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Qwest supports a multiple release strategy for its IMA XML Interface, as referred to in the Qwest XML Implementation Guidelines documents located at URL: http://www.qwest.com/wholesale/ima/edi/document.html.

Production and Retirement Dates

The IMA XML 21.0 Release will be available on May 21, 2007. IMA EDI 19.0 is scheduled to retire October 27, 2007. IMA XML 20.0 is scheduled to sunset November 14, 2007.

Testing and Migration Dates

CLECs implementing a new IMA XML 20.0 interface must begin Progression testing in the Qwest Stand Alone Test Environment (SATE) no later than **May 21, 2007** or they will be required to move their implementation plan to IMA XML Release 21.0. These CLECs must be certified and in production with at least one product no later than **July 21, 2007** or they will be required to move their implementation plan to IMA XML Release 21.0. Any IMA XML 20.0 users that have been placed into production by July 21, 2007 may continue certifying additional products and activities until September 21, 2007.

CLECs currently using IMA EDI Release 19.0 that intend to migrate to IMA XML 20.0 must establish an agreed upon 20.0 Migration Project Plan by **April 21, 2007**. Testing for the 20.0 release must begin 30 days prior to the planned Migration date. All 19.0 CLECs wishing to migrate to the 20.0 release must migrate by June 9, 2007 otherwise the CLEC will be required to migrate to 21.0. **NOTE:** Qwest strongly encourages customers to schedule early to ensure the highest degree of success with migrations.

The following are current available Migration Dates from IMA EDI 19.0 to IMA XML 20.0:
- April 14, 2007
- June 9, 2007

CLECs currently using IMA EDI Release 19.0 that intend to skip IMA XML 20.0 and migrate to IMA XML 21.0 must establish an agreed upon 21.0 Migration Project Plan by **July 21, 2007**. Testing for the 21.0 release must begin 30 days prior to the planned Migration date. **NOTE:** Qwest strongly encourages customers to schedule early to ensure the highest degree of success with migrations.

The following are current available Migration Dates from IMA EDI 19.0 to IMA XML 21.0:
- June 9, 2007
- August 11, 2007
- September 29, 2007
- October 20, 2007

CLECs currently using IMA XML Release 20.0 that intend to migrate to IMA XML 21.0 must establish an agreed upon 21.0 Migration Project Plan by **July 21, 2007**. All 20.0 CLECs wishing to migrate to the 21.0 release must migrate by November 3rd. **NOTE:** Qwest strongly encourages customers to schedule early to ensure the highest degree of success with migrations.

The following are current available Migration Dates from IMA XML 20.0 to IMA XML 21.0:
- June 9, 2007
- August 11, 2007
- September 29, 2007
- October 20, 2007
- November 3, 3007

To learn more about these migration dates, contact your Qwest IMA EDI/XML Implementation Representative.

Recertification Testing

Transactions that are required for 20.0 to 21.0 Recertification:

Pre-Order Transactions
Loop Qualification: Where MS = A

Order Transactions	Recommended Activity Type(s)
FBDL (14)	V

Post-Order Transactions
NONE

The following transactions DID NOT change. As a result, CLECs will not be required to re-certify the transactions. However, prior to moving the transactions to the new release, trading partner configuration verification must be performed to ensure proper changes have been made to the trading partner configuration.

Pre-Order Products
Address Validation
Appointment Availability and Selection
Cancellation (TN Reservation Cancellation)
Connecting Facility Assignment

Customer Service Record
Design Layout Record
Facility Availability Query
Meet Point Validation
Raw Loop Data
Service Availability
Telephone Number Availability and Selection
Listings Reconciliation
Order Products
POTS Resale (1)
Private Line (2)
Public Access Line – Co-Providers (3)
Unbundled Loop (4)
LNP (5)
Interim Number Portability (6)
Loop Service w/ Number Portability (7)
ISDN (8)
Centrex Plus/Centron (9)
Centrex 21 (9a)
PBX (10)
Analog Line Side Port (11)
Digital Line Side Port (12)
Listings Only (13)
Frame Relay (15)
DID In Only Trunks (16)
Design Trunk Resale (17)
Analog/DID PBX Trunk Port (18)
DS1 DID/PBX Trunk Port Facility (19)
DS1 DID/PBX Trunk (20)
Qwest DSL (21)
Unbundled Feeder Loop (22)
Unbundled Distribution Loop (23)
Unbundled Distribution Loop with NP (23a)
Shared Loop (24)
UNE-P POTS (25)
EEL/UNE Combination (26)
PRI ISDN Facility (27)
PRI ISDN Trunks (28)
UNE-P BRI ISDN (29)
UNE Centrex (30)
UNE-P Centrex 21 (31)
UNE-P PRI ISDN Facility (32)
UNE-P PRI ISDN Trunk (33)
UNE-P PBX DID Trunk (34)
UNE-P PBX Design Trunk (35)
UNE-P DSS Facility (36)

UNE-P DSS Trunk (37)
UNE POTS (P or STAR) Split (38)
UNE-P PBX Designed Trunk Split (39)
UNE Centrex 21 (P or STAR) Split (40)
UNE Unbundled Loop Split (41)
Unbundled Loop Split with Number Portability (42)

Post-Order Products
Batch Hot Cut
Billing Completion Notice
Completion
Directory Service Request Error Detail (DSRED)
Local Response
Pending Service Order Notification
Provider Notification
Service Order and Status Inquiry Response
Status Update (Auto Push Response)
997 Function Acknowledgment

At the time a CLEC migrates from IMA XML 20.0 to IMA XML 21.0, any transaction(s) that the CLEC does not yet have in production using IMA XML 20.0 is considered to be a new implementation effort. These transactions must be implemented using the full initial implementation lifecycle as defined in the Qwest XML Implementation Guidelines.

When a CLEC migrates from IMA EDI 19.0 to either IMA XML 20.0 or IMA XML 21.0, all transactions must be implemented using the full initial implementation lifecycle as defined in the *Qwest IMA XML Implementation Guidelines* located at: http://www.qwest.com/wholesale/ima/edi/document.html. Please note: The New Implementation testing minimum requirements apply - including Controlled Production testing.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact Cimberlie Chambers, Team Lead – Electronic Interface Services, at 720-947-2574 or your Qwest IMA EDI/XML Implementation Representative.

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