

# OpenText Active Catalogue CE 21.4 Release Notes

## Release 21.4

31 August 2021

These release notes describe the OpenText™ Active Catalogue 21.4 release and are organized as follows:

- Overview of Active Catalogue
- Accessing Active Catalogue
- Product Documentation
- New and Enhanced Functionality in Version 21.4
- Known Issues
- Legal Notices

## Overview of Active Catalogue

Active Catalogue is the retail industry's leading product data synchronization application in the world, with more than 220 million items. This robust, hosted software solution enables marketers, manufacturers, and suppliers to publish and synchronize their latest product information with retailers, including 750+ data attributes, such as price, style, color, and size. Active Catalogue drives improved supply chain efficiency, enhanced transaction accuracy, and reduced cycle times for over 7,000 customers.

You can access Active Catalogue through the following interfaces:

- Batch interface using EDI 832 documents
- Web UI (browser interface) that supports upload and download capabilities for customers who use flat file solutions
- Web Services API
- REST Web Services API

For more information, see the following Active Catalogue documentation:

- 832 (v4030) Batch Guides (for vendors and retailers)
- 832 (v4010) Batch Guide for Vendors
- 888 Batch Guide for Vendors
- Administrator Guide (internal release notes only)
- Attribute Reference Spreadsheet
- Attributes Guide
- Browser Interface User Guides (for vendors and retailers)
- qXML Reference Guides (for retailers)
- REST Web Services Guide
- Search Reference Guide
- Security Information Guide
- Text File Reference Guides (for vendors and retailers)

- Text File Template Guide for Vendors
- Web Services Guide
- Web Services FAQs

To access the Active Catalogue documentation, see the section below, Product Documentation.

## Accessing Active Catalogue

The minimum system requirements for using the browser interface are:

- Internet access
- Web browser: IE 8, IE 9, IE 10, Firefox, Chrome, Edge
  - IE 8 and Firefox 36 are certified on Windows
  - IE 9, IE 10, Firefox, Chrome, and Edge are supported, but not certified
- 2 GB RAM

Windows operating systems are supported. Active Catalogue may run fine in browsers on other operating systems, but OpenText does not support defects or issues that are unique to those non-Windows operating systems.

In IE 8, IE 9, and IE 10, you must apply the compatibility view for the numbering and all text to display correctly in the online help system.

- For IE 8, click **Tools > Compatibility View Settings**. In the dialog box, either add the Active Catalogue URL to the compatibility view or click the **Display all websites in Compatibility View** check box, and then click **Close**.
- For IE 9, after accessing Active Catalogue, in the **Address** bar, click the broken page icon to enable the compatibility view.
- For IE 10, see Microsoft's instructions for compatibility mode.

To access Active Catalogue 21.4, contact:

- Email [cataloguesupport@opentext.com](mailto:cataloguesupport@opentext.com)
- Call OpenText Cloud Support Services (CSS): U.S.A. 1-800-334-2255

## Product Documentation

Some OpenText product documentation is delivered in PDF format. To read and print this documentation, you will need Adobe Reader, a free product from Adobe Systems.

### Installing Adobe Reader

#### To download and install Adobe Reader

1. Launch a web browser and navigate to <http://get.adobe.com/reader>.
2. Download the Acrobat Reader installer.
3. Double-click the file you downloaded. The installer launches.
4. Follow the screens, accepting the defaults.

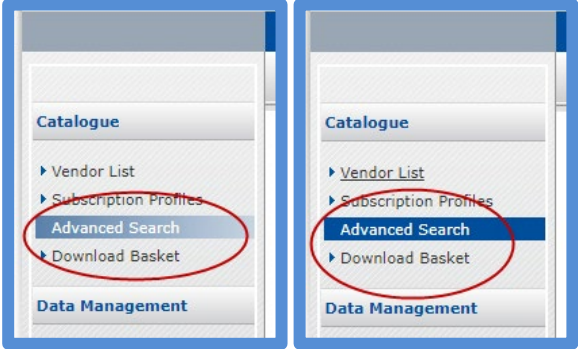
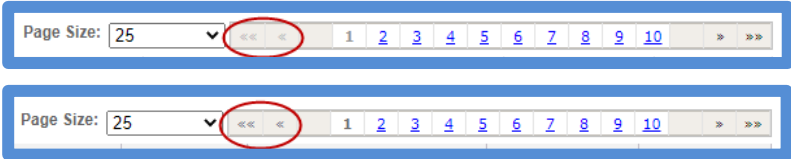
### Accessing Active Catalogue Documentation

Active Catalogue documentation can be accessed from the following locations:

- From the Active Catalogue application, click **Product Documentation > All Documents**.
- From the Customer Portal:
  - Navigate to <http://customer.gxs.com>.
  - Log in.
  - In the **Knowledge Base** section, click the **Browse the Knowledge Base and Product Documentation** link.
  - Click **OpenText Active Catalogue**. Active Catalogue information displays.
  - On this page, there are links to Active Catalogue tutorials and documentation. Scroll down to see the complete list.

## New and Enhanced Functionality in Version 21.4

The Active Catalogue 21.4 release provides continued stability and improved system performance. The following table summarizes the new or enhanced features included in this release.

