF. |

Version 1.22.0.0 (Release Date: 15/12/2017)

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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: <i>Notice to Applicants -</i> <i>Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: Administrative information,</i> | This release note is for the 1.21.0.0 release, for the eAF forms. |
| May 2013, Revision 10.1. | |

| Id | Description | Comments |
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| SD-65517 | eAF-OMS integration | All Address sections Address fields has been amended to in line with OMS data. OMS data can be searched now to fill address fields via search button. For all address fields users can now choose to either enter an OMS organisation thus auto populating address fields or they can choose to enter the address details manually. |
| SD-81544 | Section 2.5.3 - Problem with filling intermediate manufacturer's role. | In section 2.5.3 - Active substance – a new free text field has been added to describe "company role". This intentionally does not include a label. |
| SD-124981 | XSD - error - Section 1.1.2 - "Proposed/Agreed common renewal date" field type should be string and not date | Section 1.1.2 - "Proposed/Agreed common renewal date" field type has been changed to string in xsd. |
| SD-115249 | In section 1.3 - formatting issue in Yes radio button | In section 1.3 – "Yes" – formatting issue has been resolved. |
| EAF-2761 | Section 2.2.3.1 - Package size - numbers are not appearing in order | In section 2.2.3.1 - package size (label) field - numbers had been removed when more rows added. |
| EAF-2762 | Section 1.4.2 - "Medicinal product authorised in the Union/Member | In Section 1.4.2 - "Medicinal product authorised in the |

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| | State where the application is made or European" – "Date of authorisation" field should not appear when + button is clicked in subsequent rows. | Union/Member State where the application is made or European" – "Date of authorisation" field is not visible when subsequent rows added. |
| EAF-2764 | The 'Update Lists' Button's tooltip needs to be updated as it incorrectly displays the 'Import XML' tooltip | Validation section – "Update lists" button - tooltip has been amended as "Click to update/reload the control lists". |
| EAF-2767 | Section 2.6.1 – tooltip should be amended in units field to in line "Pharmaceutical form" - Units field | In Section 2.6.1 – "Units" field tooltip has been amended has "Click the arrow button to select unit of measurement for the Pharmaceutical form". |
| EAF-2769 | Section 2.5.3 - Manufacturers active substance - free text field - tool tip should be amended. | In Section 2.5.3 - Manufacturers active substance - free text field - tool tip has been amended as "Click to enter information on active substance related to this manufacturer." |
| EAF-2773 | Section 2.4.1 - Proof of payment - When export and import in the new version, the field proof of payment does not permit select different tax for different countries. Member states field is hidden which is wrong. | Section 2.4.1 - Proof of payment - When export and import in the new version, the field proof of payment allows to select different tax for different countries. |

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| SD-35463 | Adobe Reader displaying forms as not being locked down and with red fields | The applicant/MAH must use Adobe Reader to sign and lock the forms. If the form has been locked using Adobe Acrobat and the receiving regulator views the form using Adobe Reader this issue is experienced. If the regulator views the form using Adobe Acrobat there is no issue. |
| SD-47398 | To allow 'superscript' in Section 2.6.1 - Overage and Quantity/Unit boxes. | To add superscript use the 'symbols' menu (from Insert menu) in word to select the relevant superscript numbers and copy and paste this to the eAF. |
| | When importing xml from v1.20.0.5 or previous version to latest version (1.21.0.1/1.22.0.0) additional digits are added to terms selected from controlled terminology. | Always 'trust' the form prior to importing xml from previous forms. |

Version 1.21.0.1 (Release Date: 30/06/2017)

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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: Notice to Applicants - | This release note is for the 1.21.0.1 hotfix release, for the eAF |
| Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: Administrative information, | forms. |
| May 2013, Revision 10.1. | |

Issues fixed for this version

| Id | Description | Comments |
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| SD-35463 | The form was not retaining the title, first name and surname of the | The form retains data after save and reopen in section 1.1.1 for |
| | PRAC Rapporteur entered in the relevant field in section 1.1.1 when | PRAC Rapporteur. |
| | the form was saved and re-opened. | |

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| SD-35463 | Adobe Reader displaying forms as not being locked down and with red fields | The applicant/MAH must use Adobe Reader to sign and lock the forms. If the form has been locked using Adobe Acrobat and the receiving regulator views the form using Adobe Reader this issue is experienced. If the regulator views the form using Adobe Acrobat there is no issue. |
| SD-47398 | To allow 'superscript' in Section 2.6.1 - Overage and Quantity/Unit boxes. | To add superscript use the 'symbols' menu (from Insert menu) in word to select the relevant superscript numbers and copy and paste this to the eAF. |
| | When importing xml from v1.20.0.3 or previous version to latest version (1.21.0.0/1.20.0.5/1.20.0.4) additional digits are added to terms selected from controlled terminology. | Always 'trust' the form prior to importing xml from previous forms. |

Version 1.21.0.0 (Release Date: 20/06/2017)

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| Functionality / use case | Comments |
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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: <i>Notice to Applicants -</i> <i>Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: Administrative information,</i> <i>May 2013, Revision 10.1.</i> | This release note is for the 1.21.0.0 release, for the eAF forms. |

| Id | Description | Comments |
|----------|---|---|
| SD-82569 | Section 2.6.3 – "Active substance" field label should change to "substance" to in line with NTA form. | In Section 2.6.3 – "Active substance" field label has been changed to "substance". |
| SD-79626 | Section 2.2.3.6/2.2.3.5 – option "NA" should be added to the dropdown list. | In Section 2.2.3.6/2.2.3.5 – option "NA" has been added to the dropdown list. |
| SD-45930 | Section 2.6.1 - Add clone button in Qualitative and quantitative composition – active substance and excipients table. | In section 2.6.1 - Qualitative and quantitative composition – clone button is added in active substance and excipients tables (two clone buttons - inner and outer section of the table). |
| SD-45834 | Section 1 - Numeric value text should be added in strength field. | In Declaration section – "For numeric values, please use the full stop as the decimal separator. i.e. 0.002, rather than 0,002" text has been added in strength field. |
| SD-27733 | Section 1.5.3 - Accelerated Review - the form requires to add the date that the request was accepted by the CHMP | In section 1.5.3 - Accelerated Review – the free text field has been added. |
| SD-27731 | Section 1.3.2, 1.4.2, 1.4.3, 1.4.4, 1.4.7 and 1.6.1 – "unit field" should be added. | In section 1.3.2, 1.4.2, 1.4.3, 1.4.4, 1.4.7 and 1.6.1 – "Unit field" has been added next to "strength" field. |
| SD-27730 | This usability improvement applies to human sections 1.4.2, 1.4.3, 1.4.4 In the second and third boxes, add a button at the top that says 'Copy data from above section'. | In sections 1.4.2, 1.4.3, 1.4.4 – "Copy data from above section' button has been added in second and third boxes to copy data from first box. |

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| SD-27699 | To repeat section 2.2.4.2 for a second (or more) Medical Device | In section 2.2.4.2– Medical device – "+" and "-" buttons has been added to add more than one medical device |
| Sd-97945 | In section 2.5.3 – Annex 5.11 check box is not visible after save and reopen the form. | In section 2.5.3 – Annex 5.11 check box is now visible after save and reopen the form. |
| EAF-2402 | Section 1.3.2, 1.4.2, 1.4.3, 1.4.4, 1.4.7 and 1.6.1 – "Date of authorisation" field is overlapped after form is locked. | In Section 1.3.2, 1.4.2, 1.4.3, 1.4.4, 1.4.7 and 1.6.1 – "Date of authorisation" field overlapped issue is fixed now. |

| ld | Description | Workaround/Comment |
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| SD-35463 | Adobe Reader displaying forms as not being locked down and with red fields | The applicant/MAH must use Adobe Reader to sign and lock the forms. If the form has been locked using Adobe Acrobat and the receiving regulator views the form using Adobe Reader this issue is experienced. If the regulator views the form using Adobe Acrobat there is no issue. |
| SD-47398 | To allow 'superscript' in Section 2.6.1 - Overage and Quantity/Unit boxes. | To add superscript use the 'symbols' menu (from Insert menu) in word to select the relevant superscript numbers and copy and paste this to the eAF. |
| | When importing xml from v1.20.0.3 or previous version to latest version (1.21.0.0/1.20.0.5/1.20.0.4) additional digits are added to terms selected from controlled terminology. | Always 'trust' the form prior to importing xml from previous forms. |

Version 1.20.0.5 (Release Date: 23/02/2017)

Version content

| Functionality / use case | Comments |
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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: Notice to Applicants - | This release note is for the 1.20.0.5 hotfix release, for the eAF |
| Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: Administrative information, | forms. |
| May 2013, Revision 10.1. | |

Issues fixed for this version

| Id | Description | Comments |
|----------|--|---|
| SD-79077 | Incorrect behaviour in section 1.1.1 | In section 1.1 – the details filled in 1.1.1 are imported correctly |
| | When importing xml details from v1.20.0.3, the information | from xml. |
| | regarding Co-Rapporteur is not carried over to the new form. | |

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| SD-35463 | Adobe Reader displaying forms as not being locked down and with red fields | The applicant/MAH must use Adobe Reader to sign and lock the forms. If the form has been locked using Adobe Acrobat and the receiving regulator views the form using Adobe Reader this issue is experienced. If the regulator views the form using Adobe Acrobat there is no issue. |
| SD-47398 | To allow 'superscript' in Section 2.6.1 - Overage and Quantity/Unit boxes. | To add superscript use the 'symbols' menu (from Insert menu) in word to select the relevant superscript numbers and copy and paste this to the eAF. |
| | When importing xml from v1.20.0.3 or previous version to v.1.20.0.4 additional digits are added to terms selected from controlled terminology. | Always 'trust' the form prior to importing xml from previous forms. |

Version 1.20.0.4 (Release Date: 07/02/2017)

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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: <i>Notice to Applicants -</i> <i>Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: Administrative</i> | This release note is for the 1.20.0.4 (previously known as 1.21) technical release, for the eAF forms. |
| information, May 2013, Revision 10.1. | |

| Id | Description | Comments |
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| SD-45896 | Incorrect behaviour in section 1.1.1 When section 1.1.1 is selected and filled with data and if the user goes with option 1.1.2 then - Date of acceptance/confirmation by CHMP: - CAT Rapporteur details are not cleared. | In section 1.1 – the details filled in 1.1.1 are cleared when 1.1.2 or 1.1.3 is selected. |
| SD-27760 | Section 1.1.1 – if we select Annex 3(2)(a) and then select annex(1a) then 3(2)(a)is not unselected same for 3(2)(b) is not unselected when annex(1a) is selected. | In Section 1.1.1 – if Annex $3(2)(a)$ or $3(2)(b)$ is selected and then annex(1a) is selected then values in $3(2)(a) / 3(2)(b)$ is cleared. |
| SD-68395 | Additional "copy contact details from 2.4.2" button should be added in Section 2.4.3 in MAA | In section 2.4.3 – new "copy contact details from 2.4.2" button has been added. |
| SD-60492 | Section 1.2.2: '-' button always removes the first Pharmaceutical form entry no matter which button is clicked | In section 1.2.2 – Pharmaceutical field –the issue has been resolved in remove button to delete corresponding row. |
| SD-60221 | Section 2.6 - It is not possible to select more than two Overages. | In section 2.6 – the issue has been resolved to select more than two overages. |
| SD-45939 | Title, first name and surname are not in line with company and address fields | In Sections – Declaration, 2.4.1, 2.4.2, 2.4.3, 2.4.4, 2.4.5, 2.5.1.a, 2.5.1.b, 2.5.2 and 2.5.3 Title, first name and surname are aligned with company and address fields |

