

WORLDTICKET RELEASE NOTE

SELL-MORE-SEATS & W1 RETAIL 5.61

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2. Introduction & Summary

Dear WorldTicket Customer,

We are very pleased to provide you with the release note covering improvements and updates in the release version 5.61.

Some key highlights in SMS with 5.61 that we hope will improve some of your processes:

- Significant improvements to the search functionality throughout SMS
- Several improvements to the inventory view
- Several improvements to user management in particular when creating a new user
- Enhancements to handling of SSIM files
- General User Interface improvements
- Improvements to PNR history

We appreciate any feedback on the functions of improvements and new features, so please feel free to share it with us through your daily point of contact in WorldTicket. For further information on functionality, implementation and uploads please contact your Account Manager.

Thanks again for working with us Best regards,
The WorldTicket Team



2.1 Scope of Release Note

This release note covers selected functionality and updates in the release version 5.61.

2.2 System Requirements

Unless stated differently, airlines must be running on the latest versions of Sell-More-Seats to get access to new functionalities.

Some functionality may require configuration, implementation time and/or involvement of third parties, and is therefore not automatically available to all airline customers as part of the upload. For such functionality to be implemented and made available for your airline, please contact your Account Manager for implementation time, scope and cost (if applicable).

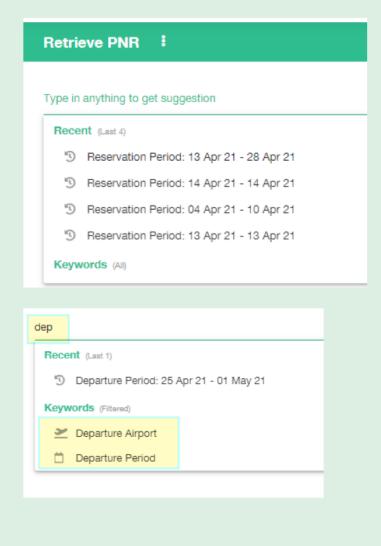
3. Release Version 5.61

3.1.1 SMS Improvements & New Features

Module/Topic	Description			
Introduction of Smart Search	5.61 we are introducing a significant and highly improved search tion in SMS making it a lot faster for you to find what you are looking More enhancements to the search function in SMS will come over the ing releases, but 5.61 includes: Introduction of Suggestion Search. When you start typing in the search field, you will immediately be presented with search suggestions matching with the search value display (suggestion by keyword and value pair) for a faster display of what you need.			
	Suggestions Record Locator: CE5HHP Record Locator: CERN3G Keywords (Filtered)			

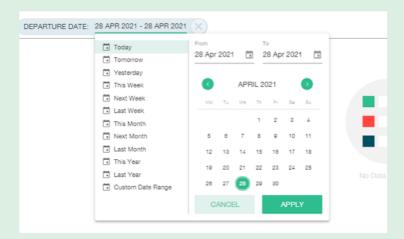


• We have introduced automatic saving and displaying of the latest search criteria so they can be reused later and shown as recent searches.





• Date search short-cuts like "tomorrow", "this week", etc.

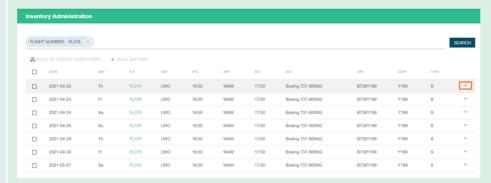


- Search PNR by email address. The SMS user will be able to find a booking by passenger or contact email address.
- The toggle to switch between filter search and smart search is removed since the new Smart Search/Suggestion Search applies to all views except User Administration and Host Transaction overview.

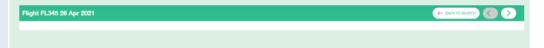
Improvements to Inventory View

The user experience in the inventory module in SMS has been improved with the following enhancements

 Possibility to see overview of inventory of multiple flights in one summary screen under Inventory Administration. By clicking on the arrow it is now possible to view the inventory of the particular flight.