Feature	Description
<b>Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) Changes</b>	
User Interface Updates	<p>In this release, the UI has been improved for accessibility.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Every label and image now have titles. For example, a label has been added to the Active Catalogue logo.</li> <li>• To improve contrast, text size and colors were changed.</li> </ul> <p>In the navigation panel, when an option is selected, the highlight color on the option is darker. The following images demonstrate the before and after view.</p>  <p>In the pagination bar, the navigation arrows appear dimmed. The following images demonstrate the before and after view.</p> 

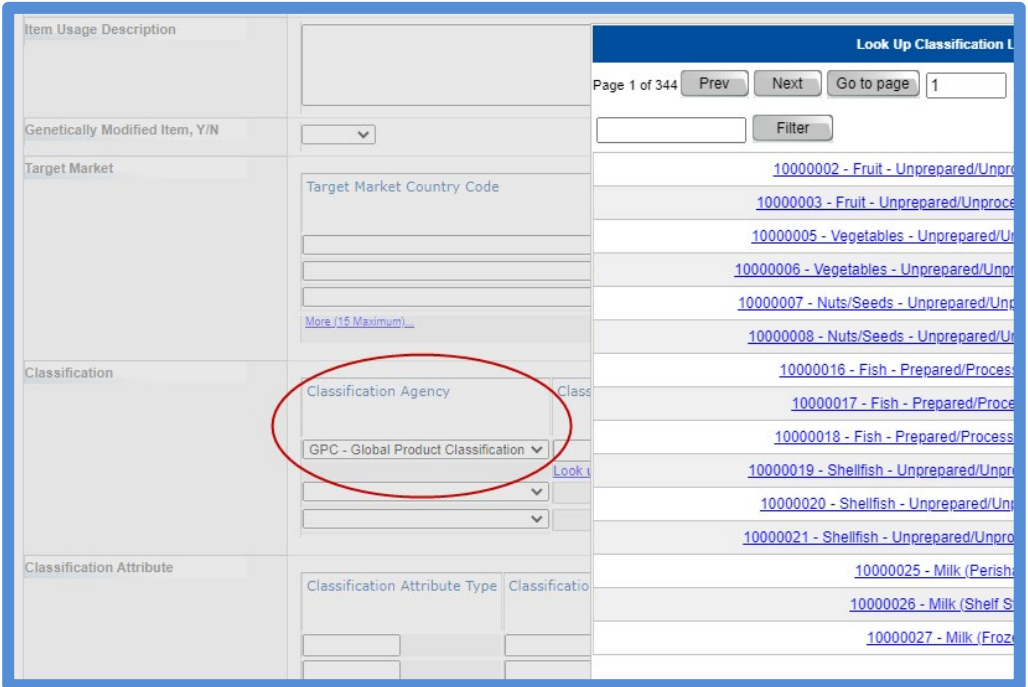
Continued...

**Brick Code Updates**

Global Product Classification (GPC)

In this release, there have been several changes to the GPC codes.

- New codes: 944 new codes have been added.
- Updated codes: 65 codes have been updated.
- Deprecated codes: 17 codes have been removed.



**SSL+TLS Protocols**

TLS 1.2

In this release, SSL + TLS 1.0/1.1 protocol security restrictions have been put into place. These protocols are no longer allowed to connect to Active Catalogue. Now, you must use TLS 1.2 to connect via any interface.

## Known Issues

The following list includes known issues in this release and those from previous releases. Workarounds are provided where appropriate.

Description	Workaround(s)	Defect #
Dates for Multi-Line Price Attributes containing Currency/Dates are not being including in their corresponding CTP Loop in Outbound EDI from TLe		XCAT- 10729
Export using Nordstrom Attribute Filter includes attributes not in the filter.		XCAT- 9810
No validation check occurs when Minimum Transport Temperature to Distribution Center is greater than the Max Temp.		XCAT- 7310
Derived attributes throwing errors from filters created.		XCAT- 6130
Case sensitivity with drop-down lists: EDI vs. UI error processing.		XCAT- 5955
Login Screen re-appears if it the application is idle on the login screen.		XCAT- 5045
Attributes are included in XML that are not part of the attribute filter.		XCAT- 4971

## Legal Notices

---

### OpenText Active Catalogue CE 21.4 Release Notes

Rev: 31 August 2021

#### **This documentation has been created for software version 21.4**

It is also valid for subsequent software versions as long as no new document version is shipped with the product or is published at <https://knowledge.opentext.com>.

Product Support: U.S.A. 1-800-334-2255 or email [cataloguesupport@opentext.com](mailto:cataloguesupport@opentext.com)

#### **Open Text Corporation**

275 Frank Tompa Drive, Waterloo, Ontario, Canada, N2L 0A1

Tel: +1-519-888-7111

Toll Free Canada/USA: 1-800-499-6544 International: +800-4996-5440

Fax: +1-519-888-0677

For more information, visit <https://www.opentext.com>

#### **Copyright © 2021 Open Text. All Rights Reserved.**

Trademarks owned by Open Text.

One or more patents may cover this product. For more information, please visit, <https://www.opentext.com/patents>

#### **Disclaimer**

No Warranties and Limitation of Liability

Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of the features and techniques presented in this publication. However, Open Text Corporation and its affiliates accept no responsibility and offer no warranty whether expressed or implied, for the accuracy of this publication.