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| SD-45957 | In Section 2.4.1 – "Copy contact details from declaration section" button should copy details from "person authorised" rather than "Applicant part" of Declaration section. | In Section 2.4.1 – the issue has been fixed in "Copy contact details from declaration section" button now copy details from "on behalf of the applicant" rather than "Applicant part" of Declaration section. |
| SD-45923 | Section 2.4.2 – "copy contact details from 2.4.1 section" tool tip is incorrect | Section 2.4.1 – "copy contact details from 2.4.1 section" tool tip is changed to "Click to auto-complete the contact details in section 2.4.2 with those already added in section 2.4.1". |
| SD-45880 | Declaration section – Active substance – If 2 nd active substance is searched however selected button is not pressed, but 'Populate date in sections 2.1.2, 2.2.1 and 2.6.1 is pressed an empty row is created in 2.6.1 for the 2 nd active substance. The 'Ok' button does not clear the row if the 2 nd active substance isn't selected. | Declaration section – Active substance – Ok button clears the 2 nd active substance if it is not selected with value. When 'Populate' button is pressed after 'Ok' the empty row in section 2.6.1 is deleted. |
| SD-45862 | Address Fields in the form, Address Line 2, It may be clearer if the comment were beneath the caption instead of beneath the field. | All address Fields in the form, Address Line 2, the comment is beneath the caption now. |
| SD-45884 | Address Fields in the form – 'European Union' should not displayed in the dropdown list as this is not a country. | All Address Fields in the form – 'European Union' is removed from the drop down list. |
| SD-45935 | Section 2.4.1 - Proof of Payment - Tooltip for this section missing, wording unclear. | Section 2.4.1 - Proof of Payment - Tooltip for 'No' is amended as "If exemptions from fees have been given or an invoice is expected from the NCA, please select No" |
| SD-45916 | Section 1.1.2 and 1.1.3 – CMS - Each time we want to delete a country from the concerned member states list we receive the pop-up "do you want to delete" where we have to click yes or no. This is time consuming. Remove pop up message. | Section 1.1.2 and 1.1.3 – for Concerned Member States (CMS) – pop up message in delete button has been removed. |
| SD-45911 | Section 2.6 - Active Substances are cropped for overages section. | Section 2.6 - Active Substances field width is increased in overages section to display long active substance names. |

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| SD-45890 | When parts of section 2.4.1 are duplicated for multiple MS and "no" is selected for the first MS then the checkbox for Annex 5.1 will not be activated in section 5 even if "yes" is selected for fees for any other MS in section 2.4.1. | In Section 2.4.1 – proof of payment - when "no" is selected in first instances and "yes" is selected in multiple instances then Annex 5.1 is selected in Annex 5 section. |
| SD-45917 | Section 2.5.3 – annex 5.11 check box is not visible when Ph.Eur certificate of suitability is selected. | Section 2.5.3 – annex 5.11 check box is visible for ph.Eur certificate is selected "yes" or "no" and ASMF is selected as "yes" |
| SD-45898 | Section 2.6 - Qualitative and quantitative composition – Quantity/Unit field - When "quantity sufficient" term is selected then quantity and unit fields should be optional | Section 2.6 - Qualitative and quantitative composition – Quantity/Unit field - When "quantity sufficient" term is selected then quantity and unit fields are optional now. |
| SD-58464 | "Add All" and "Add selected" buttons should be reviewed in all relevant sections. | "Add selected" button removed in section 1.1.2 & 1.1.3 – Concerned Member States (CMS) "Add All" button removed in the following sections section 2.3.1, 2.3.2, 2.3.3, 2.3.4 section 2.4.1, 2.4.1 – proof of payment, 2.4.2, 2.4.3, 2.4.4 2.4.5 |
| SD-45873 | Section 2.4.5 - there is no possibility to copy data from section 2.4.3 to 2.4.5 | In section 2.4.5 - new "Copy contact details from 2.4.3 section" button has been implemented. |
| SD-58708 | Copy contact details buttons in all sections needs to review and fix the issue which are not copying all instances | In Section 2 - Copy contact details buttons are now copy's all instances and don't delete the data which is already filled in. For more than one instance it is possible to select which contact details to be copied. Section 2.4.2, 2.4.3, 2.4.4, 2.4.5, 2.5.2, 2.5.3 |
| SD-45863 | In section 1.1.1 "If applicable, PRAC Co- Rapporteur" check box should not be mandatory If "Generic of a centrally Authorised Medicinal Product" is selected then "CHMP Co-Rapporteur" check box should not be mandatory | In section 1.1.1 "If applicable, PRAC Co- Rapporteur" check box is optional now. If "Generic of a centrally Authorised Medicinal Product" is selected then "CHMP Co-Rapporteur" check box is optional now. |
| SD-73800 | Section 2.6.1 When a second strength is added and 'copy data' button is used, only first instance on the active substance is copied. Not all data. | In Section 2.6.1 – 'Copy data' button is working for more than one instance. |

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| EAF-2231 | Section 2.5.3 - For CEP, the field "Name of the manufacturer if different from the above" is mandatory, but should be optional. | Section 2.5.3 - For CEP, the field "Name of the manufacturer if different from the above" is optional now. |
| SD-68660 | After locking the form, some text in section 2.5.3 gets dislocated (Annex 5.8 and 5.22) | Once the form is locked - In Section 2.5.3 – dislocation of Annex 5.8 and 5.22 is fixed now. |
| SD-45864 | Tick box for annex 5.22 should not be mandatory in section 2.5.3 | In Section 2.5.3 – annex 5.22 is optional now. |
| SD-73810 | section 2.2.3.1 - 2nd pack type added, it is not possible to select "N/A" in the closure and administration device in the second instance | In Section 2.2.3.1 – "N/A" is available in the drop down list to select in more than one instance now. |

| Id | Description | Workaround/Comment |
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| SD-35463 | Adobe Reader displaying forms as not being locked down and with red fields | The applicant/MAH must use Adobe Reader to sign and lock the forms. If the form has been locked using Adobe Acrobat and the receiving regulator views the form using Adobe Reader this issue is experienced. If the regulator views the form using Adobe Acrobat there is no issue. |
| SD-47398 | To allow 'superscript' in Section 2.6.1 - Overage and Quantity/Unit boxes. | To add superscript use the 'symbols' menu (from Insert menu) in word to select the relevant superscript numbers and copy and paste this to the eAF. |
| | When importing xml from v1.20.0.3 or previous version to v.1.20.0.4 additional digits are added to terms selected from controlled terminology. | Always 'trust' the form prior to importing xml from previous forms. |

Version 1.20.0.3 (Release Date: 18/10/2016)

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| Functionality / use case | Comments |
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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: Notice to Applicants - | This release note is for the 1.20.0.3 hotfix, for the eAF forms. |
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| information, May 2013, Revision 10.1. | |

Issues fixed for this version

| Id | Description | Comments |
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| SD-27799 | Section 4.2 "Submitted" disappears if form is saved/locked | Section 4.2 is now correctly displayed when section 4.1.1, 4.1.2, 4.1.3 is selected and when the form is opened after a save. |
| SD-27807 | In section 2.5.3 – Is a Active Substance Master File to be used for the active substance(s), applicant part version number field - the tooltip says that 100 characters can be added but in fact it is only 30 | In Section 2.5.3 – "Applicant part number field" now allows 100 characters. |
| SD-42542 | When compiling section 1.1.2 for a RUP, the option of wave number disappears when the changes are saved | In section 1.1.2 for a RUP, the option of wave number displays correctly after save and reopen the form. |
| SD-52718 | More than nine Overages in section 2.6.1 cause hidden overflow and generate multiple empty pages | In Section 2.6.1 - Now we can add more than 9 Overages and it won't hidden overflow and/or generate multiple empty pages |

Known issues

Since it is a hot fix the known issues identified in 1.20.0.1 still remain and therefore not repeated here, so please refer to Version 1.20.0.1 (Release Date: 30/06/2016), see below. In addition there is one more defect identified and mentioned here.

| Id | Description | Workaround/Comment |
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| SD-35463 | Adobe Reader displaying forms as not being locked down and with red fields | The applicant/MAH must use Adobe Reader to sign and lock the forms. If the form has been locked using Adobe Acrobat and the receiving regulator views the form using Adobe Reader this issue is experienced. If the regulator views the form using Adobe Acrobat there is no issue. |

Version 1.20.0.2 (Release Date: 19/08/2016)

Version content

| Functionality / use case | Comments |
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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: Notice to Applicants - | This release note is for the 1.20.0.2 hotfix, for the eAF forms. |
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| information, May 2013, Revision 10.1. | |

Issues fixed for this version

| Id | Description | Comments |
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| SD-35460/ SD-35466/ SD-36435 | Sections 2.2.3.2/3/4, 2.6.1: Decimal separators and commas: The only change should have been not to allow a comma | In Section 2.3.2.2/3/4 and 2.6.1 all numeric fields have been reverted to text fields, and a message explaining to use full stop as decimal separator has been added. |
| SD-40214/ SD-40467 | In section 2.5.3, the field National ASMF reference number: (when applicable and only if EU ASMF reference number is not available) contains a limit of 30 characters | In Section2.5.3, the EU ASMF Reference and the National ASMF Reference have been extended to allow 100 characters, up from 30. |
| SD-42553 | Section 4.1 disappears upon saving/closing/opening the form | Section 4.1 is now correctly displayed when the form is opened after a save. |
| SD-35464 | Sections 2.5.2 and 2.5.3 - manufacturer(s) boxes overflow and stay hidden if more than 4 boxes are added | Section 2.5.2/2.5.3 – manufacturer(s) boxes are now able to add more than 4 boxes which is not hidden and flows to next page. |

Known issues

Since it is a hot fix the known issues identified in 1.20.0.1 still remain and therefore not repeated here, so please refer to Version 1.20.0.1 (Release Date: 30/06/2016), see below. In addition there are two more defects are identified and mentioned here.

| Id | Description | Workaround/Comment |
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| SD-42542 | When compiling section 1.1.2 for a RUP, the option of wave number disappears when the changes are saved | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2211 | Copy contact details 2.5.1.a button functionality not working when we add multiple manufacturer(s) in section 2.5.2 and 2.5.3 | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |

Version 1.20.0.1 (Release Date: 30/06/2016)

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| Functionality / use case | Comments |
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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: Notice to Applicants - | This release note is for the 1.20.0.1 hotfix, for the eAF forms. |
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| information, May 2013, Revision 10.1. | |

Issues fixed for this version

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| | In Section 2.4.1, the proof of payment not expanding sections yes or no correctly. | In Section 2.4.1, the proof of payment sections for yes and no are now correctly displayed when the form is reopened. |
| | In Section 2.6.1 the numeric fields do not allow more than 2 decimal places. | In Section 2.6.1, all numeric fields now support up to eight decimal places. |
| | In proof of payment section the "add all" button was not required. | In section 2.4.1 the "add all" button has been removed since it was no longer required. |

| Id | Description | Workaround/Comment |
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| emea00029681 | The eAFs do not currently allow a user to enable fast web viewing - and are not built/saved with fast web viewing enabled. This is an issue as the eCTD criteria requires that all submitted PDFs are saved with fast web viewing enabled to satisfy a best practice requirement (best practice failures result in a warning but do not | User will see unexpected errors in eCTD technical validation. We are investigating ways in which the fast web viewing within the eAFs could be enabled. This issue does not prevent any forms from being used, as it is a best practice failure only. |

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| | prevent the application from progressing through the application workflow). | |
| | There is a known issue opening eAF forms using reader, when non- traditional or special characters are used (this has been observed when copying from a Word document into the eAF form). These characters might cause reader to request the installation of the Chinese character set pack. This issue is not observed in Adobe Acrobat which will open the file without issue. | Download from the Adobe website the Chinese Language Pack for Adobe Reader, or open the file with Adobe Acrobat. |
| EAF-1654 | section 1.1. of Human form - PRAC Rapporteur and Co-Rap shown as mandatory | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-1729 | Import of form with signatures locks new form | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-1883 | Section 1.1.1 CP, Generic Business Rule Error | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-1893 | Section 2.6.1: it does not make sense to auto populate "min" when using range operator | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-1968 | No Suggestions Provided on typing units next to Quantity in all Forms | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-1962 | Ok Button does not verify the active substance selected or not Clear Button does not clear the data | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-1963 | Incorrect behaviour Radio buttons are not cleared | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-1964 | Incorrect behaviour in section 1.1.1 of Human form | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-1965 | Human form - Section 2.4.1 The radio buttons for Centralised procedure and National procedure including mutual recognition/decentralised procedure are not selectable | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-1966 | Human form Copy button does not copy the contact details Section 2.4.4 & 2.5.1.a | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |

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| EAF-1971 | Unable to export the role data in 2.5.1.2 | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2002 | Tool Tips not in sync with the change made by Jira issue 1673 | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2013 | Section 2.5.3 - Annex 5.11 | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2014 | Section 1.3 for the legal basis cannot be completed and there is a mismatch in Annexes 5.9 and 5.10 | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2034 | Error while copying the data in section 2.4.2 - Human Form | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2035 | Error Message on Clicking Populate data in section 2.1.2, 2.2.1 and 2.6.1 requires a change | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2048 | Copy function in section 2.4.4 does not work as expected | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2054 | member state values are shown as none None and so on after saving the Variation form and opening again | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2086 | CMSs mentioned twice and empty rows showing no CMS are also listed | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2087 | Is it possible to include select and delete all for CMS countries/copy contact details, like for the Variation eAF? | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2104 | Declaration and Signature - When having fix dose combinations it is not possible to select the correct units, e.g. 10 mg and 5 mg. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2105 | For fixe dose combinations: When adding the second strength and want to copy the data for the substances it copies only the data for the first substance. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2107 | Section 2, It is not possible to insert a line into the active substance list, only at the end of the list, but not in between | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2113 | To add information regarding the procedure number and to list the MS in the above mentioned sections. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |

| Id | Description | Workaround/Comment |
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| EAF-2130 | There are buttons to allow copying the information from either 2.4.1 or from declaration section. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2131 | When parts of section 2.4.1 are duplicated for multiple MS and "no" is selected | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2132 | Section 2.4.5, However, there is no possibility to copy data from section 2.4.3 to 2.4.5. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2138 | Section 2.5.2, The free text field is mandatory, if all activities are available in the drop down list it should not be mandatory to fill in this field. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2142 | Section 2 – batch control/testing site, It is possible to add a field, where you can specified the role of the control/testing site like in the section 2 – medicinal product? | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2146 | Section 2.1.3, It is possible to both indicate the ATC code and to check the box that no ATC code has been assigned. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2147 | In Section 1, the EAF-1752 functionality for "Add All" should be made available in section 1.1.3, and in 2.4.1, 2.4.2 and 2.4.3. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2148 | Section 2, Clicking the button once should add the contact details, clicking the button twice should trigger nothing as the contact details are already added. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2154 | Please could new buttons be added for the Member States- Add All, Remove All – for the Pharmaceutical Form and also for Name and Address of MA holder as done earlier in section 1 | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2164 | Section 1, MAH copy button only copies the first entry. Would expect to be able to pick what was copied. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2173 | To have the "N/A" in all drop down lists for all eAFs, to can be selected for special cases (purposes / special cases can be defined in the CL as advised in Q32 of Q&A on eAF). | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2174 | Signature, When one selects the country of the applicant there are "European Union" and "Switzerland". | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |

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| EAF-2186 | Active Substances are cropped for overages of Human, VET & Renewal forms | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2211 | Copy contact details 2.5.1.a button functionality not working when we add multiple manufacturer(s) in section 2.5.2 and 2.5.3 | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |

Additional information

NOTE: On the 23rd October 2015, the change control software used at EMA was changed. All existing entries were migrated and given new reference numbers. The old reference ID's have been kept for continuity and are prefixed with 'emea', the new ID's used with the system all begin 'EAF'. Effective from the 23rd October 2015 the new ID will be used for all new changes raised against eAF forms.

NOTE: To aid clarification of which version of the form is being used, the eAF Version Number is now displayed on the cover sheet for this electronic form.

NOTE: From the beginning of January 2016 the eAF forms became Mandatory and the word version of the forms is no longer accepted.

Version 1.20.0.0 (Release Date: 14/06/2016)

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| Functionality / use case | Comments |
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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: Notice to Applicants - | This release note contains the original release made on the |
| Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: Administrative | 15/04/2016 and also the post UAT fixes that were applied for the |
| information, May 2013, Revision 10.1. | release on the 14/06/2016. |

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| EAF-1673 | Section 2.4.2. The tooltip should express that the address from the first iteration in 2.4.1 can be used only | In section 2.4.2 the tooltip for the "Copy contact details from 2.4.1 section" button to read: "This will only copy the details to the first instance of the address in section 2.4.2" |
| EAF-1752 | The list of MS could be executed by the form if 'all' is selected. Depending from the case, the deletion of a few MS not involved will be quicker than to add MS by MS. New button - select all button to populate all member states field and option to clear them too. | In section 2.3.1, 2.3.2, 2.3.3 and 2.3.4 new buttons (Add All, Remove All) have been added to each section and will add the elements of the drop down list. If the checkboxes for each of these sections is unticked, the concerned member states are removed automatically. |
| EAF-1845 | General usability: Data filled in from the applicants should be coloured darker than the filed names so it will be easier to review. | In all forms, the colour for the locked grey is now darker, and the caption for each field is now made bold to ensure a distinction. |
| EAF-1884 | When MRP, DCP or NP are selected in section 1.1, the section 2.4.1 is not selected (but it works for CP). | In Section 1.1, the selection of the procedures now correctly defines the correct procedure in section 2.4.1. |
| EAF-1895/EAF- 1985 | When MRP, DCP or NP are selected in section 1.1, the section 2.4.1 is not selected (but it works for CP). | In Section 1.1, the selection of the procedures now correctly defines the correct procedure in section 2.4.1. |
| EAF-1896 | in DE we use "," for decimal separator (e.g. quantity) in "EN" we have "." for that. We suggest to restrict all numeric input fields to allow only "." as decimal separator. | In Sections 2.2.3.2/3/4 the duration fields are now numeric, and in section 2.6.1 the Low and High Strength numerator and the 2.6.1 Substance Overage fields are also numeric. |

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| EAF-1924 | 2.5.1.a, 2.5.2, 2.5.3 Manufacturers. Telefax is a mandatory field however neither of other section is needed to fill | In Section 2.5.1a, 2.5.2 and 2.5.3 the telex field has been made non- mandatory. |
| EAF-1928 | Name and address of the applicant "Address 2" (= confusing) – could it be changed to" City" | An additional sub-line has been added below Address Line 2 which reads "(Name of: city, town, village, etc)" |
| EAF-1932 | We frequently submit DCPs/MRPs/RUPs in which several MAHs are included per procedure. This implies that more than 1 qualified person for pharmacovigilance (QPPV) and pharmacovigilance system master file (PSMF) need to be specified in section 2.4.4 of the application form, since every MAH has its own QPPV and own PSMF. It has been noticed that the current electronic application form allows to have more QPPVs per procedure, however, unfortunately there is no option to add additional PSMFs. We therefore would like to ask if it is possible to implement the option to add more PSMFs with the next update of the eAF? | In Section 2.4.2 the addition of a + and – button have been added to all input of multiple pharmacovigilance system master files. NOTE : <i>The MAA HUMAN DES has been changed as part of this request.</i> |
| EAF-1933 | Problem short: XML contains data which is not visible in the form. Why a problem: data from re-used forms or closed sections will be submitted to NCAs/EMA via XML- import. The XML does not know that a section is closed (not visible) Causes: data quality problems Solution: delete all "non-visible" data from the XML. | In all sections, the form removes data from nodes that have been closed after having had data input. |
| EAF-1982/EAF- 1987 | This change was implemented in v.1.19 of the eAF with the 'business rule' if 1.4.1 is selected, then 'claim for new active substance' is mandatory field. Please advise if the 'claim for new active substance' should be optional selection when 1.4.1 is selected? | In Section 1.4.1, the "Claim for new active substance" is no longer mandatory. |
| EAF-1984/EAF- 1988 | With reference to the last couple of emails below from Tatyana, an issue is being encountered with section 3 Scientific Advice of v1.19 of the MAA eAF. | In Section 3.1, it is now possible to have duplicate member states selected. |

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| | Within v1.18 of the form, Tatyana had been able to repeat a Member State where Scientific Advice had been given on multiple dates. However, within v1.19, an error message occurs when you try to select the same member state. This error box repeats many times once you've tried to repeat a member state and now, when you open the form, this same error box pops up a number of times before loading the form. | |
| EAF-1986/EAF- 1977 | The current 2.1.2 section no longer permits the user to add active substances. This prevents the addition of ad- hoc active substances to be added from the excipients lists. This requires the active substances panel to now allow manual adding of substances. | In Section 2.1.2, the active substances panel now allows for additional substances to be selected. The populate data button now no longer removes the +/- and Find buttons in section 2.1.2. |
| EAF-1995 | We noted that an email address of a colleague has been rejected as invalid by the eAF: The address includes the character "'". Obviously the form does not accept all allowed characters. Beyond uppercase and lowercase letters (A–Z, a–z) (ASCII: 65–90, 97–122) and digits 0 to 9 (ASCII: 48–57) and the "." These are also the special characters: $!#$ %&'*+-/=?^_`{ }~ (ASCII: 33, 35–39, 42, 43, 45, 47, 61, 63, 94–96, 123–126) | In Section 3, the Email validation now allows for '!. # & % $ +$. This applies to all email addresses used in the form (it is not limited to section 3). |
| EAF-2026 | The tooltips between the two buttons is not consistent in its message. | In Section 2.4.2 the "Copy contact details from Declaration Section" button tooltip now explains: this will only copy the details to the first instance of the contact details in section 2.4.2. |
| EAF-2037 | No restrictions on adding same MS as seen in Renewal and Variation forms. Users will be able to add same member states. | In Section 2.3.1, 2.3.2, 2.3.3, 2.3.4, the add All button's now correctly assign the member state, and now prevents duplicates from being selected. |
| EAF-2039 | Quantity filed ins section 2.6.1 has more than 2 decimals | In section 2.6.1 the pharmaceutical form quantity field has now been changed from a text field to a decimal field to ensure 2 decimal place |

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| | | support, and usage of the . as a decimal separator. |
| EAF-2041 | Date of Authorization is missing for default but available on clicking + button in section 1.3.2 | In Section 1.3.2, the Date of Authorisation field is now displayed in the first and all subsequent instances. |
| EAF-2042 | Forms not very well formatted as a result of 1845 fix | In all sections, the caption space has been increased to allow for bold text to be displayed when the form is locked. |
| EAF-2043 | Overage and excipient quantity fields still accept "," | In Section 2.6 the overage fields are now decimal fields and will only accept numeric values, and only allow a . as decimal field separator. |
| EAF-2097 | 2.6.1, 2.1.2, 2.2.1 - Active Substances are cropped | In Section 2.6.1, 2.1.2 and 2.2.1, the active substance fields now expand to show the whole active substance name. |
| EAF-2159 | The add all buttons in subsequent sections should only add the RMS and CMS from section 1. | In all sections where appropriate, an "add selected" button will be visible when MRP/DCP is selected. The new button now adds the RMS and CMS identified in section 1. Note: the RMS will be added to the bottom of the member state list, after all selected CMS have been added. |
| EAF-2182 | Update the appearance of all buttons (excluding drop down lists) to have rounded corners with no borders. | In all sections, the look and feel of the buttons in the form has been upgraded to give them soft rounded corners. Drop down lists and selectors have been left with a square. |
| EAF-2183 | All Sections, Footnote links are ineffective and need to be improved. | In all sections, the footnote "i" button has been replaced with a "?" and now the footnote text appears within the context of the section it is in. The footnotes are still included at the bottom of the document for consistency. |
| EAF-2185 | Copy function for pharmacovigilience does not work | In section 2.4.4, the pharmacovigilance 'copy contact details from 2.4.2 section' button now correctly copies the address details. |

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| | There is a known issue opening eAF forms using reader, when non- traditional or special characters are used (this has been observed when copying from a Word document into the eAF form). These characters might cause reader to request the installation of the Chinese character set pack. This issue is not observed in Adobe Acrobat which will open the file without issue. | Download from the Adobe website the Chinese Language Pack for Adobe Reader, or open the file with Adobe Acrobat. |
| EAF-1654 | section 1.1. of Human form - PRAC Rapporteur and Co-Rap shown as mandatory | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-1729 | Import of form with signatures locks new form | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-1883 | Section 1.1.1 CP, Generic Business Rule Error | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-1893 | Section 2.6.1: it does not make sense to auto populate "min" when using range operator | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-1968 | No Suggestions Provided on typing units next to Quantity in all Forms | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-1962 | Ok Button does not verify the active substance selected or not Clear Button does not clear the data | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |

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| EAF-1963 | Incorrect behaviour Radio buttons are not cleared | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-1964 | Incorrect behaviour in section 1.1.1 of Human form | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-1965 | Human form - Section 2.4.1 The radio buttons for Centralised procedure and National procedure including mutual recognition/decentralised procedure are not selectable | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-1966 | Human form Copy button does not copy the contact details Section 2.4.4 & 2.5.1.a | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-1971 | Unable to export the role data in 2.5.1.2 | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2002 | Tool Tips not in sync with the change made by Jira issue 1673 | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2013 | Section 2.5.3 - Annex 5.11 | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2014 | Section 1.3 for the legal basis cannot be completed and there is a mismatch in Annexes 5.9 and 5.10 | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2034 | Error while copying the data in section 2.4.2 - Human Form | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2035 | Error Message on Clicking Populate data in section 2.1.2, 2.2.1 and 2.6.1 requires a change | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2048 | Copy function in section 2.4.4 does not work as expected | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2054 | member state values are shown as none None and so on after saving the Variation form and opening again | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2086 | CMSs mentioned twice and empty rows showing no CMS are also listed | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2087 | Is it possible to include select and delete all for CMS countries/copy contact details, like for the Variation eAF? | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |

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| EAF-2104 | Declaration and Signature - When having fix dose combinations it is not possible to select the correct units, e.g. 10 mg and 5 mg. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2105 | For fixe dose combinations: When adding the second strength and want to copy the data for the substances it copies only the data for the first substance. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2107 | Section 2, It is not possible to insert a line into the active substance list, only at the end of the list, but not in between | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2113 | To add information regarding the procedure number and to list the MS in the above mentioned sections. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2130 | There are buttons to allow copying the information from either 2.4.1 or from declaration section. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2131 | When parts of section 2.4.1 are duplicated for multiple MS and "no" is selected | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2132 | Section 2.4.5, However, there is no possibility to copy data from section 2.4.3 to 2.4.5. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2138 | Section 2.5.2, The free text field is mandatory, if all activities are available in the drop down list it should not be mandatory to fill in this field. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2142 | Section 2 – batch control/testing site, It is possible to add a field, where you can specified the role of the control/testing site like in the section 2 – medicinal product? | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2146 | Section 2.1.3, It is possible to both indicate the ATC code and to check the box that no ATC code has been assigned. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2147 | In Section 1, the EAF-1752 functionality for "Add All" should be made available in section 1.1.3, and in 2.4.1, 2.4.2 and 2.4.3. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2148 | Section 2, Clicking the button once should add the contact details, clicking the button twice should trigger nothing as the contact details are already added. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2154 | Please could new buttons be added for the Member States- Add All, Remove All – for the Pharmaceutical Form and also for Name and | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |

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| | Address of MA holder as done earlier in section 1 | |
| EAF-2164 | Section 1, MAH copy button only copies the first entry. Would expect to be able to pick what was copied. | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2173 | To have the "N/A" in all drop down lists for all eAFs, to can be selected for special cases (purposes / special cases can be defined in the CL as advised in Q32 of Q&A on eAF). | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2174 | Signature, When one selects the country of the applicant there are "European Union" and "Switzerland". | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |
| EAF-2186 | Active Substances are cropped for overages of Human, VET & Renewal forms | Pending review for inclusion in next release. |

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Version 1.19.0.2 (Release Date: 23/02/2016)

Version content

| Functionality / use case | Comments |
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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: Notice to Applicants - | This hotfix release addresses a critical issue. |
| Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: Administrative | |
| information, May 2013, Revision 10.1. | |

Issues fixed for this version

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| EAF-2050 | The cover page for the Human form does not show the | The cover page now correctly reflects the eAF version number, and now |
| | full and complete eAF version number, it only shows 1.19. | shows 1.19.0.2. |
| | Please can it show the full version. | |

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Version content

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| 39303 / EAF- 1895/1985 | When MRP, DCP or NP is selected in section 1.1, the section 2.4.1 is not selected (but it works for CP). | In Section 1.1, the selection of the procedures now correctly defines the correct procedure in section 2.4.1. |
| EAF-1977/1986 | The current 2.1.2 section no longer permits the user to add active substances. This prevents the addition of ad- hoc active substances to be added from the excipients lists. This requires the active substances panel to now allow manual adding of substances. | In Section 2.1.2, the active substances panel now allows for additional substances to be selected. |
| EAF-1982/1987 | This change was implemented in v.1.19 of the eAF with the 'business rule' if 1.4.1 is selected, then 'claim for new active substance' is mandatory field. Please advise if the 'claim for new active substance' should be optional selection when 1.4.1 is selected? | In Section 1.4.1, the "Claim for new active substance" is no longer mandatory. |
| EAF-1984/1988 | An issue is being encountered with section 3 Scientific Advice of v1.19 of the MAA eAF. However, within v1.19, an error message occurs when you try to select the same member state. This error box repeats many times once you've tried to repeat a member state and now, when you open the form, this same error box pops up a number of times before loading the form. | In Section 3.1, it is now possible to have duplicate member states selected. |
| EAF-1998/1999 | The section 2.4.5 is hidden when CP is selected but it is a mandatory section for CP applications. | In Section 2.5.4, the section which was previously displayed only for MRP, DCP and National Procedures is now displayed for all procedure types. |
| | The NTA form introduced a change in the section 1.4 of the application form. Corresponding change has been | In Section 1.4.1, the form has been changed to this. |

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| | implemented in the Initial MAA human form; when Centralised Procedure is selected in section 1.1. and Art. 8(3) application is selected in section 1.4.1 the selection has changed from: <u>New active substance</u> <u>Known active substance</u> – which would be the case for our Extension Application, as we refer to the product already authorised in the EU | 1.4.1 ● Article 8(3) application, (i.e dossier with administrative, quality, pre-clinical and clinical data*) * for extensions of complete applications, cross references can only be made to pre-clinical and clinical data Claim for new active substance** Note: active substance not yet authorised in a medicinal product by a competent authority or by the European Union (for centralised procedure) ** please provide evidence and justification to support the claim of new active substance status in (Annex 5.23) |

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Version content

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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: <i>Notice to Applicants -</i> <i>Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: Administrative</i> | This release fixes various change requests and defects as outlined below. |
| information, May 2013, Revision 10.1. | |

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| emea00038531 | Section 2.2.3.2 - 4 tooltips shows that only 30 chars. are | In section 2.2.3.2, 2.2.3.3 and 2.2.3.4 - characters limit increased to 255 |
| | possible. It is possible to copy-paste more. Boxes overflow. | and it is flowable. |
| emea00038511 | ATC code field is too short to select from the search result list. | ATC code field search results field length is increased |
| emea00038745 | Regarding 2.2.4.4. (Notified Body), the Applicant is requesting that Switzerland be added in the list of countries. Regulatory Affairs have confirmed that legislation allows for a Notified Body to be located in Switzerland (see mail attached) so please ensure this country appears in the list at your earliest convenience. | In section 2.2.4.4. Switzerland has been added to the list. |
| emea00038749 | NTA paper application version 11 update to eAF. | Paper version 11 changes has been be implemented in eAF |
| emea00038744 | Regarding 2.2.4.1. (Manufacturer of the device), it says that for manufacturers outside the EEA, the authorised representative should be added. However the Country drop down list doesn't contain any of the EEA countries so this looks like an issue as EEA countries should also appear. | In Section 2.2.4.1 - country list now displays EU and free trade countries. |
| emea00038850 | Annexes 5.9 and 5.6 won't select in 2.5.1.2 and 2.5.3 in any other than the FIRST box. | In Section 2.5.1, 2.5.2 and 2.5.3, when the checkbox is ticked, Annex 5.6 and 5.9 will be automatically checked. |
| emea00038704 | Section 2.3.5: Annexes 5.10 and 5.11 won't get selected | In Section 2.5.3 - 5.10 and 5.11 when checkboxes ticked, the Sections |
| | in Annex section if ticked in any other than FIRST box | 5.10 and 5.11 checkboxes are now automatically selected. |

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| emea00038629 | 2.6.1 - When the whole substance box is multiplied then the overages box show only the first one. When there's rows, the overages show correctly. | In section 2.6.1 - The overages will allow multiple active substance and excipients to be selected. |
| emea00026582 | 2.4 marketing authorisation holder : CMDv has received advice (attachment) from the European Commission that there can only be one (1) MAH for one VMP as a result of a single procedure. Therefore it is misleading to allow for multiple entries which currently is the case. | In Section 1, when centralised procedure is selected, the section 2,4,1 centralised procedure will be selected. If other procedures selected in section 1.1 section then in Section 2,4,1 the corresponding National, MRP, or DCP will be selected. |
| emea00036811 | The strength is not controlled vocabulary. It is currently just free text field. | In Section 2.1.2 and 2.6.1. The strength field has been split into two fields in the declaration section: a free text field and a unit dropdown field. |
| emea00022291 | 2.5.3 Manufacturer(s) of the active substance(s) and site(s) of manufacture: information form DECLARATION AND SIGNATURE section should be copied via "update" button like in section 2.2 | In Section 2.5.3. New button has been implemented - "copy contact details from declaration section". It will only appear for manufacturer section and not for the admin address section. |
| emea00037324 | When populating fields with Member State information it is possible to assign the same Member State several times within one section. This does not make sense. Consider to include a rule which impedes this. Auto populate values from section 1 | In Sections: 1.1.2, 1.1.3, 1.4.2, 1.4.3, 2.3.2, 2.3.3, 2.3.4, 2.3.5, 2.4.1, 2.4.2, 2.4.3, 2.4.4, 3.1, It is no longer possible to enter the same member state in CMS section, if so an error message will be displayed. |
| emea00037347 | section 2.4.5 centralised procedure hide this section | In Section 2.4.5 – The title will be visible and the content of the section will be hidden when Section 1 centralised procedure is selected. |
| emea00036815 | Section 4.1 – when centralised procedure is selected this section is not mandatory. Hide this field. | In Section 4.1 The title will be visible and content of this section will be hidden when in Section 1 centralised procedure is selected. |
| emea00038328 | 2.4.1 - Billing address - new populate button to copy address from above address details | In section 2.4.1 - billing address - new populate button to copy address from above address details |
| emea00038341 | 2.4.2 – would it be possible to have 2 different populate buttons, one as it is 'copy contact details from 2.4.1' and one 'copy contact details from declaration section'. In my particular test case it was always the different section where I wanted to copy from. This would also help to align how the address is given, in both declaration section and 2.4.2 the address was given differently even it was the same address | In Section 2.4.2 and 2.4.3 - New populate button in to copy contact details from declaration section. |
| emea00038342 | 2.4.4 – button called, copy address details from 2.4.2 and also for the PhV system MF field, could have a copy from | In Section 2.4.4 – New Button added to copy address details from 2.4.2 has been added to the PhV system MF field section. |

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| | 2.4.2 | |
| emea00036813 | To populate automatically information in section 1.6 based on the type of application in section 1.4 | In Section 1.6 The check box will automatically be selected if Section 1.4 – the generic, hybrid, similar biological application and Article 16a Traditional use registration for herbal medicinal product are selected. |
| emea00038340 | 2.2.4 be made visible only if the product has medical device | In Section 2.2.4 – A New Check box has been implemented next to 2.2.4 title with the label "yes". If the new checkbox is selected, Sections 2.2.4.1 to Section 2.2.4.4 will appear. otherwise they will remain hidden. |
| emea00037338 | user option to start or skip validation | Validation is required in the form. |
| emea00037438 | Add warning note to confirm deletion of repeated section | All delete buttons in all sections now pop up with a message: "Do you want to delete this repeatable section". If the user selects yes the row/section is deleted, if they select cancel it is not deleted. |
| emea00038395 | For every hyperlink to a footnote there should be a hyperlink back to the originating location | In the footnote section, each footnote when selected will return the corresponding section. |
| emea00035779 | Admin and/or manufacturing address to be shown only if 'YES' is selected | In Section 2.5 All Manufacturer address fields are now hidden at first, and it will only be made be visible when the user selects yes to the "do you have admin address and manufacturer address" question. |
| emea00035630 | section 2.5.3 group until brief description with plus and minus buttons | In Section 2.5.3 – The section has been changed to allow for brief descriptions to be added using control buttons. |
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| emea00039143 | When applicant fills in 2 pharmaceutical forms, a tablet with one active substance, and granules with two active substances, the function Populate data doesn't work properly for section 2.1.2 as it carries across only 2 substances. | In the Declaration page, when the "Populate data in Sections 2.1.2, 2.2.1 and 2.4.1 button is clicked it now populates the Section 2.1.2 "Name of Active Substances" list. In Section 2.1.2 the find, add and remove buttons have been removed. |
| emea00038570 | Section "Person authorised for communication*, on behalf of the Applicant" the tooltip for populating details from | In Section "Person Authorised for Communication" the tool tip has been corrected, and in Section 2.6.1 the free text field has had the tooltip |

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| | previous section is incorrectly referring to sections 2.4.1 and 2 and the free text field for description of the active substance in section 2.6.1 incorrectly refers to "excipients" | corrected. |
| emea00039244 | In the declaration section there is a full stop between paragraphs, as shown: It is hereby confirmed that all existing data which are relevant to the quality, safety and efficacy of the medicinal product have been supplied in the dossier, as appropriate and that such data are not subject to regulatory data exclusivity in the Union. It is hereby confirmed that fees will be paid/have been paid according to the national/European Union rules**. On behalf of the applicant This will need to be removed. | In the Declaration section, the paragraph that begins "It is hereby confirmed" the additional period has been removed. |
| emea00039224 | In Section 2.4.3 need to remove hardcoded "Switzerland" and replace with web services | In Section 2.4.3 the country dropdown component has been replaced and now uses the EU and Free Trade Countries dropdown. |
| emea00039250 | Marketing authorisation number field does not display all the text. | In Section 1.4.2. All Marketing Authorisation Number fields now display the complete field across multiple lines. |
| emea00039254 | Section 2.4.4 – paper form doesn't ask for telephone/email | In Section 2.4.4. the telephone number, fax number and email address have been removed, as they are not present on the paper form. |
| emea00039143 | Section 2.1.2 doesn't populate correctly when there's 2 pharmaceutical forms and 3 (and more) substances | In the Declaration and Signature section, all active substances now update the relevant sections. Section 2.1.2 is now populates with a unique list of active ingredient, sorted alphabetically. In Section 2.2.1, the products and active ingredient reflect those input in the Declaration section. |
| emea00039253 | 2.4.1 – company name = applicant in declaration section – field is not copied when copy contact details button is clicked | In Section 2.4.1, when the "Copy Contact Details from Declaration Section" button is pressed the company name is now populated with the Applicant details from the Declaration Section. |
| emea00039227 | You can select different units when selecting the range operator this could lead to regulatory questions and import failures | In Section 2.6.1. The Quantity/Unit field has been changed when selecting a range. Now, whatever the principle unit selected in the "From" group, is repeated automatically in the "To" group. |
| emea00039307 / EAF-1899 | Section 2.2.3, under "For each container give:", the dropdown lists for "container", "closure" and "administration device" contain "N/A" twice. | In Section 2.2.3, the three drop down lists: Container, Closure and Administration Device now only contain a single instance of N/A. |

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| emea00039369 / EAF-1918 | I have reviewed the forms and under 2.2.3 for the MAA_human form noted that there is a duplication of NA under the "Administration Device". | In Section 2.2.3, the three drop down lists: Container, Closure and Administration Device now only contain a single instance of N/A. |
| emea00039360 / EAF-1913 | The field "Units" (following "strength") offers a picklist but single symbol can be entered manually that is not checked against the CV | In Section 2, the unit's field no longer allows users to type characters into the field. |
| emea00039362 / EAF-1914 | In Section 2 or 3, the field "Units" should be mandatory since "strength" is mandatory, too | In Section 2, the unit's field is now mandatory, and is highlighted when the validation button is pressed. |
| emea00039425 / EAF-1929 | The handling of the title-field is inconsistent. It is mandatory everywhere but in 2.4.2 and 2.4.4. | In Section 2.4.2 and 2.4.4, the title field has been made mandatory. |
| emea00039448 / EAF-1936 | the text. Do you have admin address and manufacturer address? Yes No. The text should be reverse. | In Section 2.5.1, the wording of the question has been changed to read: Do you have a separate admin and manufacturer address? |
| emea00039468 / EAF-1951 | eAF version from June 2014, paper version June 2015 (http://ec.europa.eu/health/documents/eudralex/vol- 2/index_en.htm) | The cover sheet on all four eAF forms have been updated to be consistent with the current versions of the eAF paper forms. |
| emea00039500 / EAF-1960 | The page numbers are missing on section 2.6 when the format of the page changes from portrait to landscape. For the renewal form, it is on section 3. | In Section 2.6 the page number is now displayed on the page. |
| EAF-1970 | Copy contact details from 2.5.1a does not copy the data. copy contact details from declaration section does not copy the data | In Section 2.5.3, the buttons: copy from section 2.5.1a and copy from declaration section now behave as expected. |

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NOTE: To aid clarification of which version of the form is being used, the eAF Version Number is now displayed on the cover sheet for this electronic form.

Version 1.18.0.0 (Release Date: 07/07/2015)

Version content

| Functionality / use case | Comments |
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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: Notice to Applicants - | This release fixes various change requests and defects as outlined |
| Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: Administrative | below. |
| information, May 2013, Revision 10.1. | |

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| emea00036814 | Section - 1.6.5 - HAS THIS APPLICATION BEEN SUBJECT TO PIP COMPLIANCE VERIFICATION? Not Applicable tick box option should be added. | In 1.6.5 section – "Not applicable" tick box option has been added |
| emea00037580 | Section 2.5.2 - cannot differentiate between the manufacturer of the powder and diluent. | In Section 2.5.2 - Free text field has be added at the beginning of the section to describe the partial product. e.g vial with solvent, vial with powder, solvents" |
| emea00037513 | Section 2.2.3 - The sub numbering "2.2.3.1" is missing | In Section 2.5.3 - the sub numbering "2.2.3.1" has been added. |
| emea00037336 | Populate button should be added in sections 2.4.3 and 2.4.1 | In Section 2.4.2 and 2.4.3 - "Copy contact details from 2.4.1 section" button has been implemented. |
| emea00037111 | In Section 2.2.3 - Container, Closure and Administrative list returning same data set for dropdown where different dataset is required. | In Section 2.2.3 - Individual data set is now returned in Container, Closure and Administrative device dropdown list. |
| emea00037329 | In Section 2.5.2 - "Enter EudraGMP Manufacturing Authorisation reference" field gives validation error appears after close and reopen the form | Resolved the validation error in 2.5.2 section which appears after close and reopen the form. |
| emea00037349 | Several addresses need to be entered multiple times. Would it be possible that the first address in the | In Declaration section – "Copy contact details from previous section" button has been implemented. |
| | Declaration section can be used to be populated at the | In 2.4.1 section - Copy contact details from declaration section" button |

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| | next section | has been implemented. |
| emea00034829 | In Section 1.4 and 1.6.1 not possible to show the connection between the product strength and authorisation number. | In Section 1.4.2, 1.4.3, 1.4.4 and 1.6.1 - strength, ma holder, ma numbers date of authorisation has been implemented in a tabular format to relate between product strength and authorisation number. |
| emea00037448 | Section 2.5.2 and 2.5.3 - it is not possible to include different company names in this section when there are different company names in the administration office (DMF holder) and the manufacturing address. It should be possible to add different company names. And it should be able to repeat manufacturer address (one admin address with many manufacturer address) | In section 2.5.2 and 2.5.3 – Company name has been added to admin and manufacturer address. Manufacturer address has been implemented with +/- buttons to repeat section. |
| emea00037581 | 2.5.1.2, 2.5.2 and 2.5.3 - Guidance on how to complete the section should be added. | In Section 2.5.1.2, 2.5.2, 2.5.3 – the below note has been added. "note: please see the `Compilation of Union Procedures on Inspections and Exchange of Information' document, (see pages - Interpretation of the Union Format for Manufacturer/Importer Authorisation): <u>http://www.ema.europa.eu/docs/en_GB/</u> document_library/Regulatory_and_procedural_guideline/2009/10/WC5000 04706.pdf" |
| emea00037471 | In Section 2.6.1 - Add free text field to add description of active substances. | In Section 2.6.1 - new free text field has been added to provide description of active substance field with repeatable +/- buttons. |
| emea00037330 | In Section 2.5 – add "populate button " to repeat the same addresses in this section. | "Populate contact details in 2.5.2 and 2.5.3" button has been added in 2.5.1 section. |
| emea00037986 | Admin and Manufacturer address tooltip needs to be amended. | All Admin and Manufacturer address in the form has been updated with corresponding tooltips. |
| emea00037456 | Copy button for section 2.6.1 for repeatable active substances and excipients should be added. | In Section 2.6.1 – when active substances and excipients section repeated for different strengths then "copy data" button will appear to click. |
| emea00037319 | In Declaration section - It is not clear why the field 'Active Substance(s)' is provided as a grey shaded field when it is not possible to insert text directly in that field. It was only | In Declaration section – grey active substance field is hidden and it will appear when active substance searched and added into the field. |

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| | possible to add information on an Active Substance by clicking on - add active substance. | |
| emea00037517 | Section 2.4.1 - tooltip needs to be updated for payment section | In Section 2.4.1 – Tooltips has been amended in the payment section. |
| emea00037346 | Auto populate from Declaration section as separate fields for each of the substances in Section 2.1.2 | 2.1.2 Section is now auto populated data form declaration section by clicking "populate" button in declaration section. |
| emea00037775 | Section 2.4.1 –payment section - it is only possible to select either "yes" or "no" for the Proof of payment. We often have a situation when we submit the application for several countries and some require the payment in advance and some do not. | In Section 2.4.1 – proof pf payment section – now it is possible to select both "yes" and "no" option by repeating the section. |
| emea00037437 | In Section 1.1 - did not reject RMS also included as CMS. If a country is chosen as a Reference Member State it should not be possible to select same member state as a Concerned Member State. | In Section 1.1 - term "None" has be added in the concerned member states dropdown field, and if CMS is selected same as RMS then error message will pop up as below. "CMS should not be same as RMS. If there is no CMS is involved then please select 'None' from the list ", |
| emea00037875 | In Section 2.6.1 – Excipient/overage field is blank and cannot be populated | Resolved the defect in section 2.6.1 where excipient/overage field not displaying data. |
| emea00038310 | Tooltip needs to be updated - For 2.4.4 'Summary of the applicant pharmacovigilance system' - number field | Resolved the defect in "section 2.4.4 - Number field" – Tooltip has been amended |
| emea00038337 | Section 2.2.1 not all strengths have been populated from Declaration section, only first 2 are visible in the 2.2.1 | Resolved the defect in "Section 2.2.1 – strength field" – where all values were not populated from declaration section. |
| emea00038327 | Active substance in 2.1.2 and 2.5.3 - note should be added to mention that it is populating from declaration section | Resolved the defect in "Section 2.1.2 and 2.5.3 – active substance field" – note "The value of the active substances field has been populated from Declaration section" has been added. |

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| emea00029681 | The eAFs do not currently allow a user to enable fast web viewing - and are not built/saved with fast web viewing enabled. This is an issue as the eCTD criteria requires that all submitted PDFs are saved with fast web viewing enabled to satisfy a best practice requirement (best practice failures result in a warning but do not prevent the application from progressing through the application workflow). | User will see unexpected errors in eCTD technical validation. We are investigating ways in which the fast web viewing within the eAFs could be enabled. This issue does not prevent any forms from being used, as it is a best practice failure only. |

Additional information

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| emea00036835 | eAF takes long time to open pdf even after the form is locked. | Resolved this defect – Now eAF takes lesser time to open pdf after it is locked. |
| emea00036262 | Section 2.6.3 - after validated/saved the "Date of Submission" field is highlighted yellow and gives validation error when reopens. | Resolved defect in Section 2.6.3 – after validated/saved there won't be any validation error for "Date of Submission" field when reopens. |
| emea00035944 | When previous version of xml imported into latest version of eAF, there is error message says you are using old version. | Resolved this defect - When previous version of xml imported into latest version of eAF, there will be no error message box. |
| emea00035908 | section 2.2.1 - superscript format is not working after populated data from Declaration Section | As superscript format is not copied across the other sections in pdf due to limited functionality in pdf, the below tooltip has been updated in the strength fields "Insert details regarding strength in the free text field. (Please enter strengths in separate fields if the composition is different for different strengths. And please insert superscripts and subscripts as symbols to maintain formatting)." |
| emea00035819 | Section 2.2.3 - It is not possible to add additional rows in Section 2.2.3 for 'proposed storage conditions' | Section 2.2.3 – Resolved issue to add additional rows for "proposed storage conditions". |
| emea00035818 | Populate data' button in 'Declaration' section which leaves | Declaration Section – resolved issue in populate button which leaves |

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| | section 2.2.1 unpopulated | section 2.2.1 unpopulated. |
| emea00035643 | Section 2.6 – free text field should be changed into 1 millilitre or 1 litre or 1 drop (no valid selection), all solid forms will be 1 piece, all powders can be 1 gram or kilogram, and a gas may have litre or kilogram. | Section 2.6 free text field has been changed into 3 fields 1. Free text field to enter only numbers. 2. Dropdown field to select Units of Measurement. 3. Dropdown field to select Pharmaceutical form. |
| emea00035620 | Section 1.4.2: Article 10(1) generic application – Strength field needs to be repeatable. | Section 1.4.2 – "Strength" field is now repeatable with +/- buttons. |
| emea00035618 | All of the drop down/selectable fields in eAF from EUTCT should allow to see Provisional terms. | Provisional terms of drop down/selectable fields in eAF from EUTCT are available now. |
| emea00035619 | In Declaration section - add multiple strengths for same active substance. | Declaration Section – "Strength" field is now repeatable with +/- buttons. |
| emea00035605 | Section 4.1 - yes/no check box has no option to be left blank. | Section 4.1 - "not applicable" option has been implemented. |
| emea00035196 | Section 2.6.1 - quantity/unit section in excipients - validation error. | Section 2.6.1 - quantity/unit section in excipients table has been implemented same as active substance table. |
| emea00034825 | Section 2.6.1 – Excipients - it seems still not be possible to divide the composition into tablet core, coating 1, coating 2 or capsule content and capsule composition. | In Section 2.6.1 – Excipients - free text field has been added in to specify coating. |
| emea00034822 | Address fields are different format in different sections | Declaration section - address field section has been changed to common format. Section 2.4.4 – Pharmacovigilance system master file - address field section has been changed to common format. |
| emea00034738 | Specific list of manufacturing functions list to be displayed as a drop-down lists in Manufacturers section. | 2.5.1.2 - new dropdown list field has been implemented in "Brief description of control tests carried out by the laboratory(ies) concerned". 2.5.2 - new dropdown list field has been implemented in "Brief description of functions performed". 2.5.3 - new dropdown list field has been implemented in "Brief description of manufacturing steps performed by manufacturing site". When Centralised procedure selected in Section 1 – Only drop |

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| | | down field will be visible & mandatory, free text field will not be visible. When other procedures selected in Section 1– both free text field and drop down field will be visible and either one is mandatory |
| emea00033201 | Section 2.2 - Container, material and closure needs to be repeatable. | Section 2.2 - Container, material and closure fields are now grouped and repeatable with +/- buttons. |
| emea00032941 | In Section 2.2.3 - User should be able to select N/A from Container, Closure and Administration Device drop down lists. | In Section 2.2.3 – N/A option has been implemented in the drop down list for Container, Closure and Administration Device. |
| emea00030754 | Section 1.4.3: Article 10(3) hybrid application – Strength field needs to be repeatable. | Section 1.4.3 – "Strength" field is now repeatable with +/- buttons |
| emea00027113 | Repeated fields are not removed in a user friendly manner. | 1.4.2, 1.4.3 1.4.4 and 1.6.1 sections have been amended with +/- buttons in relevant fields. |
| emea00022342 | 2.5.1.1 - Should there be a company field for this section as well in case the organisation is different from MAH. | In Section 2.5.1.1 – "Company name" field has been added. |
| emea00037524 | In Proposed shelf life - dropdown list - N/A should be added. | In Section 2.2.3 – proposed shelf life – "N/A" has been added to standard time unit's dropdown list. |
| emea00037531 | ATC code search field tooltip needs to be updated. | In Section 2 – ATC code field tool tip has been updated. |
| emea00037334 | Section 2.6 Qualitative and quantitative first row tool tip. | In Section 2.6 – Qualitative and quantitative – quantity free text field tooltip has been updated. |
| emea00035561 | eAF takes longer time to load and open. | The performance issue has been resolved which was slow to load and open eAFs. "Update list" button has been added in the validation section to reload the EUTCT list if needed. |
| emea00037528 | In Human and VET - section 1.1 - proposed common renewal date field should allow both text and date in this field, And tool tip needs to be updated. | In Section 1.1 - The proposed common renewal date field now allows to enter text or date. |
| emea00037512 | Section 2.4.5 - Name of contact person missing. | In Section 2.4.5 – "Name of contact person" label has been added. |

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| emea00029681 | The eAFs do not currently allow a user to enable fast web viewing - and are not built/saved with fast web viewing enabled. This is an issue as the eCTD criteria requires that all submitted PDFs are saved with fast web viewing enabled to satisfy a best practice requirement (best practice failures result in a warning but do not prevent the application from progressing through the application workflow). | User will see unexpected errors in eCTD technical validation. We are investigating ways in which the fast web viewing within the eAFs could be enabled. This issue does not prevent any forms from being used, as it is a best practice failure only. |

Additional information

Version 1.16.0.1 (Release Date: 02/10/2014)

Version content

| Functionality / use case | Comments |
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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: <i>Notice to Applicants -</i> | This hotfix release addresses a critical issue. |
| Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: Administrative information, May 2013, Revision 10.1. | |

Issues fixed for this version

| id | Description | Comments |
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| emea00035755 | In 1.16.0.0 forms - there is a space at the beginning of the version number in the XML which is causing an error message while export. | Resolved this issue in version number – space has been removed. |

Known issues

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| emea00029681 | The eAFs do not currently allow a user to enable fast web viewing - and are not built/saved with fast web viewing enabled. This is an issue as the eCTD criteria requires that all submitted PDFs are saved with fast web viewing enabled to satisfy a best practice requirement (best practice failures result in a warning but do not prevent the application from progressing through the application workflow). | User will see unexpected errors in eCTD technical validation. We are investigating ways in which the fast web viewing within the eAFs could be enabled. This issue does not prevent any forms from being used, as it is a best practice failure only. |

Additional information

Version 1.16.0.0 (Release Date: 26/09/2014)