 Possibility to move between one flight to another with one click without going back to the search result list. Navigation is possible within the selected search criteria.



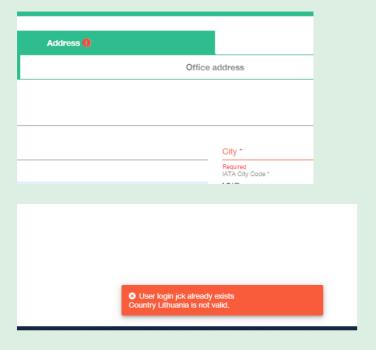
 The inventory view table has been improved and now it fits into one screen without horizontal scrolling for screens with a width of more than 1080 pixels. Toggle buttons have replaced the drop-down bar for management of RBD's (open/close) and management of WL, SA, OB statuses. On the left side the green and red colors indicate whether the RBD is open or closed.



User Management Improvements

Several improvements have been done to the user experience when creating a new SMS user, including:

- Display error icon in case a mandatory field is incomplete during profile creation
- Unique validation of company code
- Unique validation of office code
- Email format validation

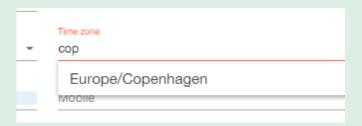


User Interface Improvements

Several improvements to the general user interface have been included in 5.61. This includes:



- Unified table styles for all pages in SMS
- Correct and unified text alignment, font size and warning messages
- Unified button styles and button localization
- Improvements of drop-down fields. Instead of scrolling you can now just type what you are looking e.g. for currencies, time zones and countries

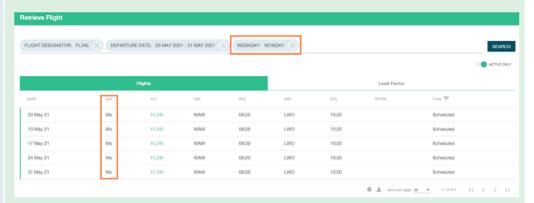


Filter by weekdays

The search feature now has an extra filter which allows the user to pre-select (filter) flights more precisely.

A user can now filter by day of week under Inventory Administration and Retrieve Flight.

In the picture below, the filter is set to only show flights operated on Monday in the Flights module.



In the same way Inventory templates can now be applied as a filter for flights on selected days of the week within a particular period.

Indicator when using Re-Create Inventories

When the user is adding the RBD via the Recreate Inventory tab, a success / failure message will now be displayed to inform the user if the action was successful or not.

Now, when using *Bulk Add RBD* SMS will show a checkmark indicating that the RBD has been added successfully, as seen here:





If the operation failed, an error message displayed when hovering the cursor over the (X) as seen here:



Note!: multi-leg flights are not currently covered by this feature but are expected in the next release.

Upload your Logo to SMS

It is now possible to insert your logo which will be shown in the top left corner of SMS and on the login page.

Examples:



If you do not add your own logo, the WorldTicket logo will be shown.

Open PNR directly from the Coupon tab in Flight View

It is now possible to open a PNR or document directly from the Coupons tab.





SMS also has a feature that allows you to make the reverse action: to get from the Reservation view to the particular Flight. This feature is available when clicking on *Flight* under *Itinerary*.



Who benefits:

Everyone who is working with reservations and flight management.

Auto process of zero refund order

Allows to process a refund of zero amount refund order with any refund type. A fake payment transaction for zero amount payment is created and will be present in the payment report.



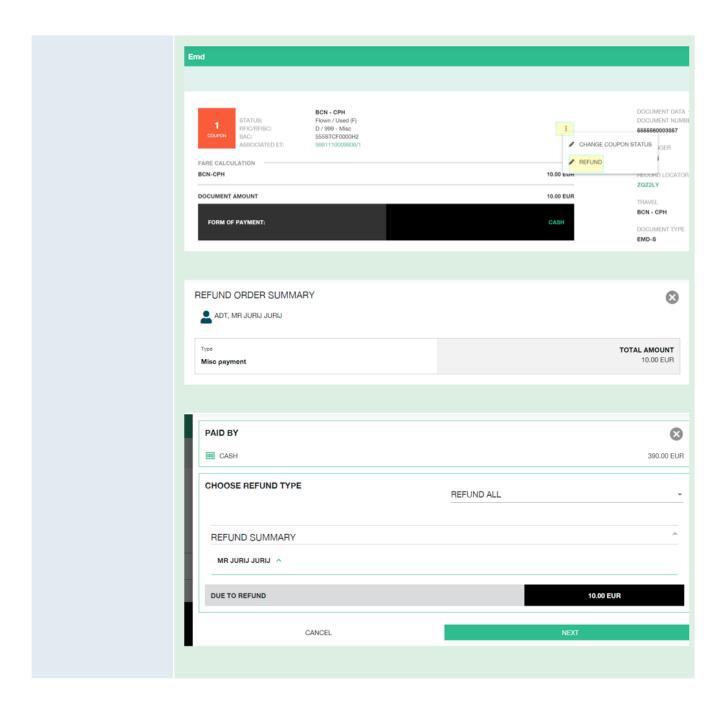
Form of payment has been changed from "POS" to "Autopayment" for zero refund amounts.

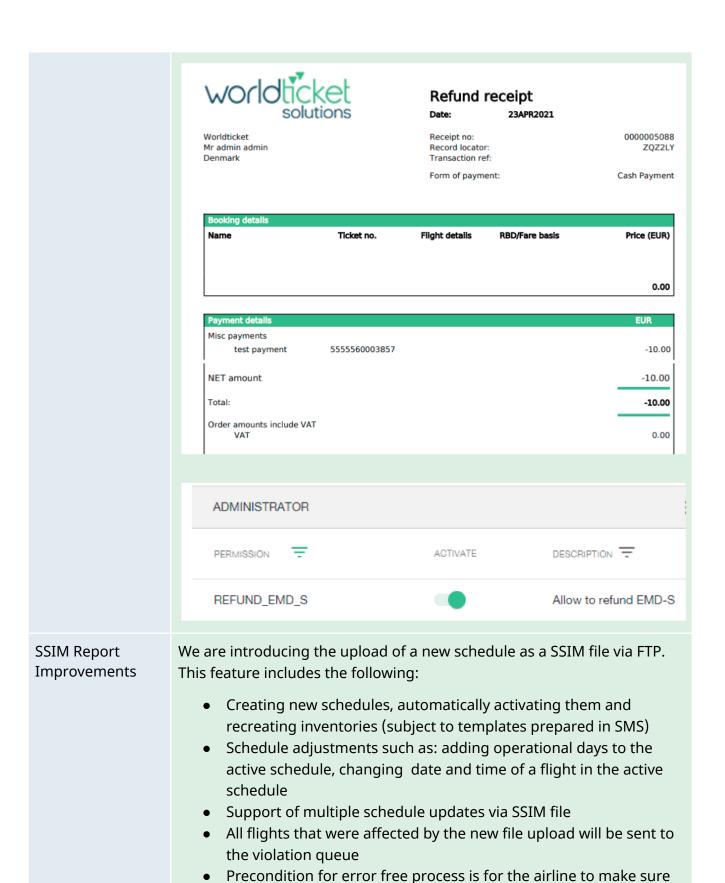
Refund EMD-S (for MISC payments)

A stand alone process for refund of EMD (for Miscellaneous payment) has been introduced in order to provide the possibility to refund EMD-S separately from tickets. This allows SMS users to refund penalties or other paid items if they were applied incorrectly.

The functionality is available to users with the permission (REFUND_EMD_S), which is included in the ADMINISTRATOR role, and may be activated by the airline staff for other users.

For refund types for EMD-S only the "refund all" option is now offered.







SMS prior to import

that airports and aircrafts provided in the SSIM file are activated in



The FTP import needs to be done by the WorldTicket team, so please contact us for assistance.

PNF (Passenger Name File) Import Improvements

PNF (Passenger Name File) now supports the following payment methods (configurable in PNF setting per user):

- Debit/Credit Account
- Cash
- Point of Sales
- External

With this feature it is now possible to control and invoice tour operator sales via debit/credit account management.

We now also support multiple currencies (the currency may be indicated for each imported PNR. The SMS exchange rates will be used to calculate the final amount).

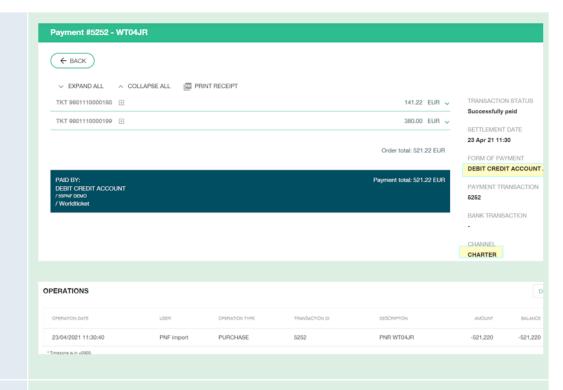
Imported PNRs can be then adjusted (rebooked / refunded etc.), as any other PNRs and the financial calculations will be part of the financial reporting.

A benefit with this feature is that you, the airline, can take a passenger list from a third party, import it into SMS, and then the passenger can make further adjustments to their PNR - including on the W1 Retail website solution.

PNF bookings will now display "CHARTER" as the booking channel in SMS and are more easily recognized



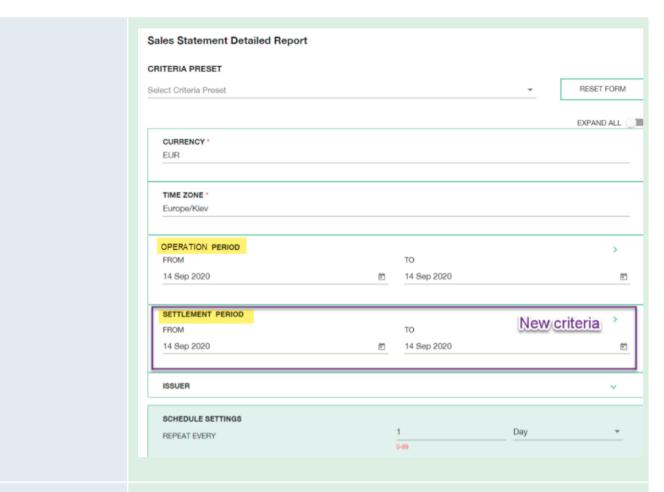




Settlement Period in Sales Statement Detailed report

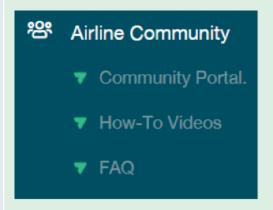
When rebooking in SMS, the system issues a new ticket at the time of rebooking and not at the time of payment. In cases where the ticket is paid at a different date than when the rebooking was done, the Operation Date and Settlement Date in the Sales Statement Detailed report will be different.

When generating the Sales Statement Detailed report it is now possible to differentiate between operation and settlement periods.

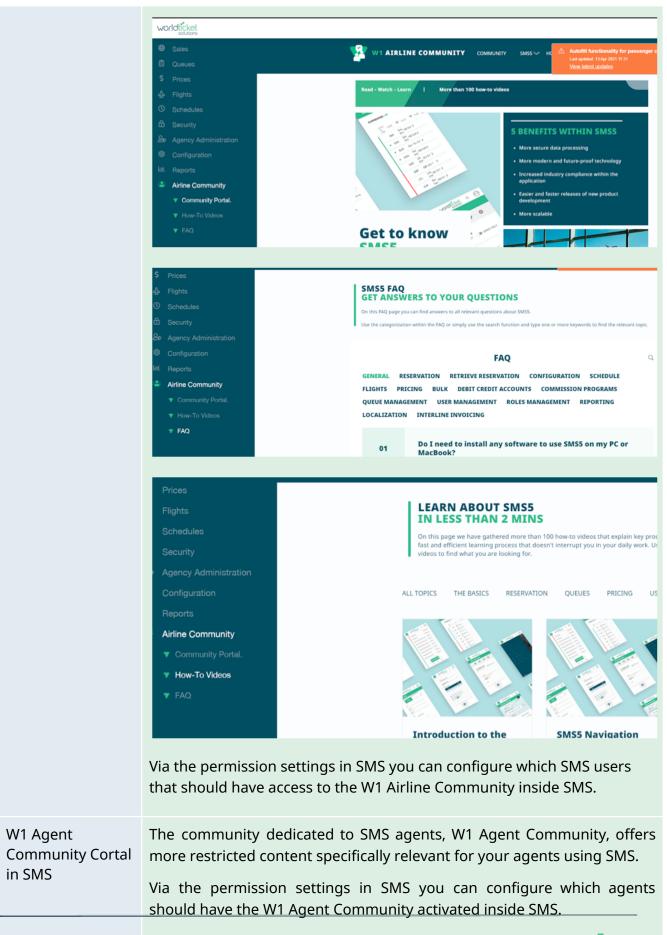


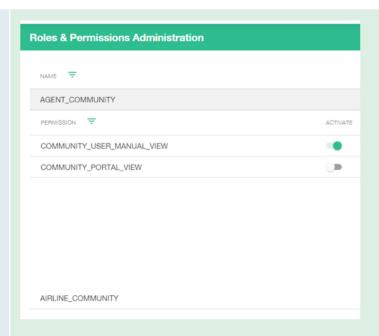
W1 Airline Community Portal in SMS

Our Airline Community portal is now available to SMS users directly inside SMS as a menu item.



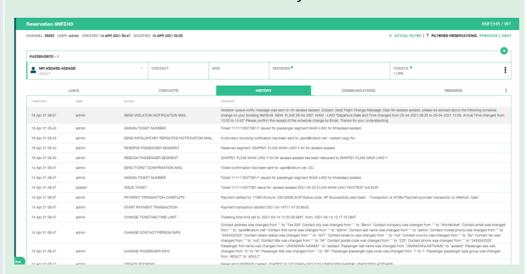
Via this menu item you have direct access to important content on the community portal such as the How-To Videos and the FAQ inside SMS when you need it. Both the How-To Videos and the FAQ are of course searchable so you can easily find the topic you need.





PNR History in SMS

We have introduced a detailed PNR history in SMS.



Access to the PNR history is granted to the SMS user via the permission configuration.



Note! Your SMS solution may require additional configuration to activate this PNR history level. In that case please forward your request via your WorldTicket Account Manager or via the WorldTicket Helpdesk System.



Save SMS User Preferences

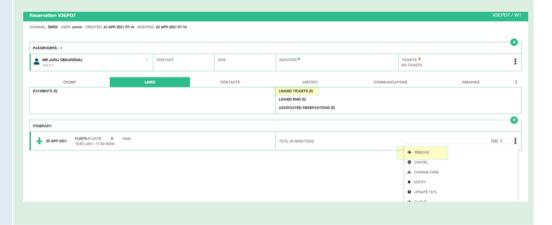
When a SMS user changes a setting in a view in SMS such as adjusting filters, tabs, show/hide column, just pin the menu and the changed setting will be stored in the user preferences.

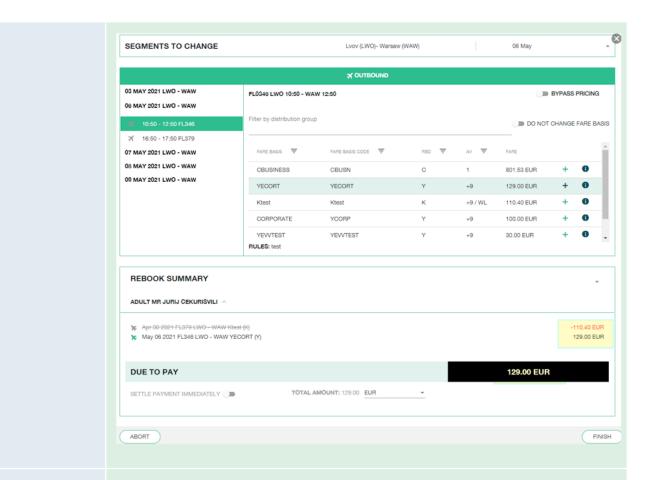


Rebook unpaid reservation

You can now rebook a non-paid reservation before ticketing, when the initial order was already created (pending). So now there is no need to cancel the reservation and insert all user details again.

The action is available via the standard menu in the Itinerary section under Rebook.

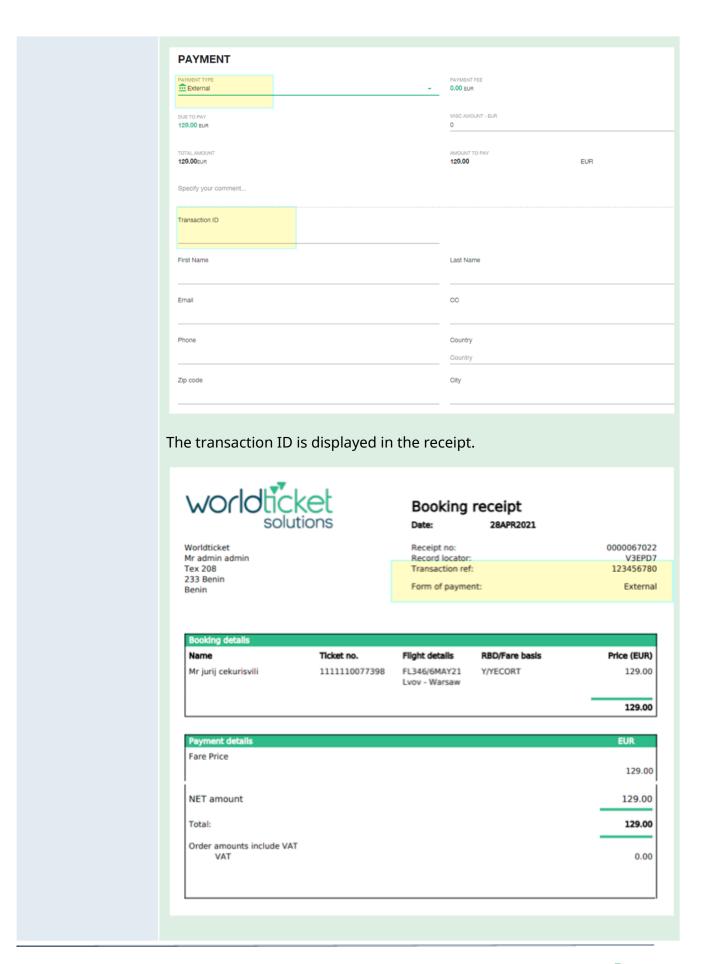




Add transaction ID field when using "External" as Form of Payment (FOP)

This feature allows the SMS user to manually enter a transaction ID when using the Form of Payment (FOP) called "External".

This is useful for matching transactions with payments eg. if the credit card transaction was not successful but the airline received the money after timeout. The credit card transaction can then be added to External payment with a transaction ID.





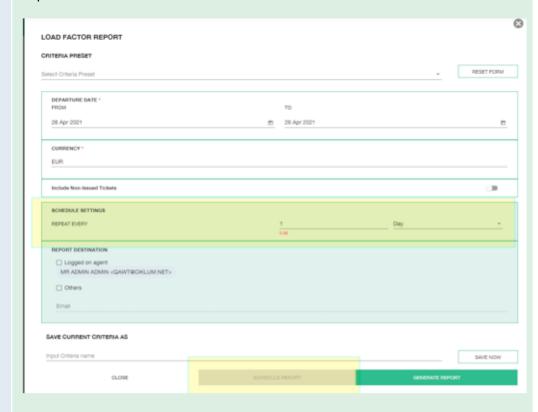
Generate SSIM file without seasons

We have removed a section where scheduled seasons have to be defined, however, while generating SSIM files the process of generation would fail if the new seasons were missing. This has now been fixed, and the SSIM file generation is now possible without dependency on the back-end season data.

This is automatically activated for all airline customers using SSIM.

Schedule the Load Factor Report

Load Factor Report can now be scheduled for automatic generation with the predefined frequency and sent via email. This configuration can be done in the Reports section via New Report and then the Load Factor Report form:



If you need the report via FTP instead of email, please contact us for assistance.



Hide some Flight Types The feature allows you to hide some flights from appearing in the search results (independent from availability). This feature is not related to schedule types, but is based on schedule restrictions, accessible via Schedules and then in the section called Flight restrictions:





The feature is useful for airlines who would like to have an option to fully hide the information about e.g. charter flights from some agents. Such charter flights can now be available on the search step only for the airline staff if allowed to via permissions.

This permission to see hidden flights in search results is controlled by separate permission (SCH_SCHEDULE_RESTRICTION_OVERRIDE).



Color Code Reservations

We have improved the visibility of non-ticketed reservations for quicker identification of three different reservation types:



No color: ticketed

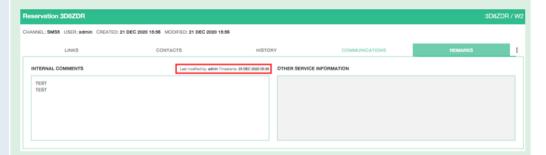
Yellow: reserved, but not ticketed

Red: Cancelled

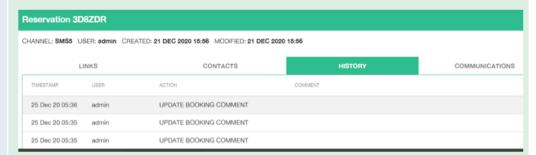


PNR Remarks Improvements

Timestamp and user login of the last action of adding/modifying a comment in PNR is now displayed under the Remark section in the PNR view.



Last change timestamp and user is displayed. Same information is also provided in the PNR history.



Removed/deleted remarks will also be indicated.

Ticket issue date / EMD issue date / payment date added to the link section

Payment / refund date and time, ticket issued date and time and EMD issued date and time are now displayed in Links section next to each corresponding item as seen below:

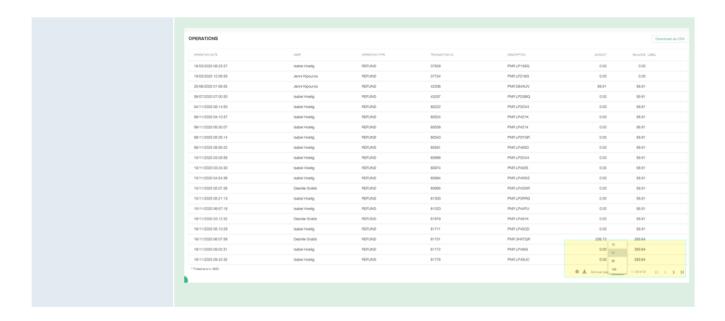


Debit-Credit account loading time improved

SMS users who had debit-credit accounts with thousands of operations in their history experienced issues while opening the list of operations.

By introducing pagination, the loading time is significantly improved. If you want to view your entire history, you can export them as a CSV file.

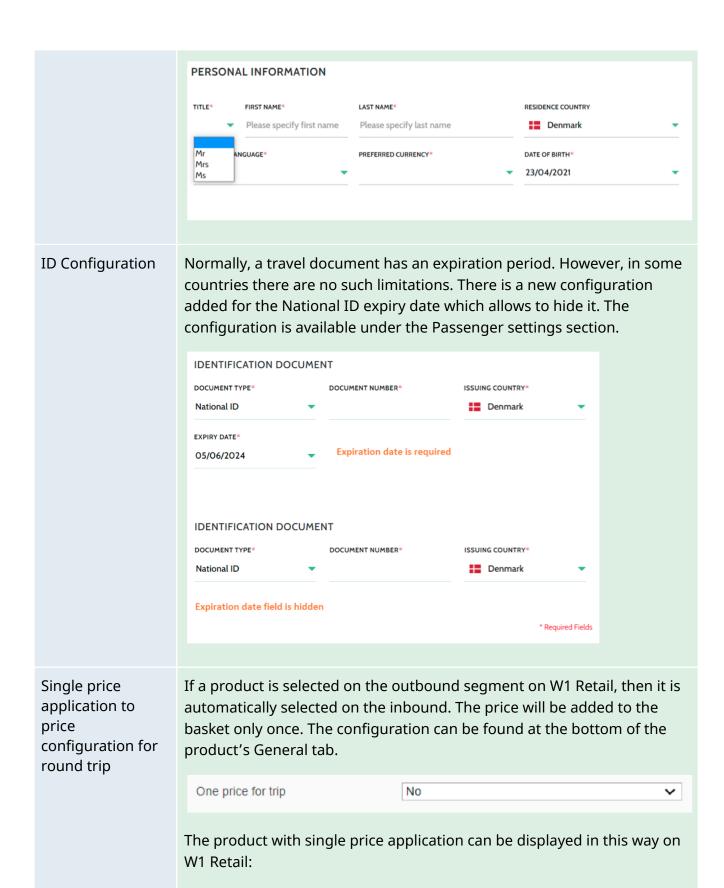




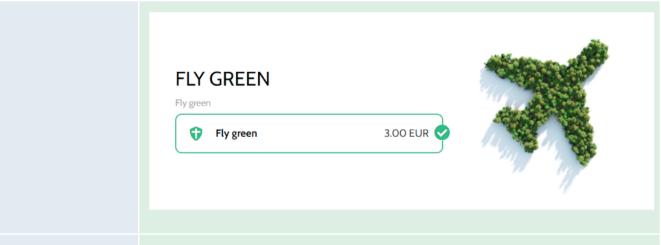
3.1.2 W1 Retail Improvements & New Features

Module/Topic	Description				
Confirmation email for "Save for Later" enquiries	The Save for Later option has been improved with the reservation confirmation email which includes the itinerary details and extended ticketing time limit (TKTL) being sent automatically.				
Calendar Week Start Day Configuration	It is now possible to choose which day the week should start with in the Date of birth calendar.				
Infant Age Configuration	The minimum age configuration has been improved and now allows setting a minimum age for the passenger type infant in days.				
	Max Age of Infant Min Age of Infant (days) [WEBSITE] [WEBSITE]				
Customer Profile Title	New configuration to display and manage the title in the customer registration/profile has been added, so it is now possible to select a particular title when registering a new account on W1 Retail.				

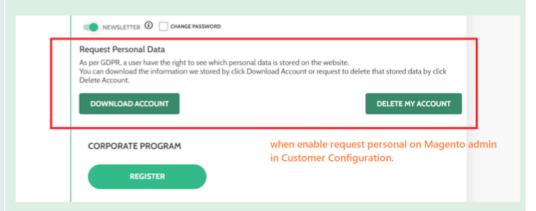








Option to download or delete customer account on W1 Retail Allows each user to download and check the stored data under their W1 Retail account or to submit a request to delete the account. The request can be created under the W1 Retail account and forwarded to an airline representative. At each step of the process a user can get an email notification.



Google Analytics in Booking Process

It is now possible to add Google Analytics tracking code on each booking step in order to track the users' activity.

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2.	/booking/	Magento Commerce	12	24,49%
3.	/flights.html	Magento Commerce	10	20,41%
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OTA Deep-Link Improvements

W1 Retail is now supporting a minimalistic deep link URL with source parameter only.

This allows users to navigate from an affiliated partner website (e.g. Skyscanner, Travelfusion etc) and select route and flight dates in W1 Retail.