Version content

| Functionality / use case | Comments |
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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: Notice to Applicants - | This release fixes various change requests and defects as |
| Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: Administrative information, | outlined below. |
| May 2013, Revision 10.1. | |

| id | Description | Comments |
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| emea00022216 | Request for a drop down field with standard time units list. e.g days, weeks, months etc. | In Section 2.2.3 –in "Proposed shelf life section" drop down field with standard units list has been implemented. |
| emea00026537 | Annex 5.14 should be mandatory if scientific advice has been given - section 3.1. | In Section 3.2 – "Annex 5.14" check box becomes mandatory when yes is selected. |
| emea00026712 | Some companies are located in Cities, Towns or Villages. City could be changed to City/Town/VillageCity/Town/Village. | "Address" field has been changed to "Address1" and "City" field has been changed to "Address2" |
| emea00031790 | A free text field has been requested for section 2.5.1.a of the MAAA-H & MAA-V to enable users to specify which packaging a manufacturer is responsible for. A free text field already exists in 2.5.2 and could be used for this purpose. | In Section 2.5.1.a – free text field has been implemented toenter the details of which packaging a manufacturer is responsible for. So that the relationship between packaging and packaging manufacturer(s) can be shown in case there are different/multiple manufacturers. |
| emea00033037 | The field 2.1.3 Pharmacotherapeutic group - The ATC code is selected from a dropdown list from EUTCT rather than free text field. This could be an issue as in many cases the ATC code has not been decided/allocated at the time of the application and the applicant will only propose higher levels. The field could be broken up to select some parts of the ATC code from a list and allow free text for the rest. | In Section 2.1.3 – ATC code is searchable field via EUTCT list. |

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| emea00033494 | Add possible data-entry fields for administration and manufacturing location (as done in 2.5.3) | In Section 2.5.1.a, and 2.5.2 - Address fields are changed to Manufacturer address and Admin address. "Do you have admin address and manufacturer address? Yes, No" has been added. If 'yes' selected Manufacturer and Admin address are visible If 'no' selected one address details are visible. |
| emea00033500 | Rename button into "Add study" and make company information repeatable within a study. | In Section 2.5.4 – "Add study" button has been added and company details are grouped and repeatable with +/- buttons inside. |
| emea00034743 | Some additional telephone number fields have been found to still only accept 30chars. for consistency they should all now be 50. Specific fields found are the admin and manufacturing numbers. | Maximum length of "Telephone number" has been increased from 30 to 50 characters. |
| emea00034923 | Following problem with the eAF for Variations: In the section "Proof of payment" it is not possible to provide the different billing addresses for the MAs in the different countries in this section. Would it be possible to duplicate the section also for the address? So there would be the possibility to provide the Member states A and B for the MA holder X and the Member state C for the MA holder Y? | Resolved issue in Section 2.4.1 – Proof of payment section – "Billing address" has been repeatable with +/- buttons |
| emea00035076 | Request to include more than one contact person in sections 2.4.2 & 2.4.3 of the MAA-H. | In Section 2.4.2 and 2.4.3 – "Contact details" are repeatable with +/- buttons |
| emea00035564 | In Section 2.5.3 Admin/Manufacturer address fields should be in line with other address fields such as Address1 and Address 2 | In Section 2.5.3 – Admin/Manufacturer Address field changed to Admin/Manufacturer Address 1 and Address 2. |

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| emea00029681 | The eAFs do not currently allow a user to enable fast web viewing - and are not built/saved with fast web viewing enabled. This is an issue as the eCTD criteria requires that all submitted PDFs are saved with fast web viewing enabled to satisfy a best practice requirement (best practice failures result in a warning but do not prevent the application from progressing through the application workflow). | User will see unexpected errors in eCTD technical validation. We are investigating ways in which the fast web viewing within the eAFs could be enabled. This issue does not prevent any forms from being used, as it is a best practice failure only. |

Additional information

Version 1.15.0.0 (Release Date: 10/06/2014)

Version content

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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: Notice to Applicants | This release fixes various defects and change requests as outlined below. |
| - Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: Administrative | |
| information, May 2013, Revision 10.1. | |

| id | Comments |
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| emea00022316 | In Section 2.2 – "Strength" and "Active substance" fields have been grouped with repeatable + and – buttons. |
| emea00022347 | In Section 2.6.1 – "Strength", "Active substance" and "Excipients" are grouped together with repeatable + and – buttons to link with each other |
| emea00031054 | In section 2.6.1 – the terms "less than or equal to" or "more than or equal to" are suggested to use for "Quantity sufficient". |
| emea00033428 | Resolved issue in section 2.6.1 "strength" field - special characters such as super and subscript have been implemented to allow manual formatting. |
| emea00033489 | In section 1.4.3 Hybrid application – under "Medicinal product authorised in the Union/Member State where the application is made or European reference medicinal product", a "Member states" field has been added with repeatable + and – buttons. This field appears only if MRP/DCP procedure selected in Section 1.1. |
| emea00033490 | In Declaration and Signature section – "Strength" and "Active substance" fields have been grouped with repeatable + and – buttons. |
| emea00033491 | In section 2.3.1 - Radio buttons are changed to check boxes, and "member states" field has been added separately for both check boxes. |
| emea00033492 | Sections 2.3.2 and 2.3.4 are visible when both check boxes selected in 2.3.1 section. |
| emea00033499 | In Section 2.4.2 to 2.4.4 – "Member states" field has been added with repeatable + and – buttons. |
| emea00033723 | Resolved defect in section 2.2.3 – "Material" field now displays full text. |
| emea00033724 | Maximum length of Package size" field under "Section 2.2.3" has been increased from 50 to unlimited characters. |

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| emea00033725 | Resolved issue in section 2.5.3 – "country" field is now displays after "postcode" field. |
| emea00033726 | Resolved issue in section 2.5.2 – if 'Site outside EEA' is selected, "If yes" text was missing in, "please provide summary information in Annex 5.9 (and, if available a GMP certificate or a statement from the competent authority which carried out the inspection)" |
| emea00033727 | In section 2.5.3 - "Provide copy in Annex 5.10" appears only if yes is selected. |
| emea00033795 | In section 1.4.2 generic application – under "Medicinal product authorised in the Union/Member State where the application is made or European reference medicinal product", "Member states" field has been added with repeatable + and - buttons, and this field appears only if MRP/DCP procedure selected in Section 1.1. |
| emea00033796 | In Section 2.3.3 and 2.3.4 - "member states" field has been added separately for both check boxes. |
| emea00033797 | In section 2.3.1 – free text field has been added and grouped with member states field with repeatable + and – buttons. |
| emea00033798 | In sections 2.5.1.a and 2.5.2 – "address" fields are amended as same as 2.5.3 (admin and manufacturer address separately) |
| emea00033985 | Resolved issue in section 2.4.1 – Billing address (when relevant) is now optional and is invisible when "yes" is selected under "Proof of payment". |
| emea00034011 | Maximum length of "(Invented) Name" field under "Section 2" has been increased from 250 to unlimited characters. |
| emea00034159 | In Declaration and Signature section - "Applicant" text field has been added. |
| emea00034400 | Resolved issue in 2.5.3 section - "Name of the manufacturer if different from above" field is optional now. |
| emea00034405 | Resolved issue in version control - which was not working in 1.14.1 version. |
| emea00034677 | Resolved the issue in email format - which was not able to enter .info and .asia |
| emea00034687 | Resolved the issue in annex 5.1 - which was checked even it hasn't been checked in Declaration or 2.4.1 section. |
| emea00034689 | In Section 2.3.1 – tool tip has been amended. |
| emea00034690 | In Section 2.3.1 – "Subject to medical prescription" label has been amended to "Subject to medical prescription (<i>complete section 2.3.2</i>)". |
| emea00034699 | Resolved issue in 2.2.3.1 – "proposed shelf life" section was not able to add multiple rows. |
| emea00034701 | Telephone number field characters have been increased to 50 from 30. |
| emea00034702 | In Section 3.1 – reference field characters limit has been increased to unlimited. |
| emea00034688 | Annex 5.8 tick box in 2.5.2 section has been removed from repeatable section and appears only at end of the section. |

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| emea00027134 | The eAFs do not currently allow a user to enable fast web viewing - and are not built/saved with fast web viewing enabled. This is an issue as the eCTD criteria requires that all submitted PDFs are saved with fast web viewing enabled to satisfy a best practice requirement (best practice failures result in a warning but do not prevent the application from progressing through the application workflow). | User will see unexpected errors in eCTD technical validation. We are investigating ways in which the fast web viewing within the eAFs could be enabled. This issue does not prevent any forms from being used, as it is a best practice failure only. |

Additional information

Version 1.14.1.0 (Release Date: 22/04/2014)

Version content

| Functionality / use case | Comments |
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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: Notice to Applicants | This release fixes various defects as outlined below. |
| - Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: Administrative | |
| information, May 2013, Revision 10.1. | |

Issues fixed for this version

| id | Comments |
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| emea00033916 | Resolved an issue in section 2.5.3 – active substance field data not visible after a save, close and a reopen. |
| emea00033977 | Resolved an issue in section 5.1 – tick box not selected after a save, close and a reopen. |
| emea00034281 | Resolved an issue in section 5.9 and 5.10 – tick box not selected after a save, close and a reopen. |
| emea00034010 | Resolved an issue in section 2.6.1 – composition free text field data not visible after a save, close and a reopen. |

Known issues

| Id | Description | Workaround/Comment |
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| emea00029681 | The eAFs do not currently allow a user to enable fast web viewing - | User will see unexpected errors in eCTD technical |
| | and are not built/saved with fast web viewing enabled. This is an | validation. We are investigating ways in which the |
| | issue as the eCTD criteria requires that all submitted PDFs are saved | fast web viewing within the eAFs could be enabled. |
| | with fast web viewing enabled to satisfy a best practice requirement | This issue does not prevent any forms from being |
| | (best practice failures result in a warning but do not prevent the | used, as it is a best practice failure only. |
| | application from progressing through the application workflow). \Box | |

Additional information

Version 1.14.1 (Release Date: 06/02/2014)

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| Functionality / use case | Comments |
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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: Notice to Applicants - Medicinal Products | This release fixes various defects as outlined below. |
| for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: Administrative information, May 2013, Revision 10.1. | |

| id | Comments |
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| emea00031163 | An issue in the form which gave three validation errors relating to Title, First Name and Surname has been resolved. |
| emea00031234 | An issue in section 5.1 - under 2.4.1. If you tick 'no' to the question "Have all relevant fees been prepaid to competent authorities?", the checklist at the end of the form for "5.1 Proof of payment" is now automatically updated. |
| emea00032109 | Resolved an issue in section 2.5.3 which gave a validation error in "EudraGMP certificate Number" after a save, close and a reopen. |
| emea00032292 | Resolved an issue in section 1.6.3 - under 1.6.1, if 'no' is selected it is not visible after a save, close and a reopen. |
| emea00027134 | Resolved issue in section 2.2.1 – This section is now read only where the field is populated by clicking the "Populate" button in the Declaration Section. |
| emea00031799 | All forms, when opened, check for the availability of the webservices, if the webservices are not available, an error message is displayed. |
| emea00032898 | In section 1.6.3 – The tick boxes have been added to "PIP decision number" and "product specific waiver decision number" fields. |
| emea00031644 | In section 1.6.3 - The maximum length of "PIP decision number", "product specific waiver decision number" and "class waiver decision number" has been increased from 30 to 50 characters. |
| emea00033684 | In section 2.6.1 - A free text field has been added. |
| emea00033675 | In section 2.1.2 and 2.5.3 active substance fields - The search button has been removed in order to select the active substance from previously selected list. |
| emea00032940 | 2.5.1.2 Section is now optional. |

| id | Comments |
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| emea00033221 | In section 2.4.1 Have all relevant fees been prepaid to competent authorities - billing address is now optional if 'No' selected. |
| emea00031791 | In section 2.1 - The tick box for "Proposed (invented) name of the medicinal product in the Community/Member State/ Iceland/ Liechtenstein/Norway:" is only visible for MRP/DCP procedure. |
| emea00031793 | In section 1.6.1 - A new active substance field has been added. |
| emea00031794 | In Section 1.2.1 - The orphan designation procedure number is now repeatable. |
| emea00031796 | In section 1.1.2 - Implemented business rule: When Repeat use is selected, Section 4.2 is now mandatory. |
| emea00032375 | In Section 1.2 the title has been changed to "Orphan Medicinal Product Designation" from "Orphan Medicinal Product Information". |
| emea00033680 | In Section 2.5.3 – the active substance fields are now repeatable |

| Id | Description | Workaround/Comment |
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| emea00029681 | The eAFs do not currently allow a user to enable fast web viewing - and are not built/saved with fast web viewing enabled. This is an issue as the eCTD criteria requires that all submitted PDFs are saved with fast web viewing enabled to satisfy a best practice requirement (best practice failures result in a warning but do not prevent the application from progressing through the application workflow). | User will see unexpected errors in eCTD technical validation. We are investigating ways in which the fast web viewing within the eAFs could be enabled. This issue does not prevent any forms from being used, as it is a best practice failure only. |

Additional information

Version 1.10.1 (Release Date: 02/09/2013)

Version content

| tionality / use case C | Comments |
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| | This release implements changes introduced in the substance list in EUTCT. This release fixes various other defects as well (see below). |

Issues fixed for this version

| id | Comments |
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| emea00032078 | This release implements changes introduced in the EUTCT substance list. The substance list now contains two separate lists; one for Human substances and one for Veterinary substances. The active substance fields and excipients field now searched only Human substance list. |
| emea00031987 | In section 2.4.2 – "Switzerland" has been added in the country list. |
| emea00031988 | In section 2.2.4.1 – Resolved issue which was not able to select non EU/EEA country list. |

Known issues

| Id | Description | Workaround/Comment |
|--------------|---|--|
| emea00027134 | It is still possible to add additional active substances in section 2.2.1. If active substance is added to 2.2.1 it will not be added to the Declaration section. Clicking the "Populate" button in the Declaration section will overwrite any data in section 2.2.1. | User should only add active substances to the declaration section of the form and then use "Populate data" button to copy automatically to sections 2.2.1 and 2.6.1. |

Additional information

Version 1.8.2 (Release Date: 31/05/2013)

Version content

| Functionality / use case | Comments | |
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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: Notice to Applicants | This implementation is the version 10.1 of the NTA word document as an | |
| - Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: Administrative | electronic form. | |
| information, May 2013, Revision 10.1. | This release fixes various other defects as well (see below). | |

Issues fixed for this version

| id | Comments |
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| emea00029257 | The latest revision of the MAA H Word form, revision 10.1, has been implemented in the eAF. |
| emea00027275 | In section 2.2.3 – Material field has been added. |
| emea00027351 | Annex 5.6 selection now removes after checkbox is unselected in 2.5.1.2. |
| emea00028830 | In section 2.6.2 The field called "Active Substance" is changed to "Name". |
| emea00027360 | Resolved issue in section 4.1.3 - elaborate entry field has been removed which is not in paper form. |
| emea00029357 | Resolved issue in section 1.6.1 which failed to save data for more than one MA's after save, close and reopen. |
| emea00026316 | Version control has been implemented - when the MAA-H eAF is opened via a computer that is connected to the internet, an automated version check is performed to inform the user if a more recent version of the eAF is available for download. If the most recent version is not being used a warning window appears informing the user that a more recent version should be used. |

Known issues

| Id | Description | Workaround/Comment |
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| emea00027134 | It is still possible to add additional active substances in section 2.2.1. | User should only add active substances to the declaration section of the form and then use "Populate data" button to |

| Id | Description | Workaround/Comment |
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| | If active substance is added to 2.2.1 it will not be added to the Declaration section. | copy automatically to sections 2.2.1 and 2.6.1. |
| | Clicking the "Populate" button in the Declaration section | |
| | will overwrite any data in section 2.2.1. | |

Additional information

Version 1.6.0 (Release Date: 31/10/2012)

Version content

| Functionality / use case | Comments |
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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: Notice to | This release fixes various defects. |
| Applicants - Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: | |
| Administrative information, May 2008, Revision 9. | |

Issues fixed for this version

| id | Comments |
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| emea00027228 | The drop down list for the selection of units of measure in section 2.6.1 now allows all available units to be selected. |
| emea00027363 | In section 4.3 – The checkbox for annex 5.16 has been added to the repeating group, allowing it to be checked for each medicine. |
| emea00027693 | The substance and route of administration search fields no longer accept a carriage return as input. Instead, if the 'Enter' key is pressed while one of these fields has focus, the search will be executed. |
| emea00027340 | In section 2.4.1 – Implemented validation rule making the annex 5.7 checkbox mandatory, if SME status has been assigned. |
| emea00027343 | In section 2.4.4 – Implemented business rules: the 'Telefax' field now optional, the checkbox for annex 5.5 now mandatory, And the checkbox labelled 'The above mentioned qualified person resides in the EEA' now mandatory. |
| emea00027362 | In section 4.2 – Implemented business rule: All fields which appear below the 'Authorised' checkbox when it is selected are now mandatory. |

Known issues

| Id | Description | Workaround/Comment |
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| emea00027134 | It is still possible to add additional active substances in section 2.2.1. | User should only add active substances to the declaration section of the form and then use "Populate data" button to |

| Id | Description | Workaround/Comment |
|----|---|---|
| | If active substance is added to 2.2.1 it will not be added to the Declaration section. | copy automatically to sections 2.2.1 and 2.6.1. |
| | Clicking the "Populate" button in the Declaration section will overwrite any data in section 2.2.1. | |

Additional information

Version 1.5.3 (Release Date: 31/08/2012)

Version content

| Functionality / use case | Comments |
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| Implementation as electronic form of the document | This release addresses the locking of the form fields after the form has been signed, an issue |
| for: Notice to Applicants - Medicinal Products for | with annex 5.9 and incorrect data population with multiple active substances. |
| Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: Administrative | In the following tables, more details can be found for this and other change requests that have |
| information, May 2008, Revision 9. | been implemented in this release. |

Issues fixed for this version

| id | Comment |
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| emea00026911 | eAFs are now "locked" from further editing after completion. It is still possible to extract the form data as XML. |
| emea00027042 | In section 2.5.2 - Resolved issue that prevented user accessing the check box indicating something has been added as annex 5.9 on section 5. |
| emea00027134 | Resolved issue automatically copying multiple active substances from Declaration section when "Populate" button clicked. |
| emea00027237 | Maximum length of "Applicant details name" increased from 50 to 100 characters. |

Known issues

| Id | Description | Workaround/Comment |
|--------------|---|---|
| emea00027134 | It is still possible to add additional active substances in section 2.2.1. If active substance is added to 2.2.1 it will not be added to the Declaration section. Clicking the "Populate" button in the Declaration section will overwrite any data in section 2.2.1. | Only add active substances to the declaration section of the form then use "Populate" button to copy to all other sections (including 2.2.1). |

Additional information

Version 1.4.3 (Release Date: 16/07/2012)

Version content

| Functionality / use case | Comments |
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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: Notice to | This release addresses the product section redesign which includes the |
| Applicants - Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module | replacement of the free text fields that were used for the description of the |
| 1: Administrative information, May 2008, Revision 9. | product, with structured fields and controlled term lists. |
| | In the following tables, more details can be found for this and other change |
| | requests that have been implemented in this release. |

Issues fixed for this version

| id | Comment |
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| emea00026303 | Product redesign to be implemented across all sections. Replacement of free text fields with controlled term lists wherever possible and restructuring of the sections and data model to be RDM compliant. |
| emea00026312 | MAA Human form - TSE Number. Allow +/- repeat group for "TSE Number" field. |

Known issues

| Id | Description | Workaround/Comment |
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Additional information

Version 1.2.22 (Release Date: 18/06/2012)

Version content

| Functionality / use case | Comments |
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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: Notice to | This hotfix addresses a critical issue and a number of quick wins identified in the |
| Applicants - Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module | pilot phase. More details can be found in the section directly below. |
| 1: Administrative information, May 2008, Revision 9. | |

Issues fixed for this version

| id | Comment |
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| emea00026296 | "Find" functionality e.g. for "Route of administration" has been redesigned to avoid a data loss defect that would impact XML export users. |
| emea00025240 | Section 1.1.1: When "Mandatory scope" is selected, one of the following must now also be selected: Annex (1) (Biotech medicinal product) Annex (3) (New active substance for mandatory indications) Annex (4) (Orphan designated medicinal product) |
| emea00025242 | Section 1.1.1: When "Optional scope » (Article 3(2))" is selected, one of the following must now also be selected: Annex 3(2)(a) (New active substance) Annex 3(2)(b) (Significant innovation or interest of patients at EU level) |
| emea00025245 | Section 1.1.1: "Date of acceptance/confirmation by CHMP" is now mandatory. |

Known issues

| Id | Description | Workaround/Comment |
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| emea00022017 | Inability to select "Attach marketing authorisation (Annex 5.15)" in section 4.2 for each of the marketing authorisations, when 'Authorised' option is checked. | Applications may indicate attachment within the 'Authorisation number' field e.g. by suffixing with the text "MA included". Please check the 'Attach marketing authorisation (Annex 5.15) option beneath the window only if ALL MAs are attached to the application. |

| Id | Description | Workaround/Comment |
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| emea00025154 | Section 2.5.2 "Site is in the EEA" radio button option: When the form is closed and re-opened the "Site is in the EEA" sub-section of 2.5.2 remains in the collapsed state. | Click on the 2.5.2 "Site is in the EEA" radio button to reopen the sub-section. |
| emea00025833 | Section 1.1.2 The section of RUP is not identical to paper form. Section to identify procedure after first round MRP or DCP is missing and additionally a section. | Will be fixed in next release. |

Additional information

Version 1.0.0 (Release Date: 29/02/2012)

Version content

| Functionality / use case | Comments |
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| Implementation as electronic form of the document for: <i>Notice to Applicants - Medicinal Products for Human Use - Volume 2B Module 1: Administrative information, May 2008, Revision 9.</i> | This implementation is the first version of the document as an electronic form. |

Issues fixed for this version

| id | Comment |
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| n/a | This implementation is the first version of the document as electronic form. |

Known issues

| Id | Description | Workaround/Comment |
|--------------|---|--|
| emea00021979 | The 'Excipient(s): Name of excipient, Quantity, Unit, Reference/Monograph standard.' free text area in section 2.6.1 allows entering any excipient. | Free text area to be replaced by structured content. |
| emea00022017 | Inability to select "Attach marketing authorisation (Annex 5.15)" in section 4.2 for each of the marketing authorisations, when 'Authorised' option is checked. | Applications may indicate attachment within the 'Authorisation number' field e.g. by suffixing with the text "MA included". Please check the 'Attach marketing authorisation (Annex 5.15) option beneath the window only if ALL MAs are attached to the application. |
| emea00025154 | Section 2.5.2 "Site is in the EEA" radio button option: When the form is closed and re-opened the "Site is in the EEA" sub-section of 2.5.2 remains in the collapsed state. | Click on the 2.5.2 "Site is in the EEA" radio button to reopen the sub-section. |

Additional